



Mrs. Bernice Cowley

November 26, 1935 - November 25, 2017

Mrs. Bernice Cowley was born November 26, 1935 in Joiner, Arkansas to Mr. Sam and Mrs. Climmie Mae Gates. She passed away on Saturday, November 25, 2017, age 81 years.

Bernice attended school in Frenchman Bayou, Arkansas. She was married to Osie Lee Dawkins and from that union four daughters were born. She later married George Cowley and from this union 18 children were born. Mrs. Cowley loved reading her bible, cooking, canning, fishing and she enjoyed music.

Bernice leaves to cherish her memory five children, Barbara (Alonzo) Taylor, Jr., Gloria (Bill) Smith, Regina (Lee Raymond) Abraham all of Saginaw, MI, James (Tammy) Cowley and Timothy Cowley of Arkansas. She also leaves 36 grandchildren; a host of great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Sammie Lee Dority; many nieces, nephews other relatives and friends including a special friend, Maya Sandara.

Mrs. Cowley was preceded in death by her husband, George Cowley, nine sons; eight daughters; two great-grandchildren; one brother and one sister.

The family extends special thanks to St. Frances Nursing Home, Joy-Ebig of Guardianship Services and Heartland Hospice for their years of special care.

Family hour 10:00 a.m. Saturday, December 2, 2017 at Rhema Temple C.O.G.I.C., 1421 Veterans Memorial Pkwy. with funeral service commencing at 11:00 a.m. Pastor Roger L. Jones II officiating. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery 3210 South Washington Avenue ,Saginaw, Michigan 48601. Visitation 9:00 a.m. until time of service.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue
Saginaw, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Rhema Temple COGIC
1421 Veterans Memorial Pkwy
Saginaw, MI 48601

Family Hour

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

DEC 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Veronica Roby lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bernice Cowley*



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