



Mrs. Bernice Dorothy Benison

March 24, 1926 - February 8, 2020

In Loving Memory of;

Bernice D. Benison was born March 24, 1926 in Forkland, Alabama to Winfield Sr. and Eunice (Pearson) Parker. She was the 7th of 10 children and attended Demopolis Public Schools. In 1948, she and her husband, Elijah Benison, moved to Detroit where they permanently resided and raised their family.

Beginning in 1953, Bernice was a dedicated and faithful member of Messiah Baptist Church, spiritually and financially. She served on the Senior Usher Board for over 50 years. A caregiver by nature, Bernice spent many years attending to the needs of the aged and infirm, as well as preparing and providing meals for the homebound. She especially enjoyed gatherings with her family. From holidays to birthdays to the much anticipated Parker-Pearson Family Reunions, she ensured a good time was had by all.

Bernice's presence in our lives has been profound. She will be greatly missed, but never forgotten, by all who had the honor of knowing her.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens

17840 Middlebelt Road
Livonia, MI 48152

Previous Events

Family Hour

Friday, Feb. **14**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Messiah Baptist Church
8100 W. 7 Mile Road
Detroit, MI 48221

Funeral Service

Friday, Feb. **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Bernice Dorothy Benison*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *There are no words to express the sorrow in our hearts. Please accept our deepest sympathy. In just a little while all of the pain and sorrow that we feel from the death of our love one will cease and be replaced with joy, because the former things have passed away. Truly sorry for your loss.*

Evans family - February 22, 2020 at 09:00 AM



“ *We are saddened to learn about your family loss. Continue to rely on on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. Thinking of you all.*

Evans family - February 22, 2020 at 08:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Bernice Dorothy Benison.*



February 13, 2020 at 11:52 AM