

We Had a Wonderful Mother

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We had a wonderful mother,
One who never really grew old;
Her smile was made of sunshine,
And her heart was solid gold;
Her eyes were as bright as shining stars,
And in her cheeks fair roses you see.
We had a wonderful mother,
And that's the way it will always be.
But take heed, because
She's still keeping an eye on all of us,
So let's make sure
She will like what she sees.



Acknowledgement

Thank you to everyone who whispered a prayer, shared words of encouragement, or simply kept us in your thoughts since the homegoing of our loved one.

The Family



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Homegoing Celebration *for*

Ms. Minnie Ruth Brown



Thursday, June 25, 2020

10:00 AM

**Piedmont Memorial Gardens
3663 Piedmont Memorial Drive
Winston-Salem, North Carolina**

**Dr. Valerie Tate-Everett, Officiant
Dr. Ronald P. Davis, Eulogist**

Obituary

²¹ His lord said unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. Matthew 25:21

Ms. Minnie Ruth Brown, age 84, of Winston-Salem, NC passed away Monday, June 22, 2020. She was born in Clemmons, NC to Lillian Wharton Brown and Samuel Brown. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by daughter, Sandra Kay Miller, brother Samuel S. Brown and sisters, Maggie Ferguson, Joanne Jones and Eva B. Watson.

Minnie was very proud to have obtained her CNA license which allowed her to work many years as a private duty nurse assistant. She loved caring for people. She served dutifully as president of the Pastors Aide Board for many years.

A member of St. John CME Church for more than 35 years, she was choir member and soloist for several choirs. For many years she served on the Nurses and Stewardess Boards. Minnie was known to be a fantastic cook and many enjoyed meals she prepared. Her specialties were peach and chicken pot pies.

She is survived by sons, Olin Watson Jr., Dr. Kenneth Watson; her sisters, Argie Wortham, Carolyn (Fred) Valentine; brother-in-law, William Watson; 8 grandchildren; 26 great grandchildren; 6 great great grandchildren; and many loving nieces and nephews.



Order of Service

Officiant

Dr. Valerie Tate-Everett,
Pastor, St. John CME Church

Eulogist

Dr. Ronald P. Davis,
Former Pastor, St. John CME Church

Selection

The Gathered

Prayer

Reverend Dr. Tate-Everett

Old and New Testament Scriptures

Pastor Dwight Bryant
Kentuck Missionary Baptist Church

Words of Gratitude and Thanksgiving

Kenneth Watson, J.D., Ph.D

Reflections

Mrs. Edith George

Solo

Mrs. Lillian Thompson

Eulogy

Dr. Ronald P. Davis

Committal

Dr. Tate-Everett
Dr. Davis

Benediction