

Homegoing Celebration for



Joseph Brunson, Sr.

Sunrise
June 23, 1940

Sunset
October 5, 2014

Service

Thursday, October 16, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church

*400 Arlington Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey 07304*

Reflections of Life

Joseph Brunson, Sr. affectionately known as “Joe” departed this life on October 5th, 2014 at Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, VA. He was seventy-four years old.

Joseph was born on June 20th, 1940 to the late Flander and Fannie Brunson in Andrews, SC.

Joseph was educated in the South Carolina School system and attended Andrews High School in Andrews, SC.

He later met and married the former Hazel Cobb.

Joseph was employed by Owens Illinois where he worked for many years before retiring. “Joe” enjoyed his job, and attending Sunday church services. He was known for his humorous personality and his love for his family especially his children.

Joseph is survived by his wife, Hazel; his children, Barbara (Darren), Joseph, Jr., Edna Prena (Wilfredo) and Helena (David); thirteen grandchildren; his siblings, Alan, Abraham (Ernestine), Flanders (Mary Ann), Thelma and Melvin; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his siblings, Beatrice, James (Shirley), Robert (Ernestine), Susie, Seymour and a special friend the late Vivian Valencia. “Joe” will most certainly be missed.

Order of Service

Open Prelude

Processional

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament

Selection

Obituary

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Eulogy

Final Viewing

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.*

I could not stay another day.

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

-author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with sincere appreciation the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy extended to them in time of sorrow. Your prayers, visits, telephone calls and other acts of thoughtfulness will be greatly remembered. We pray that blessings will continuously be bestowed upon you.



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