



Martha W. (Rainey) Brown

April 29, 2019

Martha W. (Rainey) Brown, 96, of Assonet, passed away peacefully Monday, April 29, 2019, at home surrounded by her family. She was the wife of the late John R. Brown.

Born and raised in Bridgewater, daughter of the late Percy and Lilla (Wing) Rainey, she lived in Fall River prior to settling in Assonet in 1953. She was a graduate of Bridgewater High School and had worked as a stitcher at Louis Hand Manufacturing and later at the former Fall River Trust, but her passion was her Church, where she was the longtime organist.

She was a faithful member of the United Church of Christ, in Assonet, where she had been the organist and choir director since 1990 and was the Past President of the Women's Club. She enjoyed sewing, knitting, crocheting and quilting.

Mrs. Brown is survived by her son, Robert A. Brown of Assonet; a daughter in law, Ghislane Brown of Fall River; four grandchildren, Christopher Brown of NC, Doreen Brown Ayres of Swansea, Wendy Lundstrom of Fairhaven and Tania Mozzerella of Somerset; several great grandchildren, great, great grandchildren, great nieces and great nephews. She was the mother of the late John R. Brown, Jr., grandmother of the late Robert A. Brown, Jr. and sister of the late Herbert Rainey and Alice Colby.

In accordance with her wishes she will be cremated and a Memorial Celebration will be held Monday, May 6, 2019, at 11:00AM, at the United Church of Assonet, 9 North Main St., Assonet, MA 02702. Interment will be private. Arrangements are by the Hathaway Home for Funerals, 1813 Robeson St., Fall River.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Steeple Reconstruction Fund of the United Church of Assonet.

Events

MAY Memorial Celebration 11:00AM

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The United Church of Assonet
9 North Main St., Assonet, MA, US

Comments



“ My deepest sympathies to the Brown family. Martha was my favorite client who I had the pleasure and honor of seeing her every week, talking with her helping her out. She was an inspiration to me and she will be deeply missed. Sorry I could not attend Services due to unforeseen circumstances but know that my heart was there with the family.

Karen Tate - May 06 at 02:24 PM



“ We send our deepest sympathy, Bob. We shared lots of music and memories with Martha over many years at United Church of Assonet. We'll always picture her sitting at the organ that was dedicated to her. We enjoyed keeping in touch with her and will cherish her most recent (Easter) note.
Phil and Louise Brady

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“ Bob sorry to hear you lost your mom
Barbara Holmes Machowski

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