



### **OBELIA V. WARE DAVIS**

Obelia V. Ware Davis was the 6th of 12 children born to Arnold and Emmaline Ware on December 27, 1917 in Lovelady. She graduated Center Grove High School in Lovelady, attended Mary Allen College in Crockett, and Franklin Beauty School in California. She operated a beauty salon in California 40 years.

She married Arlandus Calvin Caldwell in 1938 with a daughter Jerlyn born to this union. She moved to Louisiana and raised a nephew, James Davis Terry as her own. She married J.B. Dixon and moved to California in 1945. Later she married Willie Frank Davis until his death. She also adopted Elder Ladell Wash-

ington Sr. and his family.

She first joined Jones Methodist Church in 1952 then several Church Of God In Christ churches in California before returning home and joining Hampton Memorial Church Of God In Christ in Crockett, currently she was a member of Good Samaritan Church Of God In Christ in Trinity.

Life's departure was on February 3, 2007 at her home in Trinity at age 89.

Survivors are: daughter; Jerlyn Caldwell Jackson (Sylvester) of Trinity, son; Ledell Washington Sr. of San Francisco, 3 sisters; Reyna Berry of Lovelady, Emma Lane (Henry) of California, Ruthie Mae Anderson of Port Arthur, 12 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, 1 great-great grandchild numerous nieces, nephews cousins and friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday, February 10, 2007, 1 pm, Hampton Memorial Church Of God In Christ, Downs St., Crockett, Elder J. R. Hampton, pastor and officiant. She was laid to rest in Fodice Cemetery, Lovelady.

Casketbearers were: George Williams, Thomas Williams, Jerry Ware, Arnold Anderson, Esau Anderson, Craig Anderson.

**McClain-Cleburn Funeral Service**