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2014 PIONEER OF THE YEAR

Welcome

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneers Foundation, thank you for attending the 2014 Pioneer of the Year Dinner. This is our 73rd annual Dinner and our honoree is well deserving, Mr. Tom Sherak.

The Pioneer of the Year award is bestowed upon an esteemed and respected member of the motion picture industry whose corporate leadership, service to the community and commitment to philanthropy is exceptional. This year's award has special meaning because our Honoree was a guardian and steward of the Pioneers Assistance Fund for over 30 years. The Pioneers Assistance Fund is the only industry program that provides both short-term and Quality of Life grants (long-term) to veterans of the motion picture industry who are encountering an illness, injury, or life changing event.

Tom Sherak was selected as the Pioneer of the Year Dinner many months before his untimely passing. With the support of his wife Madeleine and the entire Sherak family, our industry has a special opportunity to celebrate Tom's incredible life. As many people know, Tom was the driving force behind so many worthwhile causes and fundraising events, the number of people he helped is countless. It's safe to say, there will never be another Tom Sherak.

Please enjoy yourself tonight, as we pay tribute to a true pioneer. Thank you for donating generously to our industry charity, hopefully you will never need to call on the Pioneers Assistance Fund, but if you do, we will be here to help.

Sincerely,

Chris Aronson President

Ted Cooper Chairman of the Board

Pioneering Spirit



THOMAS M. SHERAK whose remarkable career saw him at the pinnacle of motion picture marketing, distribution and production, was President of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences and Mayor Eric Garcetti's LA Film Czar, in addition to consulting for Skydance Productions, One Three Media, and other entertainment entities. He received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame on January 28, 2014. Previously,

Sherak was a partner at Revolution Studios which released more than forty seven films, including *America's Sweethearts, Black Hawk Down, XXX, Anger Management, 13 Going On 30*, and *Across the Universe*. Sherak also consulted for Marvel Studios on films such as *Iron Man, The Incredible Hulk, Iron Man 2*, and *Thor*.

Prior to joining Revolution Studios, Sherak was Chairman of Twentieth Century Fox Domestic Film Group. Sherak also served as Senior Executive Vice President of Fox Filmed Entertainment. Previously, he was President of Domestic Distribution and Marketing for Twentieth Century Fox. In that position, he supervised the company's domestic distribution, advertising/publicity/promotion operations and the non-the-atrical film division. Sherak oversaw the marketing and distribution of such films as Star Wars Trilogy (Special Edition), Romancing the Stone, Wall Street, Die Hard, Working Girl, Home Alone, Edward Scissorhands, Die Hard: With a Vengeance, Mrs. Doubtfire, True Lies, Speed, Independence Day, and Star Wars: Episode 1–The Phantom Menace. Sherak joined Fox from General Cinema, where he was Vice President and head film buyer. Sherak began his career in the film industry at Paramount Pictures in 1970 where he worked in the New York, Washington, D.C. and St. Louis distribution offices.

He was an active board member of the Southern California Chapter of The National Multiple Sclerosis Society and chaired the MS Dinner of Champions for more than 20 years, raising over 47 million dollars for multiple sclerosis research and programs. He was the Chairman of the MS Hope Foundation, which he recently helped form, as well as an active board member of the Fulfillment Fund of Southern California, a college access organization helping inter-city youth in Los Angeles. He was a former Chairman of the Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneers Foundation and formerly on the Board of Directors for the Motion Picture and Television Fund, as well as the Southern California Variety-the Children's Charity. Sherak had also previously served as Treasurer of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences. He and his wife, Madeleine, received the 2010 Visionary Honor from the Lighthouse International Board of Directors for their philanthropic work. The Professional Baseball Scouts Foundation gave Sherak the 2011 Dave Winfield Humanitarian Award. In April 2011, the American Academy of Neurology honored Sherak with the Public Leadership in Neurology Award for his efforts in raising funds and public awareness on behalf of patients with multiple sclerosis and their families. He also served on the advisory board of Vision To Learn.

Sherak received an honorary doctorate in the arts from the Academy of Art University in May 2010, had a degree in marketing from New York City Community College and served on the faculty in the UCLA Producers Program. Also, he was one of the producers of the Broadway play *Relatively Speaking*, which opened in October 2011.

Tom Sherak passed away on January 28, 2014 in his home surrounded by family and friends.

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Dear Mom,
You showed us
the true meaning of unconditional love.
You guided us and protected us.
Forty-six years ago you and Daddy began this journey.
Today, we continue it with you, side by side,
hand in hand, laugh by laugh, tear by tear.
How blessed we are to have you as
our mom, mother-in-law, and Nana!

