



*Homegoing Service
Celebrating the Life
of*

Sunrise

October 1, 1922

Sunset

January 24, 2012

Mildred Burns

Service

Saturday, January 28, 2012 - 9:30 a.m.

Mt. Zion Unified Freewill Baptist Church

47 Beaver Street

North Edison, New Jersey

Bishop C. Nathan Edwers, Pastor

Life Reflections

Mildred Burns was born on October 1, 1922 in Elkhorn, West Virginia, to the late Grace and McKinley Haskins. She was a resident of North Edison Gardens. Mildred was very active in the community. She was President of the tenant association for thirty years and did a lot of community service.

Mrs. Burns had been employed as a Dietician at Muhlenburg Hospital in Plainfield, New Jersey for ten years before she retired.

She was a former member of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Edison, New Jersey.

Mildred Burns departed this life on Wednesday, January 25, 2012 at her North Edison home at the age of 89. She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Burns, two daughters, Barbara Ann and Jeanette Burns, one sister, Mary Haskins, one brother-in-law, John Drew, three nieces, Barbara Haskins, Toni Drew, Stephanie Haskins, two granddaughters, Shawn Brookins and Lakeisha Burns.

Mildred leaves to cherish her memories, her children, Henrietta, Hattie, Shirley, Billy, Nadine, Tommy, Kathryn, Marilyn, Etta and Carol (Tyroné); one sister, Julia Drew; one brother, Clarence Haskins; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren; three nieces, Sheryl, Michelle and Renee; two nephews, John Drew, Jr. and Michael James; cousins, other relatives and friends.

As the sun begins to set
And the day comes to an end,
Precious memories of your life
We will cherish so deep within.

Your life was an inspiration
You touched so many lives,
And we're truly going to miss you
Through all the tears we cry.

But joy comes in the morning
Just to know you're at Heavenly rest,
With God and all His angels,
Because you were the very best.

Lovingly and Sorrowfully,
The Family

Order Of Service

Processional

Selection “I’ll Fly Away”

Prayer of Comfort Elder Arthur L. Jenkins, Sr.

Scriptures

Old Testament - Psalms 90:1-12

New Testament - 1st Corinthians 15:51-58

Solo Ms. LaTosha Burns

Words of Comfort Elder Arthur L. Jenkins, Sr.

Acknowledgements Ms. Amber McLeod

Obituary Mrs. Rayshell Koroma

Solo Elder Andrew White

Eulogy Bishop C. Nathan Edwers

Recessional

Interment
Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey

Repat:

Robert Holmes Community Center
Rev. Samuel Carpenter Blvd., Edison, NJ 08820

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Pallbearers

Grandsons and Great Grandsons

Bernard Brookins, Jr.

Bryan Brookins

Timothy Williams

Anthony Burns

Paul McCleary

Dion Smith

*God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be
So he put his arms around you
And whispered, "Come to Me."
With tearful eyes we watched you,
And saw you pass away,
Although we loved you deeply
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating
Hard working hands at rest
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
He only takes the best!*

*In Loving Memory,
Mildred Burns*

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with sincere appreciation all kind deeds and expressions of sympathy extended to them during this period of bereavement.