



## Mr. Sherman Shelton

July 16, 1934 - March 24, 2014

### Sherman's Journey:

SHERMAN SHELTON was born July 16, 1934 in Winona, Mississippi. He was the son of the late Early Shelton and Jessie Lee Smith.

Sherman is survived by a host of children, grandchildren, two brothers, nephews and nieces. Sherman's family includes: the mother of his children Bobbie J. Dozier and his beloved sons and daughters; Sherman Shelton Jr., Terrace T. Shelton, Ray A. Gregory, Dwight Gregory, and Tanya M. Gregory. He is the fourth born of five siblings and survived by James W. Shelton and Earl Shelton. He is preceded by the late Marie Potter and Rev. Charles Shelton and son, Jimmie, Jr. Sherman's surviving grandchildren are Brandon, Brittney, De'Marco, Marlon, Ray, Adam, Christian, and Nicolas. His nephews and nieces are Kenny, Derrick, Angel, Nikki, and Colby.

Sherman attended Wynona High School and was affectionately known and called "Bay" by his family and close friends. After high school, Sherman relocated to Detroit in the early 1950s where he settled and started his own family. He held various positions from a taxi driver to an overhead crane operator where he eventually retired from Standard Tubing Company.

Sherman was a master mechanic who enjoyed talking about sports, politics, and religion. He had a deep fascination for local and world news and spent

much of his time collecting and reading newspaper articles. He enjoyed leisure time with family and friends and often shared his sage advice to help guide anyone listening. He was a person who loved to talk to people. Sherman will be deeply missed, but never forgotten.

# Previous Events

## Family Hour

Saturday, Mar. **29**. 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
Detroit, MI 48227  
(313) 838-9770  
info@pyefuneralhome.com

## Memorial Service

Saturday, Mar. **29**. 5:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Sherman Shelton*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Grandpa Sherman, I will miss you. My thoughts and prayers will continue to be with the Shelton and Gregory Families, and especially with my grandmother Bobbie Jean, my uncle Sherman Junior and his wife Tanya, my aunt Terrace, and my cousins Brandon, Britney and De'Marco. I love you all very much,*

*Adam.*

Adam Gregory - April 30, 2014 at 09:11 PM



“ *The Shelton Family would like to thank everyone for their prayers and expressions of sympathy during this difficult time. We sincerely appreciate the outpouring of love we have received. May God bless you all!*

Terrace Shelton and Family - March 30, 2014 at 10:18 PM



“ *Our prayers and love are with always with you and we truly we hate that we couldn't be there with you at this time. Uncle Sherman was truly loved and he will forever be missed. Although he's gone he will never be forgotten...God Bless you and may he comfort you in your greatest hour of need...Love Nico Shelton-Berry and Family*

nico shelton-berry - March 29, 2014 at 05:20 PM



“ *My prayers are with the Shelton Family during this time of remembrance and reflection.*

*Keith Stokes Roberts  
Winona, Mississippi*

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**Keith Roberts** - March 29, 2014 at 01:37 PM



*Keith: Thank you for your prayers and expression of sympathy. God Bless You!*

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**Marie Shelton** - March 30, 2014 at 10:30 PM



“ *Keith Roberts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Sherman Shelton*



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**Keith Roberts** - March 29, 2014 at 01:34 PM



“ *Mr. & Mrs. Mac A. Hammond lit a candle in memory of Mr. Sherman Shelton*



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**Mr. & Mrs. Mac A. Hammond** - March 29, 2014 at 12:56 PM

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*To the Family,*

*May God's grace and peace operate in abundance over you today and always. We are there in spirit to celebrate Mr. Shelton's home-going. Our prayers are with you.*

*Mac & Emmer Hammond  
Winona, MS*

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**Mac & Emmer Hammond** - March 29, 2014 at 01:04 PM



*Mac & Emmer: Thank you for your prayers and kind words during this difficult time. May God bless and keep you!*

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**Marie Shelton** - March 30, 2014 at 10:26 PM

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“ *To the Family,*

*Sorry for your loss*

*May hope and peace  
be yours today and always.*

*Into each life some rain must fall but sunshine does appear.  
It brings with it a rainbow and a message that is clear.  
Please know that you are not alone that we all hold you dear  
Let faith & hope into your heart and keep your memories near.*

*Rich and Swayzene Higgins  
Waldorf, MD*

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**Rich Higgins II** - March 27, 2014 at 11:53 AM

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*Rich and Swayzene,  
Thank you so very much for your outpouring of sympathy, love, and support. We truly appreciate it. It's times like this when true friendship mean so much. We love you both.*

*God Bless you,  
Sherman, Tanya, and the entire Shelton Family*

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**Sherman and Tanya** - March 31, 2014 at 03:53 PM

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“ *I am so very sorry to read of your loss. When we suffer a loss we often feel helpless and alone, I know I did. What I found comforting was encouraging words from Jehovah found at Revelation 21: 3, 4. For more information on the scriptural hope, please visit: [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org).*

*S. Frierson*

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**S. Frierson** - March 27, 2014 at 10:44 AM

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*I'm sorry about your loss, but God knows best. Always remember He does no wrong nor can He lie. The bible states that God will not put no more on you than you can bear. Love you all. Patricia M. Evans, Eupora, MS*

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**Patricia M. Evans** - March 28, 2014 at 12:01 PM