



## Elva Pearl Burke

July 12, 1928 - July 29, 2019

Elva Pearl Burke, 91, of Towanda, PA formerly of Chenango Bridge, NY, passed away Monday afternoon, July 29, 2019 at the Personal Care Home of Towanda Memorial Hospital. Elva was born in Binghamton, NY on July 12, 1928, the daughter of Llewellyn Miller and Lavera Shear Miller. She attended school in Chenango Forks, NY and in early years was employed by ANSCO in Binghamton, NY. After raising her family, Elva became employed by United Health Services in Binghamton where she remained for 15 years until retirement. Elva was a member of the Nimmonsburg, NY Methodist Church. She enjoyed sewing and crafting. Elva is survived by her husband of 71 years, Gordon H. Burke of Towanda, children, Michael G. Burke of Greene, NY, John F. Burke and wife Shelley of Charlotte, NC, JoAnn Cuddy and husband Michael of Towanda, grandchildren, Sarah and Jeffrey Burke, Martin Galloway, Adam Heisler, Kayleen, AnnaMarie, and Ryan Cuddy, 3 great grandchildren, her brother, Roger Miller of North Carolina, sister-in-law, Ruthie Miller of North Carolina as well as several nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, Elva was predeceased by her infant daughter, Margaret, and by several siblings. Elva's Family extends their deepest appreciation to the staff of the Personal Care of Towanda Memorial Hospital for their excellent care. A private funeral service will be held at the convenience of the family.

Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting [www.bowenfuneralhomes.com](http://www.bowenfuneralhomes.com).



# Tribute Wall



“ *Elva Pearl Burke*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Elva Pearl Burke*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Elva Pearl Burke*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Elva Pearl Burke*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Elva Pearl Burke*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Kim Dunham lit a candle in memory of Elva Pearl Burke*



**Kim Dunham** - August 02, 2019 at 12:29 PM

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“ Gordon and family,  
My sincere condolences to you and your family. I hope the good  
memories will help you in these difficult times.

Joyce Thomas  
( miss you at Meals on Wheels, Gordon!)

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**Joyce Thomas** - August 02, 2019 at 10:02 AM

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“ Dear Ryan, JoAnn, Kayleen, Anna, Mike, and family,

We are so sorry to hear of Elva's crossing over. We hope that all the  
good works she achieved in her lifetime accompany her where she  
rests. We can only speak of knowing Ryan as a fine young man that  
surely carries some of Elva's traits in his heart. Blessings to all.

Nikki's Aunt and Uncle,  
Nancy Eannace and Mike Viti

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**Nancy Eannace** - August 01, 2019 at 10:11 PM