

Black Muslims Set Rites for Leader's Wife

Services for Mrs. Clara Muhammad, 72, wife of Elijah Muhammad, Black Muslim leader, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the Temple of Islam, No. 2, 7351 S. Stony Island Av.

Mrs. Muhammad died Saturday in her home at 4847 S. Woodlawn Av. after a long illness.

As a member of the Black Muslim sect, Mrs. Muhammad adhered rigidly to the racially exclusivistic religion her husband has headed since 1934. Their religion renounces alcohol, drugs, tobacco, gambling, and sexual immorality. Muhammad, whose given name was Elijah Poole, is the son of a Baptist preacher and sharecropper in Sandersville, Ga. Mrs. Muhammad held no official position in the Black Muslim church.