## HOMEGOING SERVICE

Mother Clara M. Blount

Sunrise December 30, 1942 February 8, 2023

Sunset

2 Timothy 4:7-8 "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing."

Wednesday, February 15, 2023 • 10:00 a.m.

**Mt. Tabor Baptist Church** 115 Lexington Avenue • Brooklyn, New York 11238 **Reverend Charles E. Slade III, Pastor** 

Obituary

Mother Clara Mae Blount of Brooklyn, New York was granted her angel wings on February 8, 2023. Clara Mae was born December 30, 1942 in North Carolina to Lonnie and Viola Blount. She later grew, attending and graduating from high school. Afterward, Clara moved to New York City beginning the next chapter of her life. Clara worked many jobs, becoming gainfully employed providing for herself and son. As she matured, so did her spirituality. She accepted Christ into her life at a very young age.

Clara's love for people, and the things of God were outwardly visible. She encouraged many to follow the principles of hope, faith, and charity. Because of her life, many in her orbit would later come to know God and trust him. On her Christian journey, Clara later joined and became a devout member of the formerly incorporated Alpha and Omega Ministries of Deliverance, Brooklyn, New York 11216. Her commitment to God, and family remained steadfast and unwavering.

She was known to enjoy Coney Island, the boardwalk, and eating White Castle fish burgers. Clara had the ability to light up any room with her creative facial expressions, a smirk, a smile, raising her eyebrows (sometimes shaking her fist in humor) often displaying a gentle, and surprised look. Her sense of fashion was enhanced by her daughter-in-law and son's ability to keep her looking fabulous. In the late 90s, Clara became ill and would later face medical challenges. Despite these woes, she rested on God, remaining strong and fighting the good fight of faith until the end. She was indeed a woman of God and a warrior.

She leaves behind to mourn her only son Van Lee Blount and his beloved wife Cynthia Blount. Her grandchildren Van Jay Blount and Vincent Blount. Great grandchildren Jaslyn Blount, Jayla Blount, Jaylen Blount, and Aaliyah Blount. Her brothers James Blount, Benny Lee Blount, sisters Gertrude Corbett, Olivia Daniels, her Goddaughter Sharell Blount, a host of nieces, nephews, family, and friends. Clara also leaves behind many wonderful caregivers that provided love and support to enhance his quality of life. Clara's grandson Cavin Kashawn Blount, sisters Arnetta Johnson, Vivian Morris, Lonnie Blount, Jr., Joseph Glen Blount, and Jimmy Blount preceded her in death.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	
ProcessionalReverend Heath RWDC Sen	her Blount (Subera) ior Pastor/Founder
Opening Prayer Pastor O	livia Daniels, LAM
Scripture Reading Old Testament (Psalm 121)Rever <i>RWD</i> New Testament (Romans 14:7-9)	OC Associate Pastor
Prayer of Comfort	Mother Lois Credle
Musical SelectionRev RWI	erend Tarajee Little DC Assistant Pastor
Obituary	Bro. Vincent Blount
Musical SelectionRev RWI	erend Tarajee Little DC Assistant Pastor
EulogyReverend Heath RWDC Sen	her Blount (Subera) ior Pastor/Founder
Resolutions/AcknowledgementRever	end Sandra Thomas <i>OC Associate Pastor</i>

Expressions (2-3 minutes per person)

Recessional

Interment

Forest Green Park Cemetery 535 Texas Road Morganville, NJ 07751

<u>Repast</u>

115 Lexington Avenue Brooklyn, New York 11238 Time 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

## Broken Chain

We knew little that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone; for part of us went with you the day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide, and though we cannot see you, you are always by our side. Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same, but as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

## Hcknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

> Special Thanks to Reverend Charles E. Slade III Mt. Tabor Baptist Church Fairhaven Memorial RWDC Ministries, Inc,

## Final Arrangements Entrusted to: Fairhaven Memorial Chapel LLC

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