

In Loving Memory
of



Ruth
"Red"
Cook

Sunrise
July 25, 1935

Sunset
February 2, 2012

Service

Thursday, February 9, 2012 - 12:00 Noon

CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOMES, INC.

256 Rosa Parks Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Betty Montgomery, Officiating

J.E. Williams, Organist

Reflections of Life

Ruth "Red" Cook was born July 25, 1935 in Camden, SC. She was one of ten children born to the late Robert and Elizabeth Cook.

She was educated in the St. Matthew Elementary School in Kershaw County, SC and Jackson High School in Camden, SC.

Ruth Cook was baptized at an early age, and was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Camden, SC.

Ruth relocated to Paterson, NJ and was employed by Riverside Laundry for many years until her illness got the best of her. Then she was placed in Wayne View Nursing Home until her death.

Ruth was preceded in death by four brothers, Robert, George, James and Haywood Cook; four sisters, Josephine Ingram, Margaret Dow, Blanch Woodhouse and Maude Kelly.

She leaves to cherish fond memories: one sister, Polly Alexander; special friend, Sharon Bivins; devoted nephews, Anthony "Buddy" Ingram and Robert Cook; goddaughter, Cyvonne (Dee Dee) Moore; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, many friends and neighbors.

Order of Service

Prelude J.E. Williams

Processional

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements
and Reflections

Reflections of Life

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Betty Montgomery
Mt. Zion Baptist Church • Paterson, NJ

Recessional



Interment

St. Peter's Cemetery
Garfield, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.*

I could not stay another day.

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much.
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation
the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown
to their family during this hour of bereavement.*

May God Bless and Keep You!

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