



## Ms. Phyllis Laverne Gray

February 4, 1958 - March 2, 2017

Phyllis LaVerne Gray was born on February 4, 1958 to Emma Louis Gray in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Phyllis received her formal education at North Division High School in Milwaukee. She furthered her education and received her bachelor degree in accounting from Bryant and Stratton College.

At the age of 45, she accepted Christ as her Savior and united with Ephesians Missionary Baptist Church where she served as a dedicated church member. Phyllis was a God fearing woman who loved the Lord. She had a loving and kind heart that would put a smile on anyone's face. She will be missed by her family and friends. Her hands were always stretched out and ready to share, and her love for her family was immeasurable.

Even though she spent her last couple of years bed bound, she never complained and never wanted others to feel sorry for her. She always reached out to help others and to tell them about the goodness of the Lord. Her desire was for them to always pray and be thankful no matter what. Her faith in God was her strength.

Phyllis was employed by Boelter Company as an accountant. In her leisure she enjoyed sewing and building puzzles.

Phyllis LaVerne Gray departed this life on March 2, 2017. She was preceded in death by her grandmother, Callie Gray and brother, Melvin Jerome Gray.

She leaves to cherish her memory her significant other, Frank Cooper; two sons, Dewayne (Tania) Wilson and Steve Junior; four grandchildren, Kiona, Natassia, TaNeisha and Marcus; mother, Emma Mitchell; four sisters, Maryilyn, Eugenia, Caroline and Crystal and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Glen Oaks Cemetery

4533 N. Greenbay Ave.  
Milwaukee, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel  
6630 W. Hampton Ave  
Milwaukee, WI

## Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Phyllis was my mother.. she had accomplished so much in her life.. she taught me about hard work, love, loyalty, and focus. Her smile and laugh are what I miss the most.. because when she was happy, it was hard not to smile along with her.. I love and miss her..* ”

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**Wayne "1stborn" Wilson** - February 05, 2020 at 06:58 AM