



Katherine A. Thomas

August 4, 1935 - April 5, 2010

KATHERINE A. THOMAS, the daughter of the late Frank and Mable Brown and wife of Albert Thomas, was born on August 4, 1935 in Baltimore, Maryland. Surrounded by family and cradled in the arms of an Angel, she departed this life on April 5, 2010. Katherine, also known as “Kitty” but lovingly referred to a “Maba” by her children and other family members, was born in the astrological sign of Leo. As a true Leo, Kitty was a leader, strong, loyal, willful and generous. She lived life and always found a way to make the best of it. She persevered and led the family through many hard times as well as opened her heart and home to many to celebrate the good times. One of her greatest pleasures was spending time with her sisters and sister-in-laws Clara and Earline. Kitty was devoted to her husband of 53 years, nurturing to her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews, loyal to family and friends and the rock of the family. Many of the family members leaned on her for support and guidance. She was the glue that held the family together once her parents passed away. Kitty’s home became the central meeting place for family and friends; a place of respite where you could get a good cup of coffee, the best fried chicken ever, spirited conversation and unconditional love. She gave herself tirelessly and endlessly. She often defied all odds to provide for her family and to be there for both family and friends. As one of the matriarchs of the family, she preserved family tradition, instilled pride in others and paved the way for future generations. Kitty was not a good woman, but as her best friend Judy put it, “she was a great woman” who had

tremendous strength, intelligence and courage. She was a non-traditionalist that often challenged the establishment with her radical approach to life. She was an authentic woman who was very spiritual. Kitty was loved and adored by many. She leaves to celebrate her life: her loving husband of 53 years who devotedly cared for her throughout her illness, Albert Thomas; 12 loving children, Charlotte, Alvin, Sharon, Deborah, Kim, Reginald, Keith who preceded her in death, Lisa, Zina, Ernest, Judy and Abdullah; 52 grandchildren; 65 great-grandchildren; 10 brothers, Gilbert, John, Harold, Charles, Ernie, Frank Jr., David, Daniel, Vernon and Garrison; 5 sisters, Dorothy, Mae, Vilma, Lillian, Antoinette and Mabel; one 85 year old maternal aunt, Doris Harrington-Smith; a special brother-in-law, John Goodman; 5 sister-in-laws, Clara, Dorothy, Deborah, Evelyn and Sandra; 3 brothers-in-laws, Whitridge, John and Roland; 4 daughter-in-laws, Patricia, Kyetonia, Antoinette and Debbie; 7 son-in-laws, Jerome, Arnold, Kenneth, Antonio, Daryl, Lynn and Al; best friend, Judith Faecher; special friend, Barbara Galloway; life-long friend, Isabel Carter and a host nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

Tribute Wall



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