



Yoshimi Yonaha Thornton

June 20, 1942 - April 15, 2012

Yoshimi Yonaha Thornton 69, entered eternal rest on Sunday morning April 15, 2012 at Community Hospital North after a courageous battle with liver cancer. She was born June 20, 1942 in Okinawa, Japan to the late Oshin and Nao Yonaha. Yoshimi was a loving wife to her husband of 34 years, a wonderful mother to her 2 children and a very proud special **◆Memaw◆** to her 2 grandchildren. She was affectionately known as **◆Memaw◆** to her grandchildren's friends also. Among her joys of life she was a very talented gardener. She would spend hours in her flower gardens which were always groomed to perfection. She was a member of Warren Baptist Church and the Okinawan Dance Group. Visitation will be Tuesday, April 17, 2012 from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service at 1:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. Yoshimi is survived by her husband, James (Ron) Thornton; daughter, Mary James; son, Bob Mock III; granddaughter, Emily James; grandson, Daniel James; 2 brothers and 2 sisters of Okinawa, Japan. She was preceded in death by her parents and 1 brother.www.shirleybrothers.com

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This is not to comfort the Thornton Family...this is MY Mother.

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