



Dorothy Braunskill

February 25, 1927 - September 7, 2019

Dorothy Elizabeth Jackson Braunskill, at 92 years old, passed away September 7, 2019, at Christiana Care, Newark, Delaware. She was born on February 25, 1927, in Riverhead, New York, to William and Margaret (James) Jackson. She was the oldest child of four and the last of her siblings to pass away.

Dorothy was affectionately known as “Dottie B”. She was truly loved as the family matriarch. She lived a fruitful life. Dorothy received her early education through the Riverhead School District. She was a 1947 graduate of Riverhead High School. She married Clarence Braunskill in 1947 and from that union they had five sons.

Dottie B was a member of Friendship Baptist Church from childhood. She served her church and enjoyed serving the Lord, singing and helping others. She was a member of the Missionary and Ladies Chorus. Dorothy served her community.

After 25 years, she retired from Suffolk County Department of Health as a Home Health Aide. She was very proud of the fact that she was part of the team that initially brought the W.I.C. Program to Long Island. She was a board member of EOC and had a life-time membership with the NAACP. In 2006, Dorothy relocated to Dover, Delaware, to live with her son and daughter-in-

law. While in Delaware, she made her indelible print. She became a member of Calvary Baptist Church where she was a member of the Sanctuary Choir and was a Missionary. She also became one of the "Seniors" at the Modern Maturity Center. She loved to travel and make new friends.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Raymond William, Jr.; sister, Hester; son, Leonard; and grandson, Leonard Jr.

Dorothy leaves to cherish her memory, sons, Arnold (Theo) of Dover, Delaware, Bruce of Riverhead NY, Wayne of Riverhead, NY and Richard of Honolulu, Hawaii. Dorothy was proud of her 20 grandchildren and 35 great grandchildren. She leaves to mourn a host of friends, whom she loved like family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Blessed are they that mourn,; for they shall be comforted Our thoughts and prayers are with the Braunskill Family. Ms Gayle Hunter Wright and Tamara*

Gayle Hunter Wright - September 12, 2019 at 05:18 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences to the family. She truly hds a special place in my \u2764*

Rena Smothers-Bell - September 09, 2019 at 10:05 PM