A Celebration
OF LIFE

APRIL 29, 1944 — SEPTEMBER 29,2026



Laura Eloise Bishop
PEARSON

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2026

JACKSON MORTUARY
1125 E. 13TH ST N.
WICHITA, KANSAS 67214
REV. EARL L. BURKHALTER, PASTOR

Laura Eloise Bishop Pearson







Laura Eloise Bishop-Pearson, affectionately known to family and childhood friends as "Red," passed away peacefully on September 29, 2026 at the age of 82 in Wichita, KS .

Born on April 29, 1944, to the late Mary Alice Bishop and Oscar Bishop Sr., Laura brought warmth, vibrant energy, and enduring devotion to everyone around her. Aunt Eloise loved her family. Throughout her life, Aunt Eloise was known for her generous spirit, deep love for family, and the welcoming presence she shared with everyone who crossed her path. She left North Carolina shortly after her marriage to Edmond Pearson in 1982 and began her life in Wichita, Kansas.

Aunt Eloise was preceded in death by her beloved parents, Mary Alice Bishop and Oscar Bishop Sr.; her husband, Edward Pearson; her dear sister, Mary Alice (Purdy) Umunnah-Edwards, affectionately known as "Spunky"; her brothers, Oscar Bishop Jr. and Willie Dwight Bishop; and her nephew, Anthony Bishop.

She leaves behind a legacy of love and devotion. her stepdaughter, Renea Pearson; her loving nieces and nephews, Jacqueline Sessoms, Keshia Barnette, Laurie Bishop (Maurice), Mia Bishop-Jones (Ron), Rontez Bishop, Roslyn Bishop, Dwayne Bishop Sr., Ike Umunnah Jr., and Tommy Vaughan Sr.; her great-nieces and great-nephews; her great great nieces and great great nephews; her devoted church family and friends.



A life well lived leaves
a legacy that lives on
forever in the hearts of
those who loved you.

Order Of SERVICE



OPENING PRAYER.....REV. EARL L. BURKHALTER

SONG.....SIS MARSHA NORWOOD

REMARKS (2MINS).....FAMILY & FRIENDS

SONG.....BRO. CLIFTON FISHER

VIDEO PRESENTATION

BENEDICTION.....PASTOR BURKHALTER









Wrapped in his Arms

Beneath the vast and endless sky, we gather to honor you. Your journey has reached its end, yet the love we hold for you will forever remain. The moments we shared, the laughter, and the tears are etched in our hearts across the years. Your kindness, your warmth, and your unwavering grace continue to linger in the spaces you've touched.

Though you have stepped beyond the veil, the light of your spirit shines on. It glimmers in the stars, rests gently in the morning dew, and thrives in every heart that cherished you. We mourn your absence and let our tears flow freely, but we find solace knowing you now rest beyond the sky, in tranquil fields of peace and joy.