XOXO

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The PAF works in such an unassuming manner that its acts of quiet generosity are often hidden, eclipsed by the desire to maintain anonymity and preserve the dignity of those whom it helps. The PAF has sought little publicity and has shied away from the limelight. The appreciation of those in need is the most treasured reward possible, and the letters of thanks are most heartwarming.

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Tom Sherak

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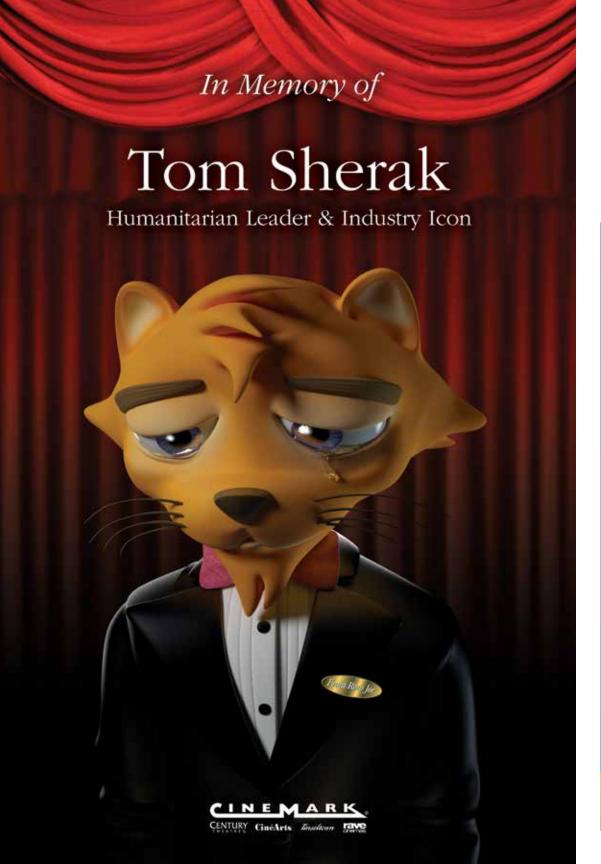
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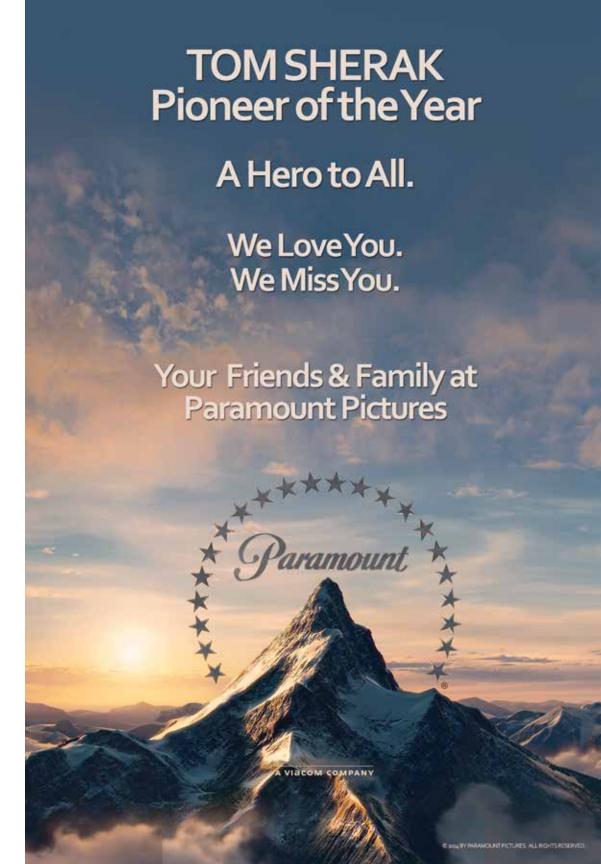
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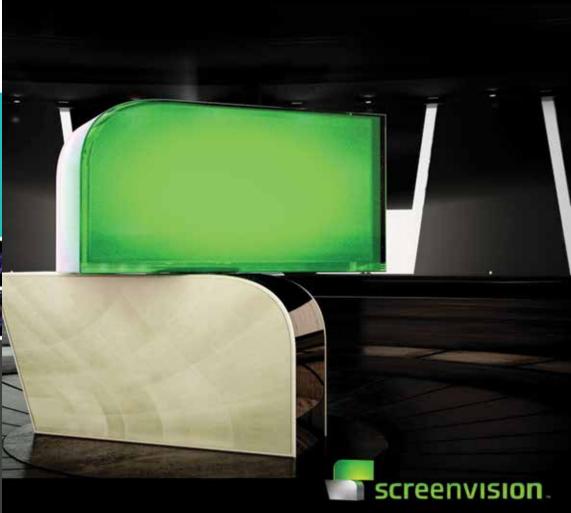


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The things you do for yourself are gone when you are gone, but the things you do for others remain as your legacy.

