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Gloria La-marr Adams, 80, of Dexter, Missouri, formerly of Hudson, Florida, died at home, December 15, 2017. Born July 29, 1937 in Largo, Florida to Cion B. and Letty B. (Slate) Strickland, she is predeceased by: her parents, two sisters, Patsy Sellars, Ellen Spong; her husband of 38 years, J. Allen Adams, and two sons, Ross E. Fields, Jr., and Lamar “Bubba” Adams, all of Florida.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mary (Allen) Farmer and Deborah Brown, Dexter, Missouri and Carolyn Beltran, Lake Dallas, Texas; one sister, Jeanette Scoggins, Sycamore, Georgia; one brother, Charles Strickland, Tampa, Florida; Ten grandchildren, Jon Farmer, Lake Wappapello, Missouri, Daniel Farmer, Dexter, Missouri, Charlotte Fields, Patsy Fields, Christopher Fields, Joshua Fields, all of New Port Richey, Florida, Ross Fields, III, Abbeville, Georgia, Lamar (Scott) Adams, Greenville, North Carolina, Taylor Brown, Melbourne, Florida, Alejandra Beltran, Forth Worth, Texas; plus seventeen great-grandchildren and one great-great grandson.

Gloria was of the Pentecostal Faith and an avid member of the Upper Room Apostolic Church in New Port Richey, Florida where she cheerfully helped in any way she could from cleaning church to teaching youth. She especially loved singing in the choir and attending Ladies Seminars. Her hobbies were reading, sewing, crafts, travelling and watching wrestling shows.

After the death of her husband and retirement from Wal-Mart in New Port Richey, Florida, she moved eighteen years ago to Dexter. She had been bedfast for the last fifteen

years due to a stroke before God liberated her. She will be greatly missed by all her friends and family and remembered for the cheerful smile and hugs she gave while in the midst of her adversity.

Visitation will be held at the Apostolic Pentecostal Church, 625 North Hickory in Dexter, Missouri on Tuesday December 19, 2017 from 9:30 A. M. until 10:30 A. M., followed immediately by services at 10:30 A. M. Speakers will be Anna Hook and Judith Bentley.

Burial will be held at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

All arrangements are under the direction of Rainey-Mathis Funeral Home in Dexter.

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