



Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green

November 19, 1936 - December 26, 2020

On November 19, 1936, Queen Mother Mary Lee Green was born in Greenville, Mississippi to the parents of Mitchell and Alberta Goodwine. They both preceded her in death. She passed away December 26, 2020 at the age of 84 years.

Queen Mary attended the Mississippi Public School District until she met her husband, Leo Johnson. He also preceded her in death. After marriage, they later moved to Saginaw, Michigan settling down where Queen Mary and her sister Martha began their agricultural journey. In that business, they taught their children how to harvest fresh produce, time management, great work ethics and how to efficiently be productive in the work field.

In the 1960's she gave her life to Christ and joined Coleman Temple Church of God In Christ. This is where she raised her children to love the Lord. She developed a passion for cooking and became the head cook specializing in her home cooked fried chicken, peach cobbler, and mouthwatering corn bread. She enjoyed serving as an Usher and a Pastor's Aide alongside her sister, Mother Martha Miller. She also preceded her in death. As a powerful prayer warrior who served on the Mothers' Board, the Christian Women Counsel and the President of the Anniversary Committee. She touched many lives with her presence. Being saved and having fun was made easy for Queen Mary and it showed through her beautiful smile, great sense of humor and awesome personality. With the overflowing of love and compassion she

obtained, Queen Mary became a foster mother for 15 years to several children. Through that journey they guided, nurtured, protected and led them to Christ not judging the position they were left in just giving them her best.

Queen Mother Mary loved her family, some have passed and some still lives, a beloved sister, Rosie Almond; her brothers, David, Mitchell and Daniel Goodwine; her children, Martha Ann Johnson, Melvin Lee Johnson, Sr.,(2014) Rhonda Johnson, Melvin L. Johnson, Jr. (Melody, Mariah and Maranda), Myrkimshea (Breyuna and Xavier) Maire Diane Hatter (Steven Hatter, Jr, (Travonte, Shania and Ste'von), Maurice D. Hatter (Miles, Mya and Malayah), Myesha D. Mott (Jeremiah) Michael Anthony Johnson, Sr. (Mary) (Demetria (Demarquaveus, Laylah and Jaylen) Oscar, Michael A. Johnson, Jr. (Dayna) My'Anna, Michael and Miguel) Anthony M. Johnson (Nyla) Marshall Johnson (1992), Dammess Patillo (Ah'Ariah) Antoine Green (Jada), Donald Green (Shakera) (Reodis and Brandon) and Timothy Green (Jada) Donald Green (Shakera) Reodis and Timothy Green). She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, godchildren and neighbors.

You all are greatly appreciated for the kind words and support throughout this journey. The family wishes to send a special thanks to Pastor Earnest Reed and the Greater Solid Rock Baptist Church family, Pastor Hurley J. Coleman, Jr. and the World Outreach Campus Family for all their love and support as well.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. Friday, January 8, 2021, at Greater Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church, 605 Meade Street, Saginaw, Michigan 48601. Rev. Ernest Reed, Pastor and Pastor Hurley J. Coleman, Jr. will officiate with interment Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3210 S. Washington Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48601. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 N. Jefferson Ave., Saginaw, MI 48607 on Thursday, from 2:00 until 6:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue
Saginaw, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home
441 North Jefferson Avenue
Saginaw, MI 48607

Funeral Service

JAN 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Greater Solid Rock Baptist Church
605 Meade Street
Saginaw, MI 48602

Tribute Wall

WR

“ *Wanda Faye Reynolds & ReynoldsFamily lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Wanda Faye Reynolds & ReynoldsFamily - January 09, 2021 at 04:14 PM

LP

My name is Larry Guitar Pierson. My God mother's name is Mary Pig Green. She was a very good person to me as a child .And she will greatly be missed. Rest in peace Godmother Pig

LARRY GUITAR PIERSON - January 10, 2021 at 02:55 AM


Sattana
Moore

“ *I love you auntie im miss your laughter and great sense of humor i was known to you as the young boy that can sing. Thank you for the memories that will never go away*

Sattana Moore - January 08, 2021 at 10:33 AM



“ *50 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Browne's Mortuary - January 07, 2021 at 12:46 PM

AP

“ *Ann M. Patrick lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Ann M. Patrick - January 07, 2021 at 10:50 AM

DT

“ *Denecho Turner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Denecho Turner - January 06, 2021 at 07:37 AM



“ *Yvette Wofford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Yvette Wofford - January 05, 2021 at 08:35 PM

CB

“ *Christie Barker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Christie Barker - January 05, 2021 at 03:49 PM



“ Cynthia Reed-Tillman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green



Cynthia Reed-Tillman - January 05, 2021 at 03:12 PM



“ Joanie Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green



Joanie Williams - January 04, 2021 at 09:27 PM



“ Vera Clark and Family

Sorry for your lost



Vera Clark - January 04, 2021 at 06:41 PM



“ Annie Green Carr lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green



Annie Green Carr - January 03, 2021 at 10:27 PM

EN

“ *When I first met you. I was just your caregiver but built a bond a friendship and became family, me n the girls are going to miss u! Lobe the Newman family*

Ericka Newman - January 03, 2021 at 09:41 PM

IT

“ *Itonya(Toni), Itonya (Butter) Joi*



Itonya - January 03, 2021 at 09:26 PM



“ *RIHP, Family.* ☐ 🙏 🙏



Joselyn Jordan - January 01, 2021 at 11:39 PM

DH

“ *My condolences to the Green and Goodwine family!*



Diane Holliman - December 31, 2020 at 04:48 PM

T.

“ *T.williams&family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



t.williams&family - December 30, 2020 at 11:58 AM

RR

“ *Rev.Ernest Reed lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Rev.Ernest Reed - December 30, 2020 at 11:31 AM

RR

“ *Rest well Aunt Pig love you but God love you best.weeping make endure for a night but joy will come in the morning.*

Rev.Ernest Reed - December 30, 2020 at 11:30 AM

AW

“ *Angelica Weems lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Angelica Weems - December 29, 2020 at 07:43 PM

AW

“ *Angelica Weems lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Angelica Weems - December 29, 2020 at 07:40 PM

RB

“ *Rochelle Brewer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



rochelle brewer - December 29, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathies To Marie Diane and Family
Sister Mary Green will be Greatly Missed
Her smile, her great sense of humor, mostly her
good cooking Cornbread dressing & tamales,
hot water cornbread yum
Soft spoken words her love of serving God
Love u and Rest in God's Arms*



Adele Johnson - December 29, 2020 at 10:57 AM



“ *Sister Bettye Batts and family*



Velissa Batts - December 28, 2020 at 05:09 PM



“ *Monica Vaughn sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Monica Vaughn - December 28, 2020 at 02:06 PM



“ *Monica Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Monica Vaughn - December 28, 2020 at 09:06 AM



“ *Thumbelina Ibrahim lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Thumbelina Ibrahim - December 27, 2020 at 03:47 PM

EM

“ *Ernestine Martin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary "Pig" Green*



Ernestine Martin - December 27, 2020 at 09:02 AM