



Irene Brittingham

January 24, 1936 - July 25, 2016

Irene T. Brittingham (Candy) was born in Fort Gaines, Georgia on January 24, 1936. Irene was the daughter of the late Isaac and Cassie Thompson. On July 25, 2016, Irene Brittingham passed away at Courtland Manor Nursing home in Dover, Delaware.

Irene attended Benjamin Banneker School in Milford, and William Henry School in Dover, Delaware. She was a dedicated employee at Fisherman Wharf Restaurant. She enjoyed volunteer work at the Just Soup Ministry.

In 1941 Irene moved to Delaware with her family. Later on she met the love her life, Joshua Brittingham. Irene and Joshua were united in holy matrimony on October 25, 1958. For the first few years, Irene and Joshua lived on Cave Neck Road in Milton, Delaware, where their first three children were born. Soon thereafter, they moved to Fisher Road in the Cool Spring area of Milton where they raised six daughters and two sons.

Irene T. Brittingham will be best known and recognized as a loving and caring wife, mother, sister, daughter, caregiver, and dedicated Christian. She accepted Jesus Christ as her personal savior at the age of ten under the late Pastor Anacle Manns. After marriage she became a faithful and dedicated member of Mt. Zion Holy Church, Milton, Delaware for 58 years. As a member of Mt. Zion Holy Church, Irene served as a secretary of the Sunday School, a

member of the Senior and Mass Choirs, a Vacation Bible School Assistant, Kitchen Aide, and a Sexton. Her favorite songs were 'Sanctuary', 'I Saw the Light', 'O, The Virtue Gone Out' and 'Won't It Be Grand'.

Irene was preceded in death by her husband Joshua Brittingham (2007), and her brother Tyrone Thompson (2014).

Irene T. Brittingham is survived by Joyce Brittingham of Dover, DE, Joshua Brittingham, Jr., (Holly) of Somers, NY, Veronica Staton (James) of Lewes, DE, Bonita Marshall (Emory) of Newark, DE, Teresa Miller (Henry) of Millsboro, DE, Irene Sybrena Yette (Bryan) of Wilmington, DE, Craig Brittingham (Jessica) of Milwaukee, WI, Aretha Greene (Jerry) of Bridgeville, DE; seventeen grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, in-laws and a host of nieces and nephews.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Irene Brittingham, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

Tribute Wall

AW

“ Extending deepest sympathy to family and friends. Please find comfort in knowing that soon all those in the memorial tombs will hear Jesus' voice and come out. (John 5:28,29) Until that blessed day, may the GOD of all comfort grant you peace while many fond memories warm your hearts.

A. Wingfield - July 31, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ During your time of grief, please take comfort in the bible and look forward to the time when sickness, pain and death will be gone forever. (Revelation 21:3&4) At John 5:28&29, it gives us hope of seeing our loved ones again , during the resurrection of the dead. Please look forward to that time and may your entire family be comforted and blessed at this time.

Doretha Sampson - July 30, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ My deepest sympathy to the family. May the God of comfort be with you at this most sorrowful time (2 Cor. 1:2,4). Almighty God is near to those broken at heart (Psalms 34;18). And may you find comfort in the promised ressurection. (John 5:28,29)

J. H. - July 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ TO MY GRANDMOTHER THAT I WILL TRULY MISS. YOU WAS THE THE ONE I COULD RUN TO AND TALK TO AND YOU'LL TELL ME PUT IT ALL IN GODS HANDS.

ILL MISS YOU

CHAD SR

OLDEST GRANDCHILD

CHAD BRITTINGHAM - July 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. May GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4*

M Jones - July 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM