



## Mrs. Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht

October 3, 1919 - September 21, 2015

Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht, 95, peacefully passed into the arms of Jesus on September 21, 2015.

She was born to the late Garland Ashburn and Mabel Courtney Ashburn, on October 3, 1919, in Baker, Florida. A graduate of Florida State College for Women (FSCW), she was a retired Bureau Chief with the Florida Department of Labor, Bureau of Unemployment Compensation. She was the first female State Bureau Chief in the Southeastern United States. She attended Freedom Church First Assembly of God. She loved her family dearly and received much pleasure from helping people and took pride in having the most beautiful yard in the neighborhood. She also enjoyed gathering with family at Chick-Fil-A on Saturday mornings. Above all, she loved her Lord.

She is survived by her children, Claude E. "Sooner" Shipley, (wife, Judy), Richardo E. "Ryck" Shipley, (wife, Kenney); grandchildren Art (Kim) Shipley, Gene (Lori) Shipley, Kathy (Bob) Small, Rick Shipley, Chris (Melody) Shipley, Carolyn Shipley, Holly (Dane) Nichols and Alyssa Shipley; great-grandchildren, Hayden, Addison, Chase, Hayley, Chandler, Turner, Fletcher, Drew, Ryan, Krystal, Brennan, Kerstyn, Lauklan, Greyson, Aislinn, Bay, Devin, Jarom, Ammon and Omner; brothers, William G. Ashburn, David C. Ashburn and Robert C. Ashburn.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Sim Lambrecht, and siblings, Grover Cleveland Ashburn, Flora Cooksey, Syble Ashburn Daniels, Vernie Johnson, Lois Spiva, Lyndall Ashburn and Pansy Shoemaker.

A service to commemorate her life will be held at 4:30 PM Saturday, September 26, 2015 at Freedom Church First Assembly of God. Memorial contributions may be made to Freedom Church First Assembly of God. Online condolences may be made at [www.abbeyfh.com](http://www.abbeyfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht*



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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - September 29, 2015 at 04:05 PM

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“ *Rett and Carol Hensley purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht.*

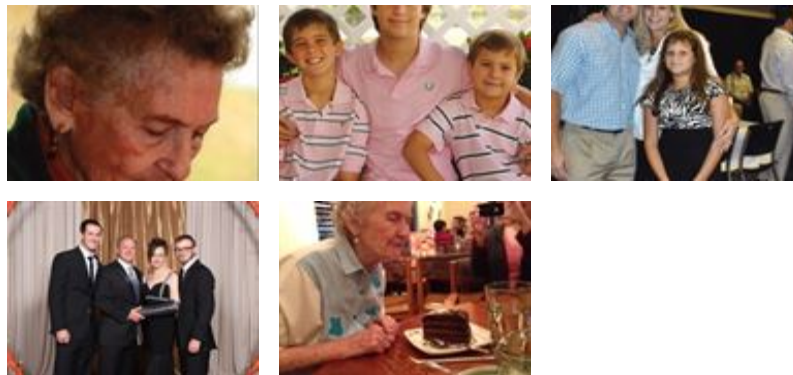


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**Rett and Carol Hensley** - September 25, 2015 at 11:47 AM



“ *37 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - September 25, 2015 at 10:43 AM

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“ I don't even know where to start: Ethel took me under her wing in January of 1970 and guided me through my career with the Unemployment Compensation Program. I called her mom. RIP in Peace Ethel. I will always love you. Prayers to the family.

*Rett Hensley*

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**Rett Hensley** - September 25, 2015 at 10:22 AM



“ 86 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens** - September 24, 2015 at 03:54 PM



“ *Rainbow Reflections Basket* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht.



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September 23, 2015 at 04:05 PM



“ *Touching Tribute Spray* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ethel Ashburn Lambrecht.



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September 23, 2015 at 03:57 PM