

Homegoing Service
Celebrating the Life of
Josie Marie Brown

Sunrise
May 4, 1942

Sunset
January 28, 2017



Service

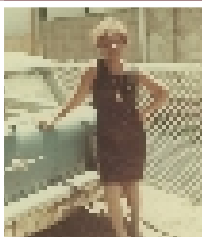
Saturday, February 4, 2017 - 10:00 a.m.

Viewing: 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

THE PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION
ST. ANN'S CHURCH

103 16th Avenue • Newark, NJ 07103

Rev. Josephat Kato Kalema, STD
Officiating



Reflections of Life

Josie Marie Brown was born on May 4, 1942 in Savannah, Georgia to the late Alonza Chaney and Annie Mae Fripp Chaney.

Marie grew up in a large close-knit family and she attended the Public School System in Savannah, Georgia.

After moving to New Jersey, she married Irvin Brown Jr., also from Savannah, Georgia, on April 20, 1962.

This union was blessed with three sons, Irvin D. Brown III, Alfie A. Brown and Darrin A. Brown. She was a loving and devoted mother who brought her family so much joy.

Marie began her career at St. Ann's Community Day Care Center in Newark, NJ as the head chef. She enjoyed cooking and the joy and comfort that it brought to so many people. Especially her babies at the Daycare, until she retired.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Irvin Brown, Jr.; son, Alfie A. Brown; sister, Mildred Farmer and brother, Alonza Chaney.

Her loving memories will be cherished by her sons, Irvin D. (Mary) Brown III of Carteret, NJ and Darrin A. Brown of South Carolina; four sisters, Evelyn D. (Lee) Curry, Margarett Chaney, Deborah Childs, Juanita (Clarence) Outler, all of Savannah, Georgia; five brothers, Michael Chaney and Father Robert E. Chaney, both of Savannah, Georgia; Edward (Deborah) Chaney of Virginia; Ronald Chaney of Jacksonville, Florida; Anthony (Elizabeth) Chaney of Bronx, NY; brothers-in-law, Elder Date Farmer of Savannah, Georgia; three granddaughters, Shakeerah Wilson, Danessa Kinard and Justine Serrano; three grandsons, Irvin Brown IV, Garrett Brown and Davon Barner; four great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

The Mass of the Resurrection

Ms. Josie Brown

FINAL RESPECT FROM THE FAMILY

Shortly before the beginning of the Mass, the Family is invited to view to do the final viewing. The casket is closed immediately after this and Mass, after the reading of the obituary, starts with the appropriate hymn.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

- Gathering Hymn: **“GOD HAS SMILED ON ME”**
- Procession
- Placing of the Pall
- Placing of Christian Symbols
- Beginning of the Mass
- Greetings/Penitential Act
- Invitation to Prayer
- Opening Prayer

LITURGY OF THE WORD

- * First Reading.....**Wisdom 3: 1-9**
 - * Responsorial Psalm.....**Psalm 23**
 - * Gospel Acclamation.....**ALLELUIA**
 - * Gospel Reading.....**Matthew 11:25-30**
- Deacon Justo
- * Homily.....Fr. Josehat Kato Kalema
 - * General Intercession.....Deacon Justo Rodriguez

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

- Offertory Hymn: **“IN THE GARDEN”**
- Preface
- Eucharistic Prayer II
- The Lord’s Prayer
- Sign of Peace
- Lamb of God
- Communion Hymn: **“TASTE AND SEE”**
- Prayer after Communion

FINAL COMMENDATION & FAREWELL

- * Brief Word of Family Member[s]
- * Invitation to Prayer
- * Silence
- * Farewell Hymn: **“He Looked Beyond My Faults”**
- * Sprinkling with Holy Water and Incensation
- * Prayer of Commendation

CONCLUDING RITES

- * Final Blessing
- * Procession to the Place of Committal
- * Recession Hymn.....**“Soon And Very Soon”**

**May the Soul of Ms. Josie Brown
And All the Faithful Departed, Rest in Peace
AMEN!**

Your Special Mom

*It isn't just the thoughtful things you
always do and say,
The loving interest that you show or your
warm and gentle way.
It's all the things about you that make
you what you are,
A Mom to be LOVED and CHERISHED,
The Dearest Mom by far*

From Your Loving Sons

Acknowledgement

The family of Ms. Josie Marie Brown are filled with gratitude for your outpouring expressions of love and concern during the passing of our beloved one. For all of the contributions, visits, calls and food donations- We Thank You! May God continue to richly bless you.

- The Family

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