



Willie Brown

May 2, 1937 - November 13, 2008

BROWN, Mrs. Willie Ruth (Owens) - made her transition from this earthly life Thursday, November 13, 2008 at her residence. Family hour 12Noon Tuesday, November 18, 2008 at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, 1083 E. Stewart Ave., with funeral service commencing at 1PM, Pastor Lewis Randolph officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 12Noon Tuesday. Mrs. Brown will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12Noon-8PM Monday. Mrs. Brown leaves to cherish her memories: 2 daughters, Cassandra Portia Barksdale of Pontiac, MI and Bridget (Joey) Edwards; son, Anthony (Debbie) Brown all of Flint; 6 grandchildren, Mona Brown, FreddieMae Brown, Catryna Brown, Freddie Brown, Hannibal Brown and Toi Creel; 3 great-grandchildren, Jaylyn Nichols, Maliyah Nichols and Janiyah Brown; sister, Dorothy L. Goodlow of Tulsa, OK; god-daughter, Bange Henderson, all of Flint, MI; a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, dear and caring friends including her Best Friend Forever (BFF), Celia Mae Richard of El Dorado, AR. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the American Lung Association in memory of W. Ruth Brown.

Tribute Wall



“ *Willie Brown*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *I would like to express my feelings to the Brown family and send my condolences. May god be with u all. R.I.P Ms. Willie Ruth Brown*

LaToya Deloney - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bridget, as your mother enters the gates of heaven, may God gentle peace comfort your heart. In Sympathy, Peace Be*

gloria Jackson-Jenkins - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *My prayers are with the family during this time of transition.*

Jeffrey LaValley - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Portia, Bridgit and Tony, You know we go a long way back. Your mom was one special person to me. She was so caring and concerned about me and my daughter as well as my mom. I will miss her so much. Stay encouraged and first and for most "Stay under the Blood" of Jesus.*

Love you all

Freda

Freda Ratliff-Williams - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ *Portia, Bridgett and Tony*

I loved your mother very much as you will recall. You have my sincere condolences for loss.

although I haven't seen any of you all for many years, you were not forgotten.

I will always remember my momma Ruth.

May God Bless You All

Darlene Jones

Darlene Jones - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *To the family of Ruth Brown, I worked with your mom for 3 years while going to college. I heard lots of things about her children. She was very helpful in being a listening ear to me and giving me advice when I needed it most. She was a great lady, friend, and mom. I know that she is singing with the Lord.*

" I'll fly away"

God's blessings on you all.

Leslie Randall - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ To Portia, Bridget and Tony, I will truly miss your mother. She was a good friend to me. Always concerned about me and my family. She was such a motivator. She always encouraged me and made me feel good about doing God's work. Growing up and watching your mom had a positive influence in my life. Ms Brown always made sure I knew she loved me "unconditionally". I loved exchanging emails with your mom.

Love Always

"Unconditionally"

Sheila

Sheila Johnson-Toins - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM