



## Mrs. Pearl Elim

February 6, 1919 - October 12, 2016

Mrs. Pearl Elim was born on February 6, 1919 to the union of Robert and Martha Dekine in Rosa, Arkansas. She received her formal education within the Arkansas School District in Rosa, Arkansas.

Mrs. Pearl Elim accepted Christ as her Savior at an early age and was united with St. Matthew Baptist Church where she served as Usher. She continued to serve Christ when she moved to Milwaukee, Wisconsin in 1973. Pearl Dekine was united in holy matrimony with Sil Elim on December 19, 1942 in Hermondale, Missouri. Their union was blessed with nine children.

She was employed in Hayti, Missouri as a housekeeper and heads tart teacher until retirement. Attending Day Centers, has been laudably devoted throughout her life to her children and her love for cooking. She always encouraged her children to attend church and go to school to further their education.

She served as a true faithful servant of the Lord and a member of the Mother Board at St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church until her passing. The love she had for her church family was unmatched.

Mrs. Pearl Elim departed this life on October 12, 2016. She was preceded in death by her husband, Sil Elim; four sisters, Rosie Lee Boyd, Ida Mae Cooks, Elizabeth Dekine and Georgia Dekine; and twin brother, Earl.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory: her sons, Ivory Elim,

Oscar (Gloria) Elim, Floyd Kind, Charles (Victoria) Elim and Robert Elim, daughters, Ethel (Andrew Travier) Elim, Martha (Sylvester Anderson) Elim, Helen (Tommy Charles) Wells, and Onetta Elim, all of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Katherine (Larry) Glenn, Josephine (Eugene) Robinson of Berrien Springs, Michigan, Margerie (Harold) Patterson of Benton Harbor, Michigan, Christine Cooks, and Frances Cooks of Berrien springs, Michigan; thirty-two grandchildren, 87 great-grandchildren, 34 great-great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and her St. Peter family

# Cemetery Details

## Wisconsin Memorial Park

13235 W. Capitol Dr.  
Brookfield, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church  
7283 W. Appleton Ave  
Milwaukee, WI

## Service

OCT 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

MR

“ *Mary Rome lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Pearl Elim*



mary rome - October 18, 2016 at 11:26 PM

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“ *Sometimes when you lose someone extremely close to you every once and awhile you may meet someone that reminds you of that person. Mother Pearl's was that person for me. She reminded me so much of my Granny. She warmed my heart every time I saw her.*

Janet Oglesby - October 14, 2016 at 06:10 PM

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*This is so true! She reminded me of my mom who just recently passed this year in January. When you lose your mom their is a void that cannot be replaced. But the peace of God which surpasses all understanding shall keep your hearts and mind through Christ Jesus! Love you Mother Pearl. RIP!*

Debora Gray - October 17, 2016 at 11:50 AM

MR

*Rest In Peace Mother Pearl Elim*

mary rome - October 18, 2016 at 11:25 PM