



## Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown

March 13, 1927 - April 10, 2020

BROWN, Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth - Age 93, passed away Friday, April 10, 2020 at her residence. Mrs. Brown will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed Thursday, April 30, 2020 from 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd.

Mrs. Clarinda R. Brown "Clara" was born March 13, 1927 in Chicago, Illinois, the daughter of William O. and Augretta B. (Shaw) Moton. Clara's family moved to Flint, Michigan three months after her birth. She attended Flint Public Schools and graduated at the age of 65. Clara was employed at Troy Cleaners until retirement. She loved the Lord and her church family, Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle. Clara taught Sunday School for over 30 years and was Youth Coordinator. When she received her license, she also got a Chauffeurs License so she could drive the church van. When she slowed down in the church she joined the Phebian Circle. During her 38 years of marriage to Robert Brown, she leaves to cherish her memories: 4 children, Robert E. (Joan) Jones of Grand Blanc, MI, Verna Jones, Robert L. (Johnnie) Brown, all of Romulus, MI and David L. (Ava Blackmon) Brown of Warren, MI; 15 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; 6 great-great-grandchildren; a host of nieces and nephews including, Lorna Jo Brown Powell (Lee) Fletcher, all of Battle Creek, MI, Albert (Beverly) Holmes of Madison, WI, and Anthony P. Holmes (Venita Hardy) of Flint; a host of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Brown was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Brown; daughter,

Valerie R. Smith; step-daughter, Ms. Janice Willis.

The family would like to express special thanks to Jerome Threlkeld, the Phebian Circle and her favorite C.N.A. from Grace Hospice and Pastor Glen from Grace Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Viewing

APR **30**. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-MOON (6666)  
[lemoonfhflint@gmail.com](mailto:lemoonfhflint@gmail.com)  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Peggy Stribling lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



**Peggy Stribling** - May 01, 2020 at 10:46 AM



“ *Michele Kirksey Parker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



**Michele Kirksey Parker** - April 20, 2020 at 09:48 PM



“ *Condolences for the family so sorry for your loss 🙏*

**Dennie Caldwell** - April 20, 2020 at 05:49 PM

WH

“ Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Wanda Harrison - April 17, 2020 at 08:21 AM

DD

“ Dee Dee Drake lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Dee Dee Drake - April 15, 2020 at 07:38 PM

CC

“ Clarence And Bettina Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Clarence and Bettina Campbell - April 15, 2020 at 06:15 PM

IH

“ Iris J. Hare lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Iris J. Hare - April 15, 2020 at 03:17 PM

NJ

“ Mrs. Clara was my Mom Evergene Luckado, childhood friend, such a nice, sweet Lady she will be missed. My prayers to her family. Love you all. Nancine.



Nancine Jackson - April 14, 2020 at 05:31 PM

BW

“ Barbara Morris Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Barbara Morris Wright - April 14, 2020 at 03:11 PM

MP

“ Mrs. Carmen Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Mrs. Carmen Patterson - April 14, 2020 at 01:14 PM

PS

“ Peggy Stribling lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown



Peggy Stribling - April 14, 2020 at 03:06 AM

IH

“ *Ida Harkless-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



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**Ida Harkless-Gibson** - April 13, 2020 at 08:42 PM

CH

“ *Rest Angel. I enjoy u at church and taking u home. Be bless. Hartfield family*



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**Cheryl. Hartfield** - April 13, 2020 at 06:16 PM

JG

“ *Janice Green-Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



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**Janice Green-Williams** - April 13, 2020 at 05:03 PM

IH

“ *Iris J. Hare lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



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**Iris J. Hare** - April 13, 2020 at 03:00 PM

SL

“ *Shawnta Lilly lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Clarinda "Clara" Ruth Brown*



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**Shawnta Lilly** - April 13, 2020 at 01:18 PM