

*Home Going Service*



*Darryl B. Throuwer*

**Sunrise**  
**November 18, 1962**

**Sunset**  
**October 16, 2021**

**Service:**  
**Friday, October 22, 2021 - 11:00 am**

**Gethsemane Missionary Baptist Church**  
**771 Fairmount Avenue • Bronx, New York**

# Obituary

On October 16, 2021, **Darryl Bruce Thrower** departed. He was born to Patricia & Willie Thrower November 18, 1962.

His childhood was filled with love from his mother, father & 2 siblings. He was the middle of 3 children, older sister Cheri & younger brother Barry. He later adopted his sister's son as his youngest brother when his sister passed away.

He loved to draw. Art was his first love. His creativity was second to none. His home & schoolbooks were filled with his artwork. From drawing to painting, he did it all.

He graduated from Wingate HS. As he progressed into the workforce, he fell in love with cooking. He went to the NY culinary institute. Anyone who's had his collard greens can attest to his skills! He later took his skills to the Bowery Mission Men's Shelter. There he started as a chef & worked his way to a supervisory position where he was much loved.

He also turned his life over to God. As a dedicated servant of the Lord, he went on become a member of the choir. He shared his culinary gifts with the congregation, cooking special occasions or whenever needed. His dedication was rewarded as he was offered the position of Deacon in training. He politely declined because as we know, if he couldn't dedicate himself 100% to something, he wouldn't do it.

Most of all, He loved his family. He loved his wife Patty more than anything else. From when they met in 1988, they were inseparable. Tiger, as he affectionately called her, was his everything. She was his sun in the morning & his stars in the evening. He absolutely loved his Tiger. They were married July 21, 2001. Whatever she wanted or needed, he did whatever he could to get it for her.

He spent his last few breaths doing what he loved doing, making sure she was well.

He was preceded in death by his mother Patricia Thrower, sister Cheri Thrower & son David Scurlock.

He is survived by his loving wife, Patty, father Willie, mother in law Betty Shelton, his son Justin, 2 grandsons Devon & Jayce, his brothers Barry & Rasean, sister-in-law Teresa, sister in law Versalle Shelton, brother in law James Eubanks, nephew Tariq Baker, nieces Regan Thrower & MyAsia Williams, God Children, Jayvien Robinson, Jaylan Homes, Simone Homes & Stassie Harris, as well as a whole host of friends & family who loved him dearly.

# Order of Service

Presiding.....Pastor, Rev. Dr. Torrence Robinson of GMBC  
Prelude.....Richard Tolbert  
Processional..... Clergy and Family  
Invocation..... .Rev. Dr. Torrence Robinson  
Opening Hymn..... ."Hold to God's Unchanging Hands"  
Scripture Readings  
Old Testament - Psalm 23.....Rev. Hazel Robinson-Tolbert  
New Testament - 1 Corinthians 15:51-53.. Rev. Dr. Marilyn Oliver  
Prayer of Comfort.....Deacon Margaret Shivers,  
Chair of Deacon's Ministry  
Solo....."I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"  
Sis. Deborah Kay Mizell  
Reading of cards and the Obituary.....Deacon Elizabeth Gadson  
Reflections (2 minutes Please) .....Family  
Solo..... "The Battle Is Not Yours"  
Sis. Jada Thorpe-Burkes  
The Eulogy.....Rev. Dr. Torrence Robinson  
Benediction  
Final Remarks.....Funeral Director  
Recession....."Soon and Very Soon"  
GMBC Mass Choir

Interment  
Laurel Grove Cemetery  
Totowa, New Jersey

# *The Master Called*

I'm sorry I had to leave you.  
My loved ones, oh so dear.  
But you see, the Master called me,  
His voice was very clear!  
I had made my reservation  
A heaven bound ticket for one,  
And I knew that He would call me  
When He felt my work was done.  
I know that your hearts are heavy  
Because I have gone away,  
But when the Master called me,  
I knew that I could not stay.  
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you  
My loved ones, oh so dear,  
But, you see, the Master called me  
And, now I'm resting here.  
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory  
And to you all I say  
Just stay in the hands of Jesus  
And we'll meet again someday.  
-Author unknown

## *Acknowledgments*

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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