



## John Brown

October 14, 1925 - August 1, 2004

John Brown, beloved son of Basil and Elnora Brown was born on October 14, 1925 in Baltimore, Maryland. One of nine children, he was brought up in a Christian home environment and learned at an early age the beauty and wisdom of walking with the Lord, things he later taught his own children. He was educated in Baltimore City Public Schools and later employed by Bethlehem Steel at Sparrows Point, where he remained for more that 30 years until his retirement. In 1946 he was joined in holy matrimony to the late Daisy Mae (Price) (who preceded him in death on September 28, 1987). From this beautiful union of 41 years, they were blessed with four sons. One son, Willie, preceded him in death. In the 1950's Daisy Mae joined First Apostolic Faith Church under the leadership of the late Bishop Winfield Showell. Shortly thereafter, John Brown accepted Christ at the same church. In the early 1960's Elder John Brown was commissioned as Elder in The Holy Tabernacle of God, headquartered in Columbus, Ohio and served as Assistant Pastor under the leadership of Bishop John L. Cobb. In 1965 Elder Brown founded Miracle Tabernacle of God, where he faithfully served his congregation, his family and his neighbors. Under his leadership, the Word of God was preached mightily and many souls have been led to Christ. Considered the elder statesman of the family. Elder Brown's compassionate leadership has been a blessing to family and acquaintances. He could always be looked to for spiritual guidance and wise counsel from the Word of God. He was never too busy for those in need, often reaching into his own pockets to help. He was a warm, friendly

person, one who could light up a room with his thunderous voice and gentle presence. In 2003, he married his best friend of eight years, the former Brenda D. Jones-Jerome. The love they shared made them inseparable even while struggling with his illness. Speaking of their bond, he quoted scripture, “Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and obtainedth favour of the Lord” (Prov. 18:22). They often laughed about a close friend’s remark; “She won’t let Rev. Brown out of her sight”. A strong-willed woman with a deep love for Christ, she vows to continue the work her husband started. On Sunday, August 1, 2004 Elder John Brown peacefully departed this life for a better home. His departure epitomized one of his favorite scriptures, “I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at the day: (II Timothy 4:7,8) He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted wife, Brenda; three sons, Thomas Raymond and Halcon; 7 grand-children, 13 great-grandchildren, one brother, Freddie Brown; one sister, Mamie Johnson; four daughters-in-law; Brenda, Loretta, Geraldine and Leola; two brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives, friends and church family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Brown*

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ *John Brown*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. 2Corinthian 1:3-4##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##*

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“ *Hello Family & Friends, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I am offering my condolences. The scriptures can be of great comfort to us all. I am reminded of the scripture at Revelation 21:3,4 where Almighty God says that he is going to wipe the tears from our eyes and death will be no more neither will mourning nor crying nor pain be any more. May you be comforted by this scripture.##imported-begin##Sophia Briscoe##imported-end##*

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“ To the Brown Family. The richness of the human experience is in what is handed down from one life to the next –not simple things of mortar and stone, but memories of what one said or felt or did. Live with your good memories, as they will add to your comfort, which comes from knowing that your grief is shared and understood. Pop left us with so many wonderful memories. We will always remember him in his joyful way and the wisdom he left us with. Keep the faith and thou will be done. Brenda##imported-begin##Brenda Royster & Family##imported-end##

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“ Our hearts go out to you during this difficult time. Let the Lord and memories be your comfort. May God bless you and keep his loving arms around you. Lovingly, Teraza & Terry##imported-begin##Teraza & Terry Young##imported-end##

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“ Dear Hal, On behalf of my family, I send you and your family our heartfelt sorrow for your loss. Although you will sorely miss Rev. Brown, by his legacy and your memories he will continue to live on in your hearts. May God bless and continue to keep you all in his care. Sincerely, Don and Beverly Conaway##imported-begin##Donald and Beverly Conaway##imported-end##

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“ We are very sorry for your loss. We know how you all loved your Grandfather. Love Belinda and Danny Torres##imported-begin##Torres Family##imported-end##

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