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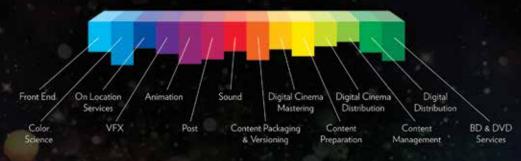
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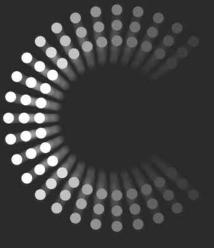
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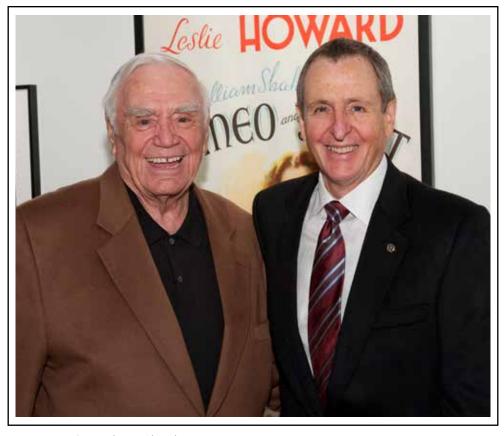
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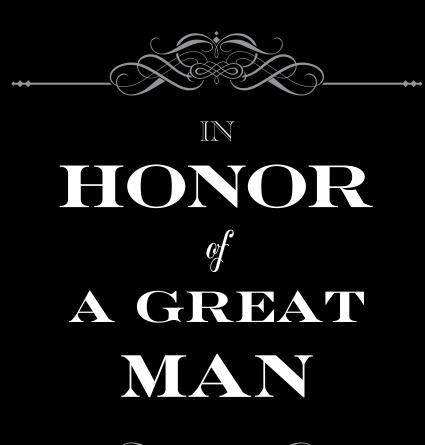




"We are all here for a spell, get all the good laughs you can." —Will Rogers



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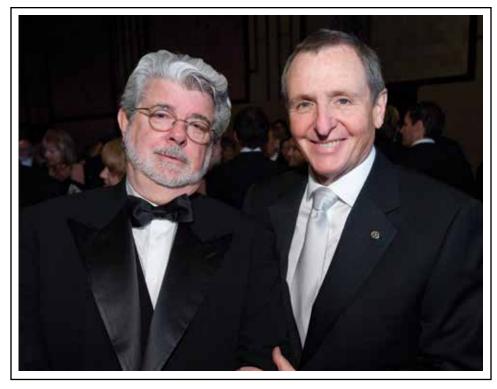
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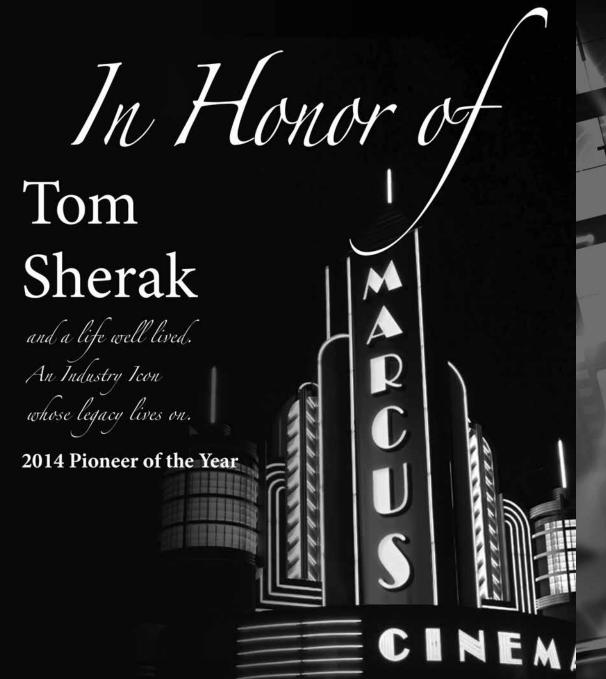


