# In Loving Memory of Evans Brown, Jr.

Sunrise: December 9, 1941 Sunset: August 22, 2019

Service Friday, August 30, 2019 - 10:00 a.m. UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC. 2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027 Rev. Lee Arrington, Officiating Broon Neal, Organist

## <u>Obituary</u>



Evans Brown, Jr. known as "Butch" was born to the union of the late Dorothy "Mommie" Brown and Evans "Daddy" Brown, Sr. in New York City. Butch went home to be with the Lord on August 22, 2019.

Evans was educated in the New York City Public School System. He worked odd jobs such as painting and cleaning houses and apartments. He later went into

business and opened up his own laundry mat and retired from there.



Evans was a down to earth person, but not a man of many words. He loved his family and friends. He was known for baking pies and making good candy yams. He was very active in his younger years and loved playing cards. He also loved traveling with his family.

Evans is predeceased by his sisters, Lucille Carringham and Loretta Brown; son, Richard; firstborn granddaughter, Keosha. He leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Sandra Brown; children, Linda, Kenneth (known as "Kill"), Sheila and Dorothy; sister, "Laura Brown Simmons"; grandchildren, "Little Kenneth", Sharday, Sammy, Jakilla, Kael and Treasure; special granddaughter, Samantha; nieces, Renee and Robin; nephew, William; special nephew, Robert; aunt, Lillie Mae; eight great grandchildren; sisters-in-law, Linda and Larry Mars, Charles and Cora Sandidge; and a host of great great nieces and nephews, cousins and friends.

#### DAD

Not a day passes by, Dad that you don't cross my mind. Not all of you departed when you left our earth behind.

In my heart there is a place that only you can hold. Filled with loving memories more priceless than gold.

I know you still hear me Dad so please know this is true That everything I am today is all because of YOU.

~Toni Kane

### Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

*Obituary* Shauntaye McKelvin

Selection

Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

### <u>Interment</u>

George Washington Memorial Park Paramus, New Jersey A quote from Maya Angelo "My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive; and to do so with some passion, some compassion, some humor, and some style."



#### YOU NEVER SAID GOODBYE

You never said I'm leaving, You never said goodbye. You were gone before I knew it, And only God knew why. A million times I needed you, A million times I cried. If love alone could have saved you, You never would have died. In life I loved you dearly, In death I love you still. In my heart you hold a place, That no one could ever fill. It broke my heart to lose you, But you didn't go alone. For part of me went with you, The day God took you home. ~ Author Unknown

#### Acknowledgement

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

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