

*Pall Bearers ~ Floral Bearers*

*Family & Friends*



*Michael's Memories*

*Aunt Ruth is her name to me. She was the loving aunt who was a good second mother to me and my brother, Basil. I love the family with unparalleled; and the kindness she had for her community will never be forgotten. Aunt Ruth as many children whose lives she positively impacted to this day...we are taking of Ruth Brown moment. We will all celebrate the life you lead and the example of a faithful godly woman, who will not be forgotten.*

*A Note of Thanks & Appreciation*

*The family of the late Ruthamae Cray-Brown, extend their sincere appreciation to their many family members, friends, neighbors and extended family for their prayers, expressions of sympathy, and love shown during this time of bereavement.*

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*Home Going Celebration*  
*for*  
*Ruthamae Cray-Brown*

*Sunrise*  
*September 25, 1929*

*Sunset*  
*March 4, 2015*



*"Brownie"*

*Life Celebration*  
*Friday, March 13, 2015 ~ 11:00 A. M.*  
*Viewing: 9:00 A.M. ~ 11:00 A.M.*

*46th Street Baptist Church*  
*1261 South 46th Street*  
*(46th & Woodland Avenue)*  
*Philadelphia, PA 19143*

*Rev. Theophilus Wright, D.D. Pastor*



## Life Reflection of Ruthamae Cray-Brown

Ruthamae "Brownie" Cray-Brown was born in Bainbridge, Georgia on September 25, 1929. She was the second of six children born to John Henry and Christine Cray.

She was educated in the Darby school system. Upon completing her education she worked several years for the Cutler Egg Factory.

"Brownie" as she was affectionately called had a love for children. It is for this reason she opened a day care center which was in operation for over twenty years, until illness forced her to retire.

Ruthamae met and married Charles Howard Brown. She had two children: Shirley Ann and Irving. Charlie, Shirley Ann and Irving preceded her in death.

She joined 46th Street Baptist Church February 24, 1980 and was a member for thirty-five years where she served on the usher board. She was also a longtime member of the Star Harbour Center.

To know "Brownie" was to love her. She was fun loving with a big heart. She was a great daughter, sister, mother, grandmother, aunt, cousin, friend and confidant. Brownie loved to be around children and they loved being around her. She had a passion for cooking and making people feel welcome.

Ruthamae leaves to cherish her memory, three sisters: JoAnne, Gloria and Betty; one sister-in-law, Dorothy (Roosevelt, deceased brother); four grandchildren: Irving, Cookie, Charles and Yolanda; two daughters-in-law: Edith and Dora; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Ruthamae also leaves to cherish her memory, special friend, Earl Roberts.

Prayerfully & Lovingly Submitted, The Family



## Order of Service

*Musical Prelude*

*Processional ~ Minister & Family*

*Final Viewing, Closing of the Bier / Claude J. Edney, F. H. Staff*

*Hymn of Praise ~ "Blessed Assurance" pg 27*

*Scripture Lessons*

*Old Testament: Psalm 23*

*New Testament: John 14:1-6*

*Prayer of Comfort ~ Rev. Sylvia Diggs*

*Selection ~ 46th Street Church Choir*

*Acknowledgment of Cards & Resolutions ~ Church Secretary*

*Poems, Tributes & Remarks ~ (2 min. **Limit Respectfully**); Family & Friends*

*Solo / Selection ~ Choir*

*Life Reflection Reading (Obituary) ~ Church Secretary*

*Selection ~ 46th Street Church Choir*

*Message of Faith (Eulogy) ~ Rev. Theophilus Wright, D.D. Pastor*

*Benediction / Recessional*

**INTERMENT**

*Mt. Lawn Cemetery*

*Darby Township, PA*