



Ella Mae Mitchell

Suffolk – Ella Mae Mitchell, 54, of the 100 block of Burnetts Court, departed this life on Tuesday, March 27, 2007. She was born in Halifax, North Carolina to the late Willie and Victoria Lynch, Sr. Mrs. Mitchell was predeceased by two sons, Clinton Lynch, Sr. and Donnell Lynch.

After 36 years of service, she retired from working on the school board for the Portsmouth Public School System. Mrs. Mitchell was also a faithful member of Third Baptist Church in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Mitchell leaves to cherish her memory her husband; Mr. Arthur Mitchell, a daughter; Jennifer Lynch (fiancé, Giovanni) of Portsmouth, a son; Willie Mitchell of Petersburg; two sisters, Edith (Bobby) Lynch of Rocky Mount, NC, and Mary (Ashaby) Blow of Portsmouth; four brothers, Willie Lynch, Jr. of Willington, NC, Michael Lynch of Emporia, Larry and Lewis (Delois) Lynch – both of Portsmouth; six grandchildren, Anthony Lynch, Celestine Lynch, Paul Lynch, Donnell and Javon Mitchell - all of Portsmouth, and Clinton Lynch, Jr. of North Carolina. Also left to cherish her memory are; two special nieces, Alexis and Kennita; special friends, Ruby, Ethel, Brenda, Mary-Lawrence and a host of other family members and friends.

Viewing will be on Sunday, April 1, 2007, from 12:00pm until 5:00pm, at the funeral home. A life celebration service will be held on Monday, April 2, 2007

at 11:30am at Third Baptist Church, located in Portsmouth, VA. Pastor, Joseph A. Flemming, will be officiating. Entombment will be at the Greenlawn Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel. The family has entrusted J. T. Fisher Funeral Services, located at 1080 North George Washington Hwy., Chesapeake, VA., to handle the final care arrangements.

Condolences can be offered to the family at www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com.