

In Loving Memory of
James Steward

Sunrise: August 25, 1958
Sunset: August 19, 2016

Service

Wednesday, August 31, 2016 - 6:00 p.m.

UNITY FUNERAL CHAPELS, INC.

2352 8th Avenue • New York, NY 10027

Obituary

The late great **James E. Steward**, son of the late Odessa and Herman Steward, Jr., was born on August 25, 1958 in New York City. He departed this life early Friday morning, August 19, 2016.

He attended Holy Name of Jesus grammar school, as well as Chelsea High School. He graduated with honors from both. He excelled in academics as well as sports. He enlisted in the Air Force. There he became an Airman and studied to be an electrician. He started and ended his career with MTA.

As a kid he loved sports. As an adult he played chess. He lost a lot of games over the years with me. However, the last match he did win. That means he went out a winner in my book.

James leaves to cherish his memories: his wife of thirty-one years, Sherry P. Steward; three brothers, Gregory, Tracy and Herman Steward; one uncle, James Gibson; one son, The Reverend James E. Steward, Jr. and his wife, Myeika Steward; one daughter, Robin Peterson; two grandsons, James E. Steward III, Quaadir H. Manley; two granddaughters, Maia E. Steward and Michelle E. Steward; one god-daughter, Whitney "Precious" Schrinier; three nephews, Gregory Steward, Jr., Tracy Steward, Jr. and Herman Steward IV; four nieces, Jasmins Steward Johnson, Nefertiti, Natalie and Heather Steward; seven cousins, Derrick, Terry, Howard and Cory Elsberry, Denise Ladson, Sharon Gibson and Bridget Berry; and a host of friends.



Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Opening Sentences.....Rev. James E. Steward II, Officiant

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Readings

Acknowledgements

Time for Remembrance

(No more than 2 minutes each. Be Mindful and Respectful of time.)

Obituary Reading

Song.....Myeika Steward
Monika Judkins

Eulogy

Commendation

Remarks and Instructions..... (Unity Funeral Chapels)

Closing Song and Final Viewing.....Myeika Steward
Monika Judkins

(Greeting of family may be done at this point)

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Interment

Calverton National Cemetery
Calverton, New York



I've Changed My Address

*I've changed my address to Heaven
I've crossed the Great Divide.*

*I know there's no sorrow or crying,
Because I've reached the other side.*

I am so happy to be here, for the Lord Himself I see.

*I've changed my address to Heaven,
That's the place where you'll find me.*

*I've changed my address to Heaven,
I bid this world goodbye.*

I now live forever with Jesus in my new home in the sky.

*I have no burdens or heartaches
and from tears I am now free.*

*I've changed my address to Heaven,
That's the place to find me.*

*I've changed my address to Heaven,
I'm safe forevermore. For the Lord built a mansion
and my name is on the door.*

*You can find us walking together,
for where He is, I'll always be.*

*I've changed my address to Heaven,
That's the place you'll find me.*

-Author unknown

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of
kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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