

Julia Theresa Samuel Joseph was called to rest at the age of 77 on Thursday, September 13, 2018, at Charlton Methodist Hospital in Dallas, TX. Daughter of the late Norman Samuel Sr. and Estelle Pierre Samuel. Wife of the late Matthew Joseph Sr. Mother of Michael Joseph Sr. (Debbie) of Denver, CO, Tabatha Joseph of Dallas, TX, Morisa **Smith**-Wells (Edwin Sr.) of Luling, LA. Stepmother of Matthew Joseph Jr. (Tammy), Mary Rounds (Alex), Ulysses Joseph, Shirley Dorsey and the late Gilda Woods (Larry). Sister of Norman "Veno" Samuel (Mildred) Jr., Ronald Samuel (Tee), Riley Samuel (Shirley), Eula Johnson, Lena Pollard and Valentine Melancon (Jessie), the late Henry Samuel Sr., Margaret Lumar, Ethel Savoie, Corinne Lumar, Anita Morris, and Eunice Smith. Sister-in-law of Annette Joseph. Also survived by 9 grandchildren, and 1 great-grandchild and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends. A native and resident of Edgard, LA. Relatives, friends, priest and parishioners of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Edgard, LA and all neighboring churches, members of Mayflower Benevolent Society, employees of St. John School Board and Luling Nursing Home are invited to attend the Funeral Mass at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church 2349 LA-18 Edgard, LA, on September 22, 2018, at 10:00 am. Father Robustiano Morgia celebrant. Entombment church mausoleum. Visitation after 8:00am. Final care entrusted to Treasures of Life 315 E. Airline Hwy. Gramercy,La. 70052.

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