

In Loving Memory
of

A portrait of an elderly man with white hair, a mustache, and glasses. He is wearing a red patterned sweater under a dark blue jacket. The background is a natural setting with tall grasses and a body of water.

John G. Waters

Sunrise
July 12, 1934

Sunset
February 3, 2012

Service

Tuesday, February 14, 2012 at 12:00 Noon

WHIGHAM FUNERAL HOME

580 Martin Luther King Blvd. • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Mr. John G. Waters was born in Newark, New Jersey on July 12, 1934 to John and Julia Waters.

Raised in Newark, NJ, he was educated in the Public School System and graduated from Central High School in 1951. He also received an Associate Degree in Business Mgt. in 1980. John held jobs at General Motors, Newark Board of Education and the U.S. Postal Service, where he retired as a supervisor after over thirty years of service.

John received distinguished medals of honor for his service in combat while in the Marines (1951-1954) in Korea. John and Sandra loved to travel. He loved fishing. He also was a loyal football fan of the New York Jets and attended over twenty Super Bowls. John was a member of VFW Post 152 and the American Legion.

John met Sandra and were married on October 18, 1973.

Those left to mourn are: his loving wife, Sandra; his children, Wayne (Chicago, Ill.), Gregory (Bordentown, NJ) and Dawn Weathers (Charlotte, NC); seven grandchildren, Toiana Williams, Nathifa Camon, Raheem Mathis, Kamil, Lamar, Nakia and Na'im Waters; ten great grandchildren; and he was preceded in death by two sons, John Scott, Steven; a stepson, Tony; and he also leaves a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service



Prayer

Scripture

Selection

*Reflections and
Acknowledgements*

Eulogy

Benediction



Interment

*Rosedale Cemetery
Linden, New Jersey*

Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me
To be a happy one,
I'd like to leave an afterglow
Of smiles when day is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
Whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve
To dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave behind,
When the day is done.

-Helen Lowrie Marshall

Acknowledgement

*The family wishes to express their appreciation
and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness
shown to them in their time of sorrow.*

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