



## Mrs. Mary Frances Bobo

September 29, 1937 - April 8, 2017

Mary Frances Bobo was born in West Point, Mississippi on September 29, 1937, the only child to loving parents, the late Harry Lee and Lillie Mitchell.

Mary received her formal education in the public schools of West Point, Mississippi. She received 2 years of additional education from Sawyer Business School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mary Frances Lee was united in holy matrimony with John Bobo Sr in June of 1952 in West Point, Mississippi.

She moved to Milwaukee in 1956 and later accepted Christ under the leadership of the late Elder J. L. Thompson (Mount Zion COGIC) where she was an active member. She later joined the Living Way COGIC under the late Elder C.C. Valentine where she served as the Church Mother and an Evangelist. At the time of her departure from this life she was a member of Living Way COGIC (Pastor Eugene Lacey).

Mary was employed in retail for 50 years and retired as a Bakery Manager in 2003 from Pick & Save Foods. She enjoyed cooking, shopping, traveling and planning events for family and friends.

Mary Frances Bobo departed this life on April 8, 2017 and leaves to cherish her memory seven children: Derrie Lynn Goodman, Larry Bobo, (Patti), Abigail Thrower (Ronnie), John Bobo Jr. Frederick Bobo, Lillie Chaney (Gary) and Tyrone Knight (Jennifer); 20 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-grandchildren and a host of relatives

and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her great-grandson  
Michael Duane Hicks-Watkins Jr.

# Cemetery Details

## Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.  
Milwaukee, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 15. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Parklawn Assembly of God  
3725 N. Sherman Blvd  
Milwaukee, WI

## Service

APR 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ CLAYTON PARHAM

*It is with great sadness that I post this message.*

*To my friends and if i may be bold enough to say "family" my heart grieves with your hearts! Mother Bobo was truly holds a very special place in my heart and mind as do you all. Though it seems many years have passed since we last saw each other face to face, however, i've reflected on very fond child-hood and young adult memories with you.*

*i will always remember her singing "THE LORD WILL MAKE A WAY SOMEHOW". She truly believed he would and in many ways i know he did in ways that she knows best.*

*Her mother, your grandmother was also very special to me and yes our grandmothers were very close. i will forever cherish my memories of our families together and how we grew to respect and care for each other.*

*Much love*

*Clay (pookie) Parham- Murfreesboro Tennessee*

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**Clayton Parham** - April 11, 2017 at 04:16 PM

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“ From Nadean Hooks and Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Mrs. Mary Frances Bobo.



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**From Nadean Hooks and Family** - April 11, 2017 at 12:28 PM

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“ We extend sympathy to you all, we are family and we will continue to pray your strength in the Lord who does all things well. Words can not express the sorrow that is felt in this moment, but know that God will give you peace in the time of sadness find peace in these words,

*1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

*13 But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope.*

*14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.*

*15 For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.*

*Nathan Cross  
Andrea Sykes Cross*

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**Andrea** - April 11, 2017 at 10:20 AM

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“ My heart, love and prayers go out to the family. May God bless and keep you all.

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**sadie parham williams** - April 11, 2017 at 10:11 AM

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“ *We extend our sincere and heartfelt condolences to the entire family of Mother Mary Frances Bobo....Peace, Strength, Love and Prayers to you all. From Nadean Hooks and Family.*

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**Nadean Hooks** - April 11, 2017 at 09:33 AM