

In Loving Memory of

John Evan Brown

Sunrise

October 19, 1953

Sunset

January 5, 2015

Service

Monday, January 12, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

Perry Funeral Home

34 Mercer Street • Newark, New Jersey 07103

Obituary

John Evan Brown was born on October 19, 1953 in Newark, New Jersey to John Henry and Anna (Seymour) Brown. He was one of eleven children and he was educated in the Newark Public School System. He graduated from Barringer High School.

John was a very loving and caring person with many talents. He was a talented artist who loved to draw. As a youngster he also loved to joke and entertain his family. He would often impersonate funny characters to make family members laugh. While growing up, singing and dancing were major parts of the Browns family life. In the early 1970s, the family formed a singing group called *Four Plus Two* (managed by older brother, Reggie Brown). John, who could sing and dance, was the eldest member of the group. *Four Plus Two* traveled around the tri-state area performing and winning talent shows at various venues. The most memorable highlight of their career was performing at the Apollo Theater in New York City.

John worked at the Occupational Center of Union County in Roselle, New Jersey. He loved going to work and enjoyed his co-workers. He made many friends.

John was preceded in death by his father, John H. Brown, his mother, Anna (Seymour) Brown, his sister, Phyllis and his brothers, Craig and Selmon.

John leaves to cherish his memories: his sister, Judy Arnold (Granville); his brothers, Reginald (Valerie), Gary, David, Phillip, Michael and Peter Brown; cousin, Kathy Johnson; Godmother, Alice Fields; and a host of nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Final Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery

Hillside, New Jersey

Psalm 23

*The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters. He
restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path
of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea,
though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou
art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they
comfort me. Thou preparest a table before
me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou
anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth
over. Surely goodness and mercy shall
follow me all the days of my life; and I will
dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

Acknowledgements

*The Family of **John Evan Brown** with deepest
gratitude, acknowledge all of the cards, prayers, calls and
many acts of kindness extended to them during this time
of bereavement. May God continue to bless you.*

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