

Celebrating the Life of
Ruth Mae Powell



Sunrise
August 2, 1927

Sunset
May 18, 2017

Service

Thursday, May 25, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

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Order of Service

Organ Prelude

*Processional
Clergy and Family*

Invocation

*Scripture Reading
Old Testament
New Testament*

Selection

Acknowledgements

Reflections

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Benediction

Committal

Final Viewing

Recessional

Interment

*Rosehill Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey*

Reflections of Life

Ruth Mae Powell was born in Macon County, Tuskegee, Alabama to John Breedlove Powell and Annie Mae Green.

At an early age, she became a member of St. Marks Baptist Church under the Reverend Purrit. She was an Usher and part of the Sunday School in Tuskegee. Also at an early age she moved to New York City and became a member of the Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church on Prospect Avenue under Reverend Adel Green where she was a Sunday School Teacher and President of the Pastors Aide Club.

In 1981, she joined the Gospel Hill Baptist Church under the direction of Reverend Walker. In 1990, she served for four years as the Superintendent of Gospel Hill Sunday School, resigning in 1994. She also served as Treasurer of the Hospitality Club.

In 1979, she married the late Parks Milton Lowe.

She leaves to mourn her passing one sister, Edith Kennon; sisters-in-law, Joyce, Addison Kennon; four nieces, Katmia Powell, Kwan Powell, Kimberly Powell and Kenya Powell; two nephews, Ronald, Jr., and Patrick Powell; her dear friend Jessie Champion; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their deepest appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them in their time of sorrow.

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