## Not a Day Will Go By

#### By Kelly Roper



Not a minute, not an hour,
Not a day will go by
We won't think of you, Moms
And smile or sigh.

You enriched our lives

While you were here.

Now we must learn to live

Without you so near.

Time may soften the blow,

But your memory won't fade.

Not a day will go by

We won't wish you could have stayed.

#### Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You.

The Campbell Family

#### Repast

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### In Loving Memory of



# Ruby May Campbell

Sunrise: May 1, 1925 - Sunset: January 17, 2024

Funeral Service

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 • 11:00 A.M.

BENTA'S FUNERAL HOME

630 St. Nicholas Avenue • New York, NY 10030

Interment

FERNCLIFF CEMETERY

Hartsdale, New York



OPENING MUSIC LEROY CAMPBELL
OPENING PRAYER AVEREY CLARKE
REFLECTIONS
LEROY CAMPBELL
Scripture Reading
Kevon Edmondson & Mya Campbell
POEM READING"LEGACY OF LOVE"
Vincent Edmondson & Leila Campbell
Commemorative Musical Selection Leroy Campbell
REFLECTIONS
Anthony Campbell Sr.
OBITUARY READING
David Dawes
COMMEMORATIVE MUSICAL SELECTION LEROY CAMPBELL
Eulogy
Benediction
Final Viewing Funeral Director
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**Ruby May Campbell** passed away peacefully on January 17th, 2024. She was 98 years old. Born May 1, 1925 in Jamaica, West Indies, she was the daughter of Albert and Louise Francis.

Ruby was affectionately known by many different names such as Moms, Ms. Prop or Sgt. Major.

Ruby grew up with her brothers Arthur and Lenny in Kingston, Jamaica and was raised by her grandmother due to her parents' untimely passing while she was a young girl. This unfortunate event played a profound role in shaping her tough and decisive personality. While in Jamaica Ruby found employment at Hamilton Dry Cleaners in Kingston and during these years met a handsome young man named Leopold Campbell. Shortly afterwards they were married and blessed with two sons, Anthony and Leroy.

Ruby migrated from Jamaica to the United States in 1963. She gained employment with Nathan Barnes, the Liberian Ambassador to the United States. With the ambassador's help, she was able to sponsor Leopold, Anthony, Leroy and Audley which enabled them to migrate to the United States in 1967. Unfortunately, four months later in January of 1968, Leopold transitioned and once again Ruby was forced into a position where determination and discipline would be necessary, and again she rose to the challenge.

After several months of grief, Ruby accepted a position at Bronx Lebanon Hospital where she retired after 20 plus years of working in a leadership capacity. She left an indelible mark on the hospital center, again displaying her tough yet compassionate nature that touched both coworkers and patients. Ruby remained a widow until her passing. She loved music, loved to sing, loved to dance and basked in being surrounded by family and friends. It would be a normal occurrence to hear her beautiful voice singing while she went about household chores. She's known for her soft yet stern and balanced approach to life and will be remembered for her warmth, kindness and wise words.

Ruby was preceded in death by her beloved husband Leopold and son Audley. She leaves behind a legacy of love and family. She is survived by her sons Anthony and Leroy, her loving grandchildren and great-grandchildren and extended family and friends that all affectionally refer to her as Moms. Her grace, intellect, and kindness will be deeply missed by all who knew her.