

<u>Obituary</u>

Grace Evelyn Green Brown was born on August 6, 1917 to Matilda Burke Green and Frederick Green in New York City. She was the seond oldest of four girls.

As a child she attended P.S. 157 and 136. She graduated from Haaren High School and at the age of 73, she received her Bachelor of Arts from Queens College.

On August 2, 1942, she married Raymond M. Brown. This union produced two children, Vincent Cordell and Frederica Gail.

In 1942, Grace began her long tenure with the U.S. Postal Service. She retired in November of 1982 after thirty-eight years of service.

She spent much of he retirement traveling with her husband and being involved with her grandchildren and shopping!

Grace loved to read and was not happy without a book. She often reminisced about exciting trips in New York to the library with her sisters. Beginning in her teen years, Grace enjoyed her gift for poetry writing some sixty poems over the years.

She will be greatly missed and leaves to mourn: a son, Vincent Cordell; a daughter, Fredrica Gail; four grandchildren, Jenelle Daria, J. Sterling, Tanner Olu and Louisa Ajabu; and a host of extended family and friends.

True Love

I've nothing much to give you on this auspicious day Naught else have I to offer except my love so true I know it seems a small thing after all you've done for me But darling please accept this compliment from me. I'll take it from its hiding place where it has lain so long I'll wrap it up in shining stars and bind it with a song And then I'll box it tenderly so handle it with care This gift now in your keeping to cherish year on year And if it in some measure conveys to you my dear The depth of my affection, how very much I care. I'll feel that I have given much much more than wealth can buy For true love mellows with the years, and grows, it never dies.

<u>Outline of the Rite</u>

Introductory Rites Greeeting Sprinkling with Holy Water Musical Selection - Brother Crocket Invitation to Prayer Opening Prayer

Liturgy of the Word Readings First Reading - Responsorial Psalm Second Reading - Gospel Eulogy/Homily General Intercessions The Lord's Prayer

Final Commendation Invitation to Prayer Silence Musical Selection Prayer of Commendation Processional Selection Procession and Final Viewing

<u>Interment</u>

Maple Grove Cemetery Hackensack, New Jersey



May It Rest In Peace

I've laid away my weary past In lavender and laces fire; No more to hear its phrases o'er As twilight's many shadows fade, There too are laid in stately grace Sweet childhood dreams, so white so chaste I love to think they've found a place In which they play or fairy games And gambol o'er a pleasant sea But now and then again I think. That they might lonely be, So now to bear them company, This aged past to them I send; There to reside in shady streams, Companion to a few stray dreams. And lest I miss my buried past And grieve in sorrow, than at last I'll pluck life's hollow reed anew And write my future then, for you

> April 5, 1937 By Grace E. Green

Acknowledgement

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

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