

*Homegoing Celebration*  
*For*  
*Ms. Pauline Thomas*

*July 26, 1913 ~ May 30, 1997*



*Friday, June 6, 1997*  
*1:00 p.m.*

*Concord M. B. Church*  
*Batesville, Mississippi*

*Rev. John Snow, III*  
*Pastor and Officiating*

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## Obituary

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*Pauline Thomas was born July 26, 1913 in Lockhart, Texas in Caldwell County to Willie and Illinois Ellison. She was the second child of three children. Her parents, Willie and Illinois Ellison, her husband Lamar Thomas, and her brother Governor Ellison, all preceded her in death.*

*She received her formal education in Lockhart, Texas.*

*Confessing a hope in Christ at an early age, she became a member of Daniel Chapel Church in Lockhart, Texas.*

*She united in Holy Matrimony with Mr. Lamar Thomas on August 20, 1946. On relocating to Batesville, Mississippi she became a member of Concord M. B. Church. She was Vice President of Mother's and Deaconess Boards, Treasurer of Missionary Society, Vice President of Pastor's Aide, acted in Sunday School, formal member of Choir, formal member of Usher Board, Steering Committee, Treasurer of Goodwill Club, Batesville Homemaker Club, and coordinator of many of the church activities. She was an earnest and dedicated worker, first to her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and to her pastor and church, whom she loved.*

*In 1952, when Pauline and Lamar moved from Detroit, they opened Thomas Sundry. They both operated the sundry*

*until the mid-80's when they sold it.*

*On Friday morning, May 30, 1997, Pauline peacefully slipped away from this life and went on to her eternal Home.*

*She left to cherish her memories: a loving sister - Mrs. Cassie Maney of San Antonio, TX; one step-daughter - Arma Jean Robinson and son-in-law James W. Robinson of Indianapolis, IN; one granddaughter - Angela Hines and step-grandson Frank Hines, III of Indianapolis, IN; one grandson - Eric Drummond of Oxford, MS; one great-grandson - Frank Hines, III of Indianapolis, IN; two sisters-in-law - Matilda Thomas Martin of Batesville, MS and Bertha Ellison of Lockhart, TX; two foster brothers-in-law and wives - Horace and Varris Morris of Oakland, CA and Otis and Frankie of Tupelo, MS; two nephews and four nieces - Manuel Guy and Nedra Miller, Ellison Eugene and Avis Miller of Carson, CA, Paulette Powell and Betsy Ann Triplin; a special cousin - Minnie Thomas, Lucille Cooper and son Terry Corley and family; and a multitude of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.*