"If you want a line on a man, ask someone who works with him." —Will Rogers



George Lucas and Tom Sherak





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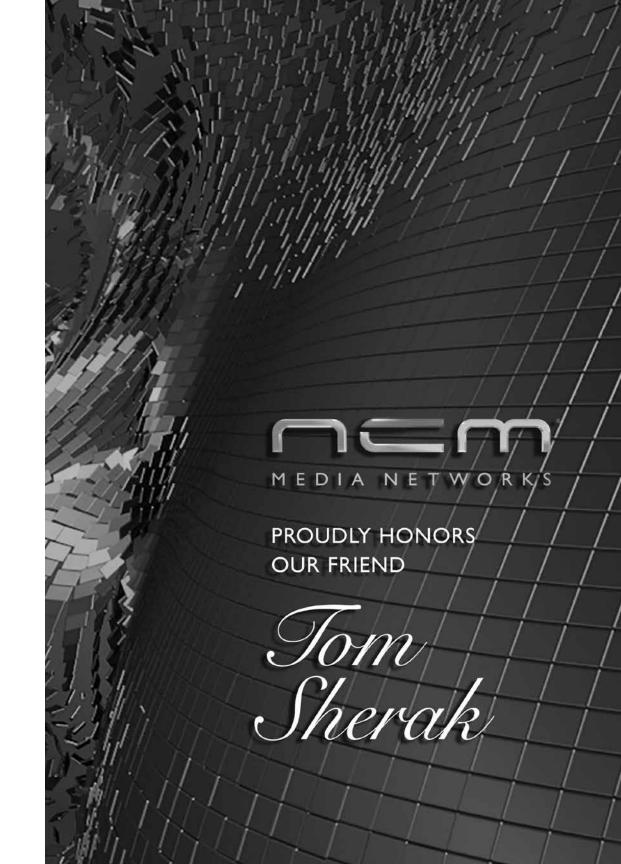
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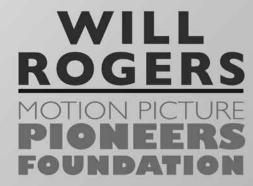
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"We can't all be heroes because somebody has
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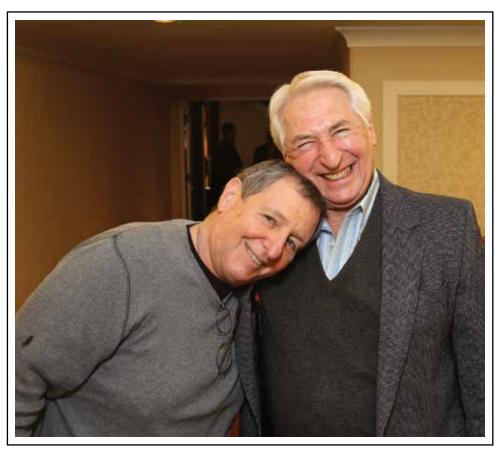
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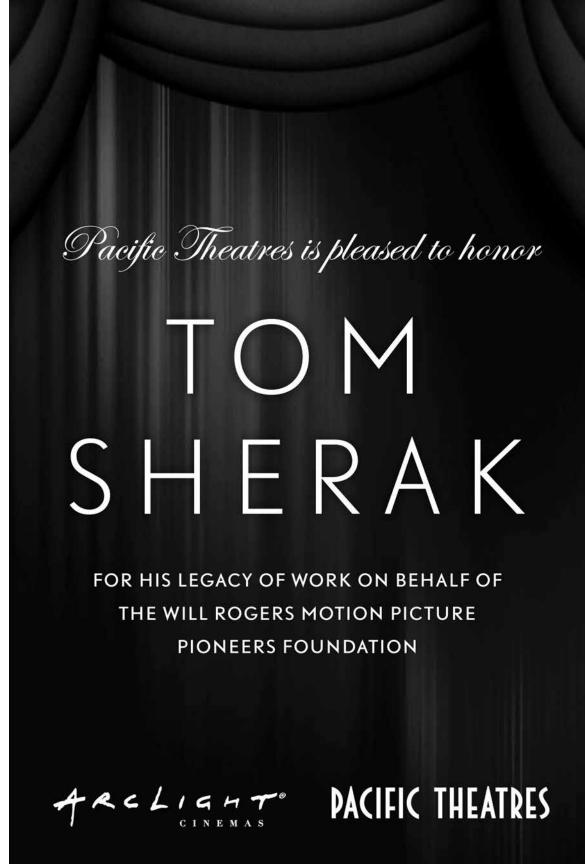
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"And each one there Has one thing shared They have sweated beneath the same sun Looked up in wonder at the same moon And wept when it was all done For bein' done too soon For bein' done too soon."

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Tom Sherak and Dick Cook

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Tom Sherak

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A GREAT HUMANITARIAN,

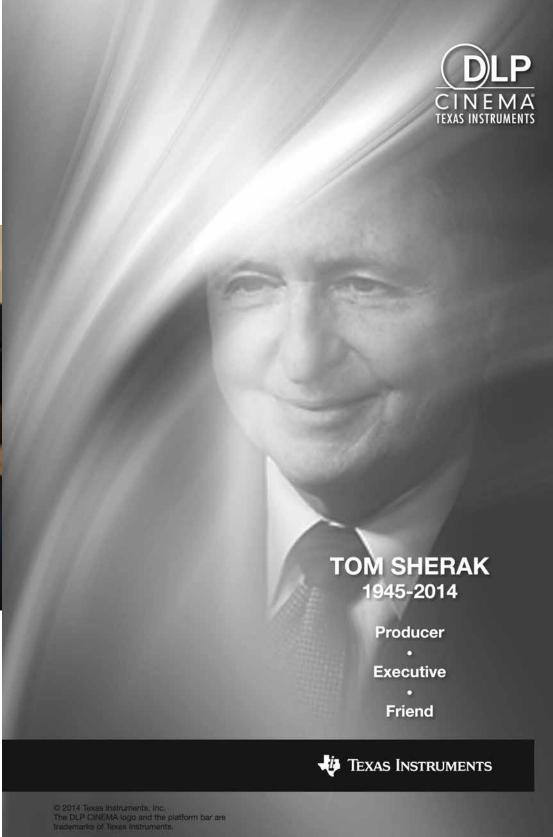
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INSPIRATION TO US ALL.





