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HR___ MOURNING THE DEATH AND CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF DAISY
LOIS PASCHAL.

WHEREAS, it is with profound sorrow that we note the death of Ms. Daisy Lois Paschal, also known as "Mama Lois," of Eclectic, Alabama, on March 11, 2024; her departure leaves a void in the lives of her loving family, many friends, and the community where she was highly regarded; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Paschal was born in Eclectic on October 12, 1919; she was raised, educated, and married in Eclectic, residing there the majority of her life; and

WHEREAS, she married the late Lumas Paschal, Sr. on July 25, 1936, and their union was blessed with seven children; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Paschal was a woman of great faith who cherished her church family at Chapel United Methodist Church in Eclectic, having been a devoted member since 1926, where she expressed heartfelt gratitude for God's goodness; and

WHEREAS, throughout her long and productive life, she exemplified dedication to the welfare of others, earning respect and affection from people of all walks of life and all ages; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Paschal lived through significant



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29 historical events and, in her quiet manner, served as a
30 positive influence and stabilizing presence during turbulent
31 times; and

32 WHEREAS, a resident of Montgomery, Alabama, since
33 2009, she enjoyed various activities, including travel,
34 socializing at the local senior center, and reminiscing
35 about farm life and working for Coach and Mrs. Paul William
36 "Bear" Bryant; and

37 WHEREAS, Ms. Paschal is preceded in death by her
38 loving husband Lumas Paschal, Sr.; sons, Lumas Paschal, Jr.
39 (Betty), Charles Paschal, Jessie Lee Paschal, and Rev. Frank
40 Paschal (Janet); and daughters, Maeola Phifer and Ernestine
41 Williams; and

42 WHEREAS, left to cherish her memory are her daughter,
43 Sylvia Williams (Clemmie); 19 grandchildren; 24
44 great-grandchildren; 15 great-great-grandchildren; and
45 numerous other close relatives and friends; now therefore,

46 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
47 LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the passing of Ms. Daisy Lois
48 Paschal, "Mama Lois," is acknowledged with deep sadness;
49 while we mourn this loss, we also celebrate her life; and
50 this resolution is offered in highest tribute along with
51 heartfelt sympathy to her family who share in this grief
52 with many others.