



Mrs Lillian Elizabeth Creagh

September 18, 1944 - August 3, 2015

In Loving Memory Of Lillian Elizabeth Hill Creagh:

Lillian Elizabeth Hill Creagh was born September 18, 1944 in Pelham, Georgia to the late E.G. and Gloria Bell Hill. She was the youngest of four children. Lillian grew up in a loving Christian home. Under the careful guidance of her God-fearing parents and maternal grandmother Anna Burks, Lillian accepted Christ at an early age and attended Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Pelham, Georgia.

In 1962, Lillian graduated from the Mitchell County Training Center. While in high school, Lillian excelled in both academics and sports. She was named salutatorian of her graduating class and was a fierce competitor in both basketball and softball. Lillian also served as a Majorette.

After high school, Lillian moved to Chicago where she met the love of her life, the late Thomas Sterling Creagh II, who she affectionately called "Tommy". On December 31, 1965 they were joined in holy matrimony for 45 years, and to this union four children were born.

In 2007 after almost twenty years of service, Lillian retired from General Motors. As a proud United Auto Worker (UAW) and a staunch supporter of organized labor, Lillian enjoyed attending local Labor Day Parades, picnics and rallies. In her spare time, Lillian enjoyed watching sports, gardening,

attending family gatherings, and most of all being surrounded by her children and grandchildren sharing childhood memories and imparting wisdom.

Lillian was a faithful member of Mt. Hope United Methodist Church. She was a dedicated member of the United Methodist Women Auxiliary in which she helped with community outreach efforts and social functions.

Lillian was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister-in-law and friend. Throughout her life she maintained a sweet and quiet demeanor that won the trust and hearts of many, Lillian was a gift of grace. Her smile, laughter, and relentless optimism, will never be forgotten.

Lillian Elizabeth Hill Creagh made her transition on Monday, August 3, 2015.

Cemetery Details

Elmwood Cemetery

1200 Elmwood Ave.
Detroit, MI 48207

Previous Events

Family Hour

Wednesday, Aug. **12.** 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Hope United Methodist Church
15400 E 7 Mile Rd
Detroit, MI 48205
<http://michiganumc.org>

Funeral Service

Wednesday, Aug. **12.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs Lillian Elizabeth Creagh*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Karen, Gerald, Shawne, Twila and Tasha purchased the Delicious Delights Basket for the family of Mrs Lillian Elizabeth Creagh.*



Karen, Gerald, Shawne, Twila and Tasha - August 11, 2015 at 07:17 PM



“ *The family of Aunt Willie-Mae Alexander and Beverly Cook purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Mrs Lillian Elizabeth Creagh.*



The family of Aunt Willie-Mae Alexander and Beverly Cook - August 11, 2015 at 03:19 PM

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“ I will miss Lillian very much. I would sit next to her every Sunday after service in the parlor. Eating and laughing. Every minute or so, she would say 'Chris better come on or I am going to leave him, or he won't get any dinner today'. We would then laugh and sit another 10, maybe 15 minutes.

My deepest condolences to the entire family. Special prayer for Chris.

May God Bless and keep you all !!!

Teza Searcy

Teza Searcy - August 09, 2015 at 07:12 PM

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Thinking of you, caring about you, and wishing there were words to express the sympathy that goes out to you today. we are praying and asking God to bless you all with courage to bear the sorrow you feel. We love you. May God continue to bless and keep you. Your aunt Willie Mae, Beverly, Juanita and family

Beverly Cook - August 11, 2015 at 02:37 PM