

A portrait of a man with a beard and mustache, wearing a white t-shirt, a grey baseball cap with 'NY' on it, and a large cross necklace. He has extensive tattoos on both arms and is wearing a green wristband and a silver watch. He is crouching against a background of a bright blue sky with white clouds and sun rays.

*In Loving Memory of*

*Derrick Scott Brevard*

December 23, 1969 - February 20, 2021

SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 2021

SERVICE: 12:00 PM

**CAGGIANO MEMORIAL HOME**

62 Grove Street • Montclair, NJ 07042

*Reverend Elizabeth Campbell, Officiating*

# Obituary

**Derrick Scott Brevard** was born December 23, 1969 at Mountainside Hospital in Glen Ridge, New Jersey. He grew up attending schools in both the Montclair and Bloomfield Public School Districts. As a child, he developed a great passion for sports. Derrick was a natural born athlete who developed a talent for football, where he played the running back position. His love for playing football, however, was no match for the love he had for his favorite football team, The New York Football Giants. Derrick loved where he grew up in Bloomfield, and while his mother only had he and his younger brother, Darnell, the children in the neighborhood became family. Derrick became a father and had two beautiful daughters, Sherise and Gabrielle, who were his pride and joy. He was a great dresser and loved street fashion, and was very particular about his appearance. This further grew his obsession with footwear, especially Nike and Jordan sneakers.

Derrick was a multi-faceted man. These are just a few things that he would want you to know:

The man could sell salt to a slug if he wanted to. He had the most beautiful penmanship, something not thought of for a man to have. He loved comics and cartoons, his favorite being The Incredible Hulk, and often referred to himself as such. He enjoyed cooking, especially Italian food, as it was an homage of sorts to the area of Essex County where he grew up. He had a great love of cars, which prompted him to start detailing them for work a few years ago. This inspired his last work venture: Clean Slate LLC.

Derrick was residing in Mesa, Arizona when he left this life on February 20, 2021. He was predeceased by his grandparents.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Margie, his daughters, Sherise and Gabrielle, his granddaughter, Harmony, his brother, Darnell and sister-in-law, Joviane, his long-time companion, Jeanna and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, relatives and friends.

Derrick was one of a kind. He was who he was, and unapologetically so. No matter what he was called: Daddy, Grandpa, Son, Brother or Friend, he will never be forgotten, and always be in our hearts.

# Order of Service

Prayer of Comfort .....	Reverend Elizabeth Campbell
Song Selection .....	JC Thomason
Poem .....	Harmony McCormick
Scripture .....	Kimberly Morse
Old Testament - Psalm 23	
New Testament - 1 Corinthians 14:33	
Reflections.....	2 Minutes Please
Acknowledgement .....	Joy Taylor
Obituary .....	Sherise Wenzel
Eulogy .....	Reverend Elizabeth Campbell







## *Life is but a Stopping Place*

Life is but a stopping place,  
A pause in what's to be,  
A resting place along the road,  
to sweet eternity.

We all have different journeys,  
Different paths along the way,  
We all were meant to learn some things,  
but never meant to stay...  
Our destination is a place,  
Far greater than we know.  
For some the journey's quicker,  
For some the journey's slow.  
And when the journey finally ends,  
We'll claim a great reward,  
And find an everlasting peace,  
Together with the Lord.

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## *Acknowledgement*

The family wishes to acknowledge your prayers, comforting messages and countless acts of kindness during our time of sorrow. May God bless you all.

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