



Miracles of Faith Community Church
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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Reverend Gregory L. Brown, Pastor

September 4, 2014

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

We, the church officers, are writing to announce the death of Pastor Brown's father, Mr. Harold Sanford Brown, Sr. who passed on Wednesday, September 3, 2014 at 1:00PM in Indianapolis, Indiana. We mourn the loss with our pastor, his brother Marshall, First Lady Mary, and the entire Brown family.

Mr. Brown led a rich, full and productive life of 90 years. He was a decorated WWII Veteran, retired postal worker, devoted husband of 68 years, caring father of eight sons and one daughter, and a loving grandfather and great-grandfather.

As much as Pastor Brown will miss his strong encouraging wisdom, Pastor Gregg is grateful that his father's suffering has come to an end, knowing he is at rest in the arms of his Lord and Savior. We ask you to pray daily for our pastor and our church family. Lift up a *Special Prayer* for his mother, Mrs. Betty Jane Brown, and her family during their time of bereavement.

If you wish to send sympathy cards to Mrs. Brown, her address is: 2848 South State Street, Indianapolis, IN 46203. Tributes, Resolutions, & Acknowledgements for our dear friend and colleague, Rev. Gregg Brown, can be sent to the funeral director, Emmanuel Smith, via email: esmith@Flannerbuchanan.com or by Fax: 317-251-5978.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests any donations be made to the Miracles of Faith Community Church *in Honor of Mr. Harold S. Brown, Sr.* Contributions will be used to support the Miracle Harvest Program's Education/ Nutrition Program.

Peace in the name of Jesus,

The Miracles of Faith Church Council, Mr. Larry Gaines, President