



Isaac R. Brown Sr.

January 19, 1919 - May 18, 2018

Isaac Brown, Sr., was born in Pendleton, South Carolina on January 19, 1919 and departed this life on May 18, 2018. Isaac was the youngest son of the late Clotell Scott Brown and Frank Brown Sr. he was the grandson of the late Joseph and Amanda Brown and William James Scott, I and Louise Hallums Scott. Isaac was the youngest of five siblings; Lucille Brown Cherry (October 1912- January 1999), Joe Henry Brown, Frank Brown Jr. (December 1915- December 2009) and Monroe Brown (September 1917- June 1973). Isaac attended Anderson County Public Schools in South Carolina. After graduating, Isaac enrolled in Immanuel College in Greensboro, NC where he studied for the ministry until 1942, at which time he was drafted into the U.S. Navy. Isaac served as a chef in the U.S. Navy until 1944, and was honorably discharged. In 1943, Isaac married Deloris Thom, who preceded him in death.

In 1949 Isaac returned to school at Lutheran College in Greensboro, NC to continue his education for the ministry. During this time, Isaac also delivered newspapers to work his way through school. Isaac later moved to Baltimore, MD where he was trained in television repair and worked in the field for many years, even after he took on a permanent position with Baltimore Gas and Electric (BG&E), from which he retired in 1985.

In July 1957 Isaac married Pearline Rich, who preceded him in death. Isaac remained active in his church serving the Lord and also in his community. He

was a faithful member of the Shepherd's Heart Missionary Baptist Church in Baltimore, Md where he enjoyed singing with the choir and participated in other activities and events.

Isaac was always a very active person. He loved to travel and was a fan of the Baltimore Orioles, of which he was not to be interrupted if he was watching the game.

While Isaac was always a petite man in physical size, his heart and spirit was that of a Giant He was an amazing man that didn't always say much, but showed who he was by action; he gave when he saw there was a need. Many affectionately called him. "Uncle Ike" and "Daddy" .No matter where or how far he went in his life, he never hesitated to turn back and extend a helping hand, especially for family and those close to him, which was especially evident in the supportive relationship he held with mother. Isaac saw a value in many people and many things that many others didn't see, he was a giving man.

Throughout his life, Isaac helped and assisted many people. He was well known to spend time with and take care of elders, the sick and even homeless animals. He worked closely with well known B. Gaddy in Baltimore to provide resources for his community. Isaac also worked with Billy Graham during the early stages of his ministry in North Carolina. At one point Isaac adopted twin brothers, James and Jeremy long after the loss of their parents.

He actually saved the family property located in South Carolina in the early 1950's from being seized by the state so it would remain.
as a legacy of the Brown family to this day.

Isaac leaves to cherish his memory, 5 children; Myrtle Townsend (Elwood, deceased), Isaac Brown, Jr. (Barbara), Lawrence Bradley (Sandy), Benjamin Brown (Helen), and Cornell Brown (Laverne), 15 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren, 3 great-great grandchildren, and a host of great nieces,

nephews, cousins and friends. In addition to his family, it would be remiss not to acknowledge Chinita Long, Thomas Craig and Rose Marie, for the personal assistance and support they provided Isaac over the years, they had an amazing bond and closeness with Isaac.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

517 E. 233rd Street
Bronx, NY 10470

Previous Events

viewing

MAY 30. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

MAY 30. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

MAY 31. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Sheppard Heart Mission Baptist
5405 York Rd./Woodbine
balto., MD

Service

MAY 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

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balto., MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Isaac R. Brown Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Shawnetta Nelson lit a candle in memory of Isaac R. Brown Sr.*



Shawnetta Nelson - June 19, 2018 at 11:23 PM



“ *With deepest sympathy---HE was a GOOD man---and will be truly missed*

Love to all,

Pam & Chief

Pam Long - May 31, 2018 at 02:35 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - May 23, 2018 at 05:48 PM