

*In Loving Memory of*

A portrait of Margaret "Ann" Brown, a woman with short, dark, curly hair, smiling. She is wearing a dark red or maroon top. The portrait is centered and surrounded by large, soft-focus pink flowers, likely peonies, which fill the background of the entire page.

*Margaret "Ann" Brown*

*Sunrise: January 31, 1951*

*Sunset: December 31, 2016*

Service

*Friday, January 6, 2017 - 9:00 a.m.*

**UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.**

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

*Rev. Leslie Segars, Officiating*

*Broon Neal, Organist*

## Obituary

**Margaret Ann Brown**, affectionately known as Ann, was born on January 31, 1951 in Harlem Hospital to the late Willie Brown and Louella Allen-Brown.

Ann was educated in the New York City Public School System at PS 119, Harriett Beecher Stowe Junior High School and Washington Irving High School.

In 1965, Ann met the love of her life, Levern Aaron. Through their union, they conceived three children, Shawn "SB", Andre "Bam-Bam", and Adrienne "Sissy".

Ann began working for NYC CDA provisionally. Soon after, she started working full-time for NYC ACS. For over fifteen years, she helped protect the lives of youth. She worked at ACS until her retirement.

Ann was inspired to help whomever wherever, even if just to offer a few kind words in passing. Not only was Ann the one that had the words of encouragement unbeknownst to her, Ann was the life of the party. There was no standing on the wall or sitting in a corner; she made sure everyone celebrated and had a good time. From the young to the old, if you needed to be uplifted, Ann had the jokes and the smile to do just that.

Ann was preceded in death by husband, Levern and brother, Ronald "Choo-Choo". Ann is survived by: her children; son, Shawn, Sr. and daughter-in-law, Janmarie; son, Andre; daughter, Adrienne and son-in-law, Peter; grandchildren, Shawneeq, Andre, Christopher, George, Armani, Caleab, Shawn, Jr., Hailey, and Khali; great-granddaughter, Skylar; brother, Skeeter; aunts, Dorothy and Francina; nephews, Ronald "Noonie", Donald and Steven; niece, Taurean; great-nieces, Ronisha and Taylor; great nephew, Ronald "Doogie"; and a host of family and extended family and friends.

# *Order of Service*

*Processional*

*Selection*

*Scripture Readings*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Acknowledgements*

*Remarks*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*Eulogy*

*Committal*

*Viewing*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

*Forest Green Memorial Park  
Morganville, New Jersey*

## *I Made It*

I had a hard time but I made it.

There were times in my life  
I couldn't see my way but I made it.

The devil was on my track, he tried  
to turn me back but I made it.

There were times I didn't have a dime but I  
made it.

There were times I was so worried I almost  
lost my mind but I made it. There were  
times I couldn't see my way but I made it.  
In my life I couldn't tell nights from day  
but I made it.

I spent so many sleepless nights; the devil  
gave me a hard fight but thank you Jesus I made it.

There have been times I didn't know what to do, I looked for friends  
and they were few-but I made it

I got weak and Satan caught me off guard, I stepped off track, but I  
found my way back-I made it

Satan took my heart, it was rough, it was tough but through it all,  
thank you Jesus, YES, I made it.

*When you know why you are here and what your God given purpose is, you become virtually unstoppable. You won't be flawless but you'll have the innate power to overcome every obstacle as you go through life. If you get turned around or derailed, God loves you enough to get your attention, correct and redirect you and get you back on track.*

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.  
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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