Tom Sherak, Paul Mitchell and Jeffrey Goldstein



Dear Tom,

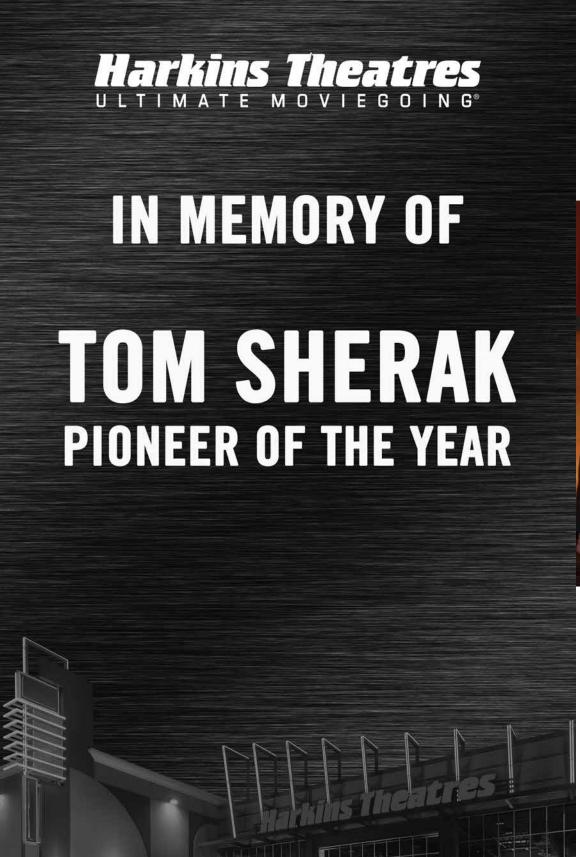
To me...
you were
Pioneer of the Year
every year.
I can't tell you how much,
and in how many
ways I miss you.

With Love,

Larry



Lawrence Gordon and Tom Sherak





Roger Corman, Lauren Bacall, Gordon Willis and Tom Sherak, 2009 Governors Awards

Tommy,

For everything you've done and for all that you are.

Thank You

For always being there, for your friendship, leadership, and guidance.

On behalf of all of those who know you, you are, and will always be the best,

Forever in our hearts.

Erik Lomis & Family



Will Rogers Institute 1999 PSA shoot with Fox NFL Sunday commentators

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Your contributions will be remembered for years to come.



IN HONOR OF A GREAT HUMANITARIAN

TOM SHERAK 2014 PIONEER OF THE YEAR



2014 Pioneer of the Year



HIS INSPIRATION WILL LIVE ON FOREVER.

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Unselfish and noble actions are the most radiant pages in the biography of souls.

Dylan Thomas

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PIONEER OF THE YEAR 2014

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THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF

TOM SHERAK

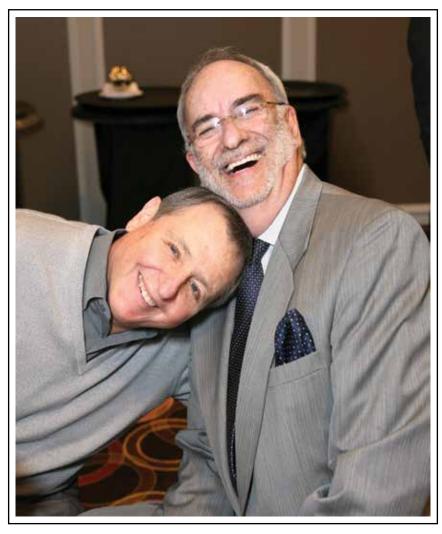
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2014 PIONEER OF THE YEAR











