



Shelton Frederick Monroe

September 27, 1954 - September 4, 2025

Shelton Frederick Monroe was born to Catherine Monroe on September 27, 1954, in Baltimore, Maryland. He departed this world on September 4, 2025.

Shelton was educated by the Baltimore City Public School system, where he obtained his high school equivalent. He remained an avid lifelong learner.

After several tumultuous years as a teenager, he left Baltimore, Maryland to explore the country. Over the course of the next decade, he backpacked from the East Coast to the West Coast several times. In total, he would visit 35 states.

In the late seventies, Shelton resettled in Baltimore where he attended a local church. There he met his wife, Denise Betton. They got married in Baltimore in 1981, and two years later moved to Lenox, Massachusetts, where he attended seminary at the Bible Speaks. They had 3 daughters, 7 grandkids, and 3 great grandkids. He worked and attended Greater Grace World Outreach as a pastor for many years.

In 1995, Shelton took a locksmith course at a technical school and graduated as a certified locksmith technician. A few years later he would establish and open his own locksmith business, which he would run for several years. After closing his business, he went on to work at several reputable locksmith

businesses, including Baldinos Lock and Key, The Horseshoe Casino, and The Environmental Protection Agency in D.C. He retired from the University of Maryland Baltimore County in July 2020.

Shelton was preceded by his grandparents, parents, and aunt, two sisters Jean and Patricia, and one brother William.

Shelton is survived by his wife Denise, his brother Jimmy, his daughters Valerie, Michele, and Melissa, his seven grandkids Chris, Brian, Brett, Blair, Bria, Shyasia, and Zephaniah, three great grandkids Adrian, Jasper, and Onyx, his sisters in law Alice and Jackie, his Brother in Law Glen Sr, his nephews Douglass, Timothy, Daryl, Rodney, Eric, Ezra, Mikey and Glen Jr., his nieces Tierra, Moni, Danielle, Charissa, and Tanya and countless other nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends.

Shelton Monroe brought light and life to many people he met, he will be truly missed.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **20**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Johnson-Fosbrink - a March Funeral Home
8521 Loch Raven Blvd
Towson, MD 21286

Repast

SEP **20**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Shekinah Temple of Christ
2204 Mayfield Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21213

Tribute Wall

LA

“ *Well done, thou good and faithful servant - enter now into the joy of the Lord".....*

Larry Avignone - September 20, 2025 at 12:23 AM

DF

“ *Deidre Bonse & Steed Family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Shelton Frederick Monroe.*



Deidre Bonse & Steed Family - September 19, 2025 at 05:03 PM

TS

“ *Tony Jackson, Glenn Cook and Stacy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelton Frederick Monroe.*

Tony Jackson, Glenn Cook and Stacy - September 19, 2025 at 10:20 AM

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“ *Tony Jackson, Glenn Cook and Stacy purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shelton Frederick Monroe.*



Tony Jackson, Glenn Cook and Stacy - September 19, 2025 at 10:20 AM

MF

“ *Major, Lisa, Pat DeBerry / Indusi family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Shelton Frederick Monroe.*



Major, Lisa, Pat DeBerry / Indusi family - September 18, 2025 at 07:39 PM

WD

“ *Wife & Daughter's purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Shelton Frederick Monroe.*



Wife & Daughter's - September 18, 2025 at 06:21 PM

JC

“ *Dear sweet Denise and daughters, I am so sorry to hear about the home going of Shelton. Thankful for the sweet relief of knowing we will one day be reunited. Loving you all and lifting you up in the comfort that only our Father can give. Sincerely, Jo Ann Carter*

Jo Ann Carter - September 18, 2025 at 05:36 PM

KC

“ *I'm so so sorry to hear that my dear friend has passed. Denise, Franck and I will be praying for you and the family. Shelton holds a special place in my heart. I look forward to seeing him again one day.*

Kathy Corbiere - September 18, 2025 at 03:31 PM

LM

“ *Love the Jerse*t Monroes purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Shelton Frederick Monroe.



Love the Jerset Monroes - September 18, 2025 at 03:13 PM

AF

“ *Dear Denise,*
Sending heartfelt condolences to you and your family during this difficult time. Know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.
In Sympathy,
Amy Fisher
JHCP

Amy Fisher - September 15, 2025 at 11:49 AM