

In Loving Memory of

Mack Bruton, Sr.



Sunrise: July 2, 1937
Sunset: January 25, 2016

Service

Friday, January 29, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.

GREATER ZION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

2365 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Obituary

Mack Bruton, Sr. went home to be with his Savior on Saturday, January 25th at 10:15pm. Mack was the oldest child of the late Issac and Estella Bruton of Valdosta, Georgia. He was born on July 2, 1937 in Valdosta, Georgia.

Mack attended South Street Elementary School in Valdosta, Georgia. His family relocated to Harlem, New York in 1953 where he attended Cooper Jr. High. Mack went on to attend Charles Evans Hughes High School in Manhattan. Mack married Aronia Bailey (Baby Sis) in 1973. He worked at Silver Lining in Manhattan as a tailor for many years.

He was a loving and caring individual. The Lord has placed a higher calling upon Mack. He has taken up his wings and has been lifted up on high. When we cry, let them be abundant tears of gratitude, joy and sweet serenity. No more suffering, Mack is now a holy and eternal spirit capable of doing the unimaginable and he knows our hearts. He is closer to us than ever.

Mack leaves to cherish his fond memories: his loving children, Nathaniel Bruton, Gwendolyn Bruton, (predeceased), Terryl Bailey, Mack Bruton, Jr., Vanessa Bruton-Page, Herron Jackson, Latanya Bailey-Dixon and Toccara Bailey; one daughter-in-law, Robin Bruton; two sons-in-law, Robert Dixon and Dana Page; seven brothers and sisters, Ira Bruton (predeceased), Issac Bruton, Estella Nealy, Earlene Williams, Rosemary Edmondson, Fredrick Edmondson and Ovella Steele; grandchildren, Vanessa, Tameka, Kyra, Rochelle, Ryann and Julius; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalms 121:1-8

New Testament - Matthew 5:3-6

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Sharmae Corbett

Remarks

Ovella Steele, Angela Dendy and Yvette Corbett

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery

Linden, New Jersey

The Repast will be held at:

E.M. Moore Houses (Community Room)

160 W. 116 Street (Between Lenox Ave. & Seventh Ave.)



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

A mere thank you would not express our appreciation of your thoughtful and kind expressions of sympathy following the loss of our loved one. May God richly bless you. Love, The Bruton family.

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