Tom Sherak and Bruce Snyder

Tom, You inspired me to be a better person. Forever in my heart. Janet Jackson

MY DEAR BELOVED FRIEND,
MY BELOVED COLLEAGUE,
MY TRUSTED CONFIDANTE,

I MISS YOU EVERYDAY.
BRUCE SNYDER



Remembers

TOM SHERAK

Humanitarian Leader and Industry Icon

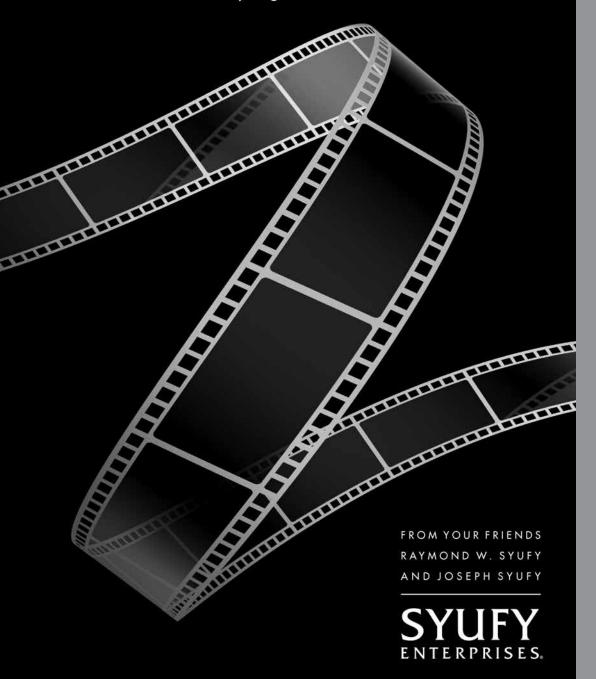
at the 73rd Annual Pioneer of the Year Dinner



CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF 2014 PIONEER OF THE YEAR

TOM SHERAK

Humanitarian, Philanthropist and Entertainment Industry Legend



Tom -

We will never forget
your tireless leadership,
humorous spirit, and unwavering
commitment to help those in need.

Your Friends at Toy Box





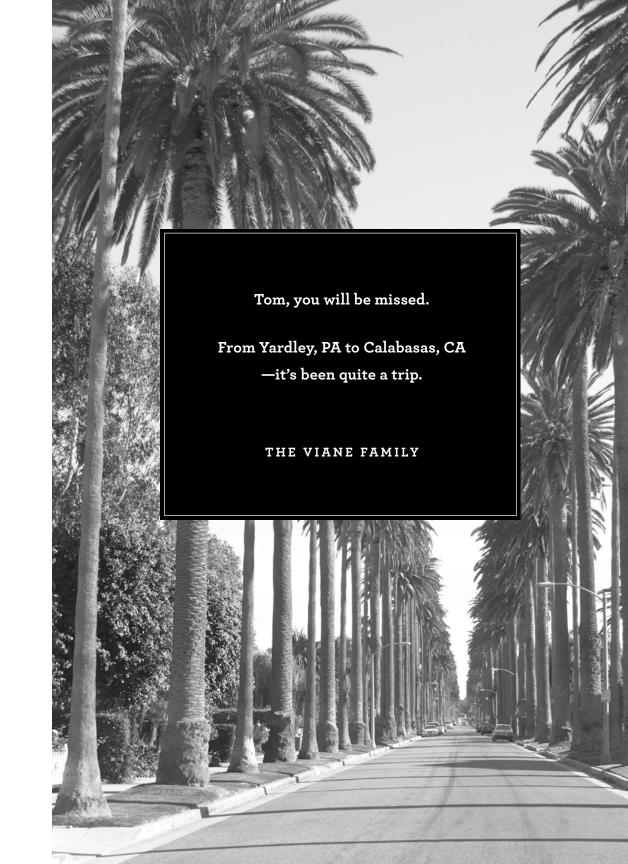
Tom Sherak was a champion of the entertainment industry, a passionate colleague and a dedicated philanthropist whose legacy will be an inspiration for future filmmakers.

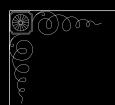
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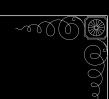
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Madeleine and Tom Sherak, Nikki Rocco and Chuck Viane







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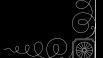
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"It's great to be great,
but it's greater to be human."
—Will Rogers

In your memory, we honor you, TOM SHERAK

Your pioneering spirit endures.

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"Those who are wise shine brightly and those who lead with passion shine like the stars, for ever and ever."



Tom Sherak Pioneering Spirit

Tom was an integral part of the Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneers' family and so very deserving of the 2014 Pioneer of the Year award.



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Will Rogers Motion Picture
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2014 Pioneer of the Year

Your leadership and humanitarian spirit will always be remembered.

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TOM SHERAK

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The Motion Picture Club warmly honors the legacy of

Tom Sherak

our dear friend and longtime member.





