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Mary Ann Fort was born March 17, 1945 in Keysburg, Kentucky to the late William Ogburn and the late Jeretha Bell Ogburn. Later in life she moved to Springfield, Tennessee. She left her Earthly Home for her Heavenly Home on August 15, 2020.

She was educated in the Robertson County School System. At an early age, she professed a hope in Christ at New Well Grove Baptist Church. Later she joined Beards Chapel Baptist Church where she served as an Usher, member of the Pastors Aide, sang in the choir, member of both the Cooking Ministry, and the Youth Ministry. She was also an Eastern Star member.

She worked at many factories until she retired from the Elm Nursing Home. She was a dedicated mother and grandmother. She enjoyed cooking, was a seamstress and she owned Nannie Day Care. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one brother, William Bellamy and one sister, Edna Gray.

She leaves to cherish her memories: five children, Deloris (Dobbie) Smith, Patrick Smith of Springfield, TN, Danielle Fort of Indianapolis, IN, James Fort of Nashville, TN, and Angela Fort of Russellville, KY; sixsisters, Nancy Summers, Patricia Payne, Mary R. Lunsford all of Springfield, TN, Peggy Jones of Nashville, TN, Ruth Lamar and Patricia Bigbee, both of Indianapolis, IN; five brothers, Will Ogburn, Boyd Ogburn both of Indianapolis, IN, Harold Ogburn and Eugene Ogburn both of Springfield, TN and Richard Bell of Allensville, KY; grandchildren, Deandre Turner, Candace Moore, Michael Moore, Martize Leavell, Jamalachi McClain, Aaliyah Smith and Dylon Fort; step-mother, Beulah J. Lunsford; ten great-grandchildren; aunt, Frances Lunsford; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins; special friends, Edna Benton, Grace Ellis, Linda Hill and Marquati Brown.