



## Frances A. Branch

July 27, 1929 - February 6, 2018

Ms. Frances A. Branch was born on July 27, 1929 in Newville, Alabama to her father the late Ruby Anthony and mother the late Johnnie Mae Brown. She departed this walk of life on February 6, 2018 after a brief illness.

Ms. Branch left school at an early age and went to work in a toy factory to raise her now departed son Herman. She never thought to go back to school until her children were grown. She wanted to make sure that her children received their high school diploma.

Frances attended Newton Street School. She moved to Durham, NC where she attended Durham Technical Community College and received her High School Diploma. She was thankful for being able to return to school and get her High School Diploma.

She was employed at Bojangles, and then Revco Drug Store. She was a member of Greater Saint Paul Missionary Baptist Church for 25 years, attending regularly until her health declined in 1989. She also was a member of the Missionary Circle and the Sick Committee in her circle, and also served as Secretary. She was a regular attending member of Durham County

Missionary Union until her health failed.

Frances was a very thankful person for her family, friends and her health to be able to do as much as she could and counted her blessings everyday. She always did her best at everything in her life. No task was too hard for her to do. She loved her family with all her heart and showed it daily with her kindness and thankfulness.

She leaves to cherish her memories one daughter; Karen Chavis (William), and one son, Phillip Branch, several grandchildren, great grand-children, and a host of other loving relatives and friends. Her husband and three children preceded her in death.

# Cemetery Details

## Glennview Memorial Park

NC Hwy 55  
Durham, NC 27713  
(919) 596-8102

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 12. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Greater St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church  
1102 Juniper Street  
Durham, NC 27701

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Frances A. Branch*

October 05, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Frances A. Branch, you shall be missed. Your love, kindness, and sweet demeanor lives on in the hearts of anyone you met. I enjoyed loving you mamma. Thank you for letting me be in your life. I'll see you again.*



**Karen B. Chavis** - February 09, 2018 at 12:49 AM



“ *Mrs. Branch was a beautiful person inside and out. She had such a sweet spirit I would always enjoy going to visit with her. Deepest sympathy to Karen and the family! My thoughts and prayers are with you.*



**Erika Lewis** - February 08, 2018 at 01:55 PM



“ *Grandma, you will truly be missed. The dances we shared together, the chocolates we ate together. You gave me 88 yrs of beautiful memories. Take your rest now. Until I see you again. I love you.*

**Robbin Williams** - February 08, 2018 at 10:32 AM