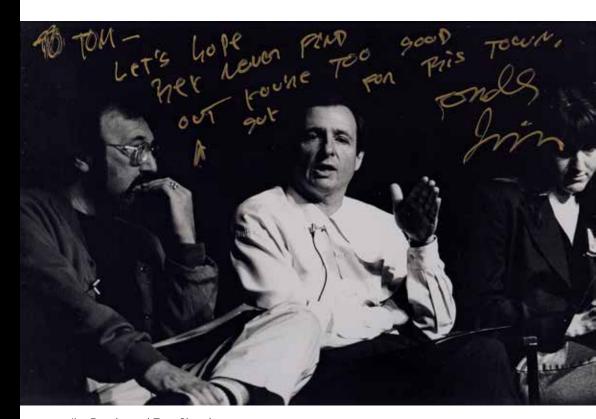
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In Memory of Tom Sherak
We Miss You!
Everlasting be your memory.

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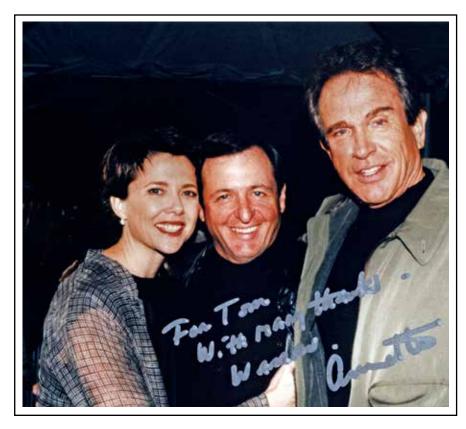
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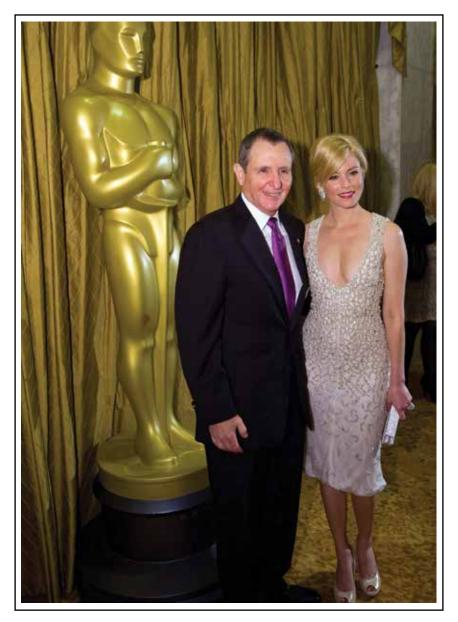
A legend, an inspiration and a true Pioneer







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In Memoriam
Tom Sherak

2014 Pioneer of the Year

For your kind acts of generosity to industry veterans in need, we salute you.

We are pleased to honor your memory on behalf of the numerous lives you've touched.









In Loving Memory of our dear friend Tom Sherak.

A wonderful man who inspired our community.

Thank you for your leadership, guidance and dedication to the entertainment industry.

You will be forever present in all of our hearts.

All our love,

Mark Burnett and Roma Downey





The Canadian Picture Pioneers Board of Directors and its members across Canada

wish to recognize

TOM SHERAK

2014 Pioneer of the Year



CANADIAN PICTURE PIONEERS

The Canadian Picture Pioneers have been providing financial assistance for employees and their families in the motion picture industry since 1940.

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Fom, You are in our hearts forever! We love you! Gary Canter and the Canter Family





Anne Hathaway and Tom Sherak

"For that's all there is to success is satisfaction." —Will Rogers

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To our friend, former boss, mentor and confidant:

Tom we will miss you...

Bill and Susan Herting

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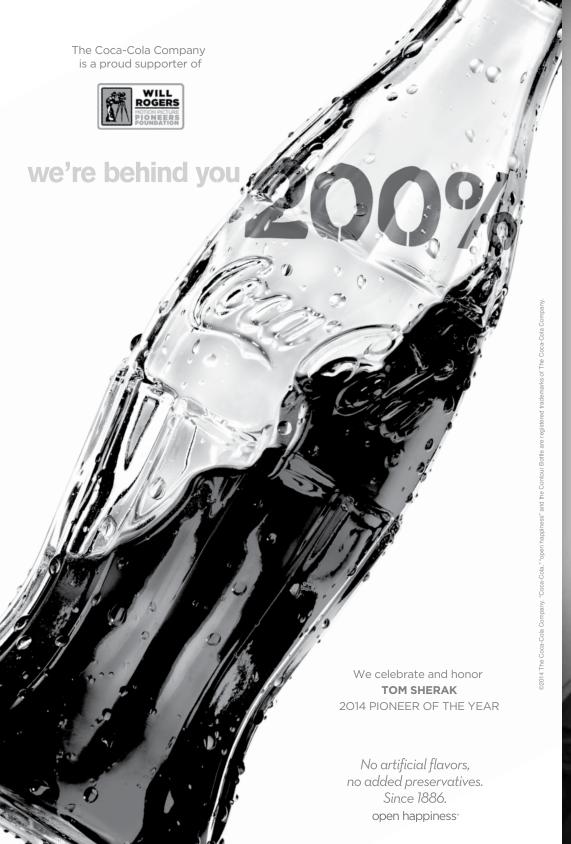
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and his many achievements and contributions to the industry.



