

*In Loving Memory*  
*of*  
**George J. Brown**

**Sunrise**  
May 9, 1931

**Sunset**  
May 27, 2016



*Wednesday, June 1, 2016 - 11:00 a.m.*

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**  
1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

# Order of Service

Officiant  
Reverend John C. Arnold Jr.

Prayer of Invocation

Old Testament Reading - Psalm 121 ..... Minister John Livingston

New Testament Reading - John 14:1-6 .... Minister John Livingston

Song of Comfort .....Minister Susu Montgomery

Reflections of Life ..... (2 minutes please)

Obituary and Acknowledgements ..... Karim Tharien Arnold

Selection ..... Minister Susu Montgomery

The Eulogy ..... The Reverend John C. Arnold Jr.  
*Pastor WhoSoEver Will Church CKMI Plainfield, NJ*

Prayer of Comfort ..... The Reverend John C. Arnold Jr.

The Recessional

**INTERMENT**

Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

# Reflections - The Life of George Brown

**George Joseph Brown** was born on May 9, 1931 in Newark, New Jersey to the late Marie Elizabeth Brown. George was educated in the Newark Public School system attending Cleveland Elementary School, and graduated from South Side High School.

As young man, George worked at the Wilcolater Company in Newark, New Jersey for 23 years before retiring from PSEG (Public Service Electric and Gas) after 27 years of service. George, who was a man of diversity, upon retirement worked for the Township of Hillside doing various jobs. He drove a bus for Township Seniors; he served as a school crossing guard, and even worked for a local Florist.

On December 3, 1977, the always dapper and very handsome George married the love of his life, Claudia Arnold. The two of them shared a union that lasted 39 years.

Inseparable, wherever you saw George, you saw Claudia. This Love relationship was robust, and vibrant! This union lasted even through sickness with Claudia remaining faithfully by his side until George transitioned on May 27, 2016.

George is predeceased by his daughter Sharon Epps, and leaves behind a loving wife, Claudia Brown, a daughter Linda, granddaughter Shakeenah Epps, a great grandchild, Abdul Epps, a sister, Marjorie Brown, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

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# Your Smile

Though your smile is gone forever,  
and your hand I cannot touch,  
I still have many memories of  
the one I loved so much.  
Your memory is my keepsake,  
with which I'll never part.  
God has you in His keeping,  
I have you in my heart.  
Sadly missed,  
but never forgotten.

## Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.  
Perhaps you sent a floral piece. If so, we saw it there.  
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.  
Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.  
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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