

A portrait of Douglas Eugene Sherman, a man with a beard and glasses, wearing a cowboy hat and a light-colored shirt. The background of the portrait is a soft, warm glow. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

*In Loving  
Memory  
Of*

*Douglas Eugene Sherman*

Sunrise  
*April 28, 1934*

Sunset  
*August 1, 2012*

*Services*

*Tuesday, August 7, 2012 - 1:00 p.m.*

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*163 Oakwood Avenue*

*Orange, New Jersey 07050*

*Reverend James H. Holcomb Jr., Officiating*

## Obituary

**Douglas Eugene Sherman**, son of the late James L. and Aladean Ward Sherman, entered into eternal rest on August 1st, 2012.

Eugene was born on April 28, 1934 in Charleston, West Virginia. He relocated to Newark, and lived there for almost fifty years until the time of his death.

Eugene attended school in Charleston, West Virginia where he graduated valedictorian. He loved the saxophone, playing cards, horses, and jazz music. He also loved spending time with his grandchildren, "Big Man" (Shawn), "Ms. T" (Tashana), and "Baby" (Nadirah).

Eugene is preceded in death by his mother, Aladean Ward Sherman; his father, James L. Sherman, brother, Roland E. Sherman, and his son, Kenneth Jackson.

Eugene leaves to cherish his memory: a wife, Margaret Watts Sherman, East Orange, NJ; their children, Marvin T. Watts, Charlottesville, VA; Sophia T. Peace, Alpharetta, GA; and Douglas E. Cardwell Sherman Jr., Atlanta, GA; other children, Aladean Jennings, Newark, NJ; Tyisha Floyd, Newark, NJ; Omar Jackson, Newark, NJ; and a nephew, Roland Sherman; a host of other grandchildren, relatives, and friends.

*"I love you. I'm your girl."* - Maggie

# *Order of Service*

Prelude .....Myron Smith

Seating of Family..... Funeral Director

Hymn of Comfort .....“Blessed Assurance”

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Reading

Old Testament - Psalms 90: 1 - 10

New Testament -1 Thessalonians 4:13 - 15

Solo..... “Amazing Grace”  
Tyrone Dunlap

Remarks .....Family and Friends (Two minutes please)

Poem ..... Tashana A. Peace

Acknowledgements /Obituary ..... Lajuna Brister

Solo .....Tyrone Dunlap

Eulogy .....Rev. James H. Holcomb Jr.  
(Unity Baptist Church, East Orange, New Jersey)

Recessional..... Clergy and Family

## **Cremation**

Rosedale Crematory

Orange New Jersey

*A Love Like Yours*

(By Tashana A. Peace)

You were a diamond in the rough  
Never could I have been prepared enough (to lose)

A Love Like Yours

You were gentle, easy, and kind  
If I searched high and low never again will I find

A Love Like Yours

You were amazingly amazing in all the right ways  
Never did I imagine you would be taken from me in all of my days

A Love Like Yours

You were a lover of playing cards, horses, and jazz tunes  
Never did I imagine you would be gone so abruptly soon

A Love Like Yours

You were a positive man who never let negativity seep through  
Never second guessing your love which is why it was so easy to  
love you

A Love Like Yours

You were on the top of the scale when it came to swag  
Never forgetting how to be a good friend, husband, dad,  
nor granddad

A Love Like Yours

You were my loving grandfather who set the bar oh so high  
Never will I forget you; never will I let your memory die

A Love Like Yours

*Acknowledgement*

The family of **Douglas Eugene Sherman** acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to us during our time of bereavement. May God bless each of you for your thoughtfulness and concern.

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