

Interment

ST. JOHN MISSIONARY BAPTIST

CHURCH CEMETERY

Marianna, Florida

Acknowledgement

The family of Alma Lee

Massenburg McLemore would
like to thank everyone for their
kind expressions. Your phone
calls, visits, flowers, thoughts, and
prayers have all helped greatly
during our time of bereavement.

May God continue to bless each of
you, is our prayer.

A Mother's Love

Only once in your life
Will someone so special
Walk in front of you
And prepare the way
For a better future.

Only once will there be a person
Who cares enough to say "no"
But is enthusiastic enough
to say "yes"
Whenever possible.

Only once in your life
Will someone wait patiently
while you make

The most important decisions of
your life.

Only once will you know someone
Who has the courage
not to back down

From a decision she's made.

Only once will you have
the opportunity

To be loved by someone

Who could never love you more
Than she does every day.

A mother's love is one of a kind.

We Entrusted Our Loved One To PEOPLES FUNERAL HOME

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"We Are Not Satisfied Until You Are"

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR



SUNRISE
March 22, 1944

SUNSET
October 2, 2026

Saturday, October 10, 2026
11:00 AM

ST. JOHN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY
3903 Missouri Road
Marianna, Florida 32446

Reverend Alonzo Wilburn, Pastor
Bishop John A. McMillion, Officiating

Obituary

ALMA LEE MASSENBURG MCLEMORE entered eternal rest on Friday, October 2, 2026. Alma was born on March 22, 1944, to the late Zannie Massenburg and Lillie Dickens Massenburg. She was raised in the St. John Community and attended St. John Missionary Baptist Church.

Alma was educated in the Jackson County public school system. She went on to study Elementary Education at Florida A&M University, where she proudly graduated with the Class of 1965. She taught second grade and Special Education in Colquitt, Georgia, for nearly 16 years. After returning to Marianna, she continued her career at Sunland, where she worked for 14 and a half years. Upon retiring, Alma lived in the Fort Walton Beach-Crestview area for a time before spending the last 16 years of her life in Tallahassee, Florida.

She was a devoted mother and a wonderful grandmother and great-grandmother. She was an avid reader who loved spending time at the library and browsing local bookstores.

Alma leaves a legacy of fond memories and cherished thoughts with her family: daughters, Lisa (Grady) Snell, LaToya (Cedric) Paul, and Miriam McLemore; cherished grandchildren, Travis (Deborah) Pender, Ashley (Anthony) Reynolds, Dominique Snell, Grady Snell IV, Madison Paul, and Alana Snell; great-grandchildren; sister, Barbara (Charles) Golphin; nephew, Charles Golphin II; nieces, Missy Massenburg and Olympia Massenburg; and a host of cousins, other relatives, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Kenneth Massenburg; beloved uncles, Spencer Bellamy and Simmon Massenburg, Jr.; and dear aunts, Essie Bellamy and Virginia Gardner.

Order of Service

PRELUDE

OPENING SELECTION

*"Precious Lord Take
My Hand"*

PRAYER OF COMFORT
Minister

SCRIPTURE READING
Minister

SELECTION

*"May the Work I've
Done Speak for Me"*

REFLECTIONS

Two Minutes, Please

RESOLUTIONS AND
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Peoples' Staff

SELECTION

"Oh Happy Day"

WORDS OF COMFORT
Bishop John McMillion

COMMITTAL

BENEDICTION

WHEN TOMORROW STARTS WITHOUT ME

When tomorrow starts without me,

And I'm not here to see

If the sun should rise and find your eyes

Filled with tears for me

I wish so much you wouldn't cry

The way you did today

While thinking of the many things

We didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me,

As much as I love you,

And each time you think of me,

I know you'll miss me, too;

But when tomorrow starts without me,

Please try to understand

That Jesus came and called my name

And took me by the hand

And said my place was ready

In Heaven far above

And that I'd have to leave behind

All those I dearly love.

So when tomorrow starts without me,

Don't think we're far apart

For every time you think of me,

I'm right here in your heart.