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2014 Pioneer of the Year



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and his myriad contributions
and unforgettable impact
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In Loving Tribute to a Great Humanitarian and an Even Finer Human Being



Tom Sherak

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PROMETHEUS

Tom Sherak tom' sher' ak (tom- share-ack)

Noun: Man

Adjective: Great man

SYNONYMS: leader, charitable, family, generous,

film salesman, humanitarian, icon



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Honors the Legacy of

TOM SHERAK

Industry Legend and True Pioneer

Imagine a world with a CUITE for everything. Tom did.

inspiration to all of us.

Patty & Ed Goren





TOM SHERAK

Tom's considerable contributions to the Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneers Foundation, the MS Hope Foundation and the motion picture industry have established a lasting legacy for all whose lives he touched.

George Krikorian & the Krikorian Premiere Theatres Family

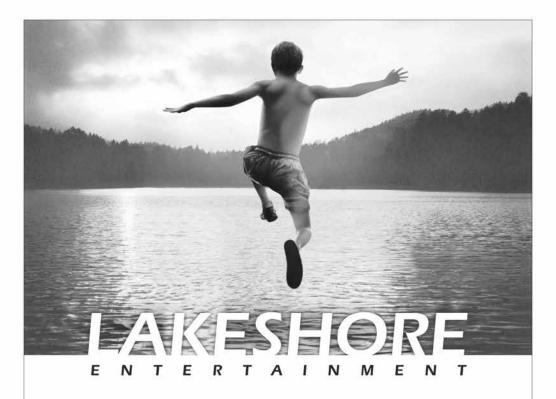


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A perfect honor for a wonderful man whose love and friendship we will always cherish.

Nesa, Hank & David



TOM, YOU'RE ONE OF A KIND! THANKS FOR ALL YOU'VE

THANKS FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR THE INDUSTRY!

From Your Friends At:



IN HONOR OF TOM SHERAK

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TOM SHERAK

Hollywood Film Czar

Academy President

Marketing & Distribution Guru

Partner

Baseball Enthusiast

Family Man

A Friend
I dearly miss

Rob



Salutes

TOM SHERAK

and his legacy as a true

PIONEER

in giving back to those in our industry in need of help and support.

"And as we let our own light shine, we unconsciously give other people permission to do the same."

--Nelson Mandela



You've been the light for countless people with MS. We are deeply grateful and promise to keep it shining bright.



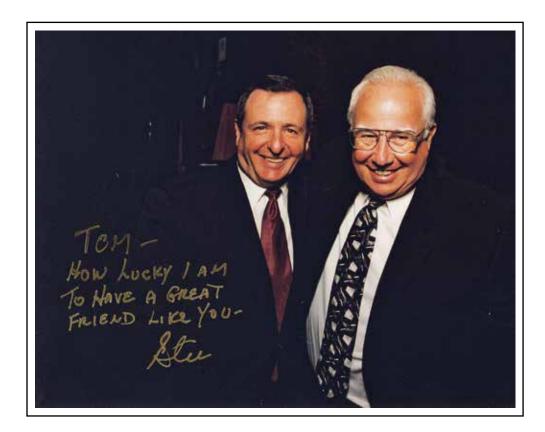
National Multiple Sclerosis Society

Dearest Godfather,

Your million best friends will be forever grateful for your loving kindness, generosity of spirit and wonderful, uplifting humor.

Save us some seats in the balcony.
With eternal love,

Amy & Andy
Sandy & Linda
Renee & Michael



Tom Sherak and Stu Nahan

Tom directed all of us...to be more generous, more kind, more passionate, more caring about what truly matters.



Congratulations to the Sherak Family on this well-deserved honor.

We will miss him.

The Entire Neinstein Family & All his friends at



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IN LOVING MEMORY OF TOM SHERAK

2014

PIONEER OF THE YEAR

AWARD

A PILLAR OF THE ART AND FILM COMMUNITIES THROUGH ALL HIS HARD WORK AND GENEROSITY

YOU WILL BE MISSED,
BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN...

YOUR FRIENDS AT OPEN ROAD FILMS



We at OFLF will always remember your giving spirit and friendship.

We already miss you.

Thank you for everything.





Tom Sherak and Richie Fay

IN HONOR OF A TRUE LEGEND

TOM SHERAK
2014 PIONEER OF THE YEAR



We honor

TOM SHERAK

2014 Pioneer of the Year

&

The Pioneers Assistance Fund







Tom

My life has been enriched by knowing you. My life will never be the same without you.

Thank you for being my boss, mentor and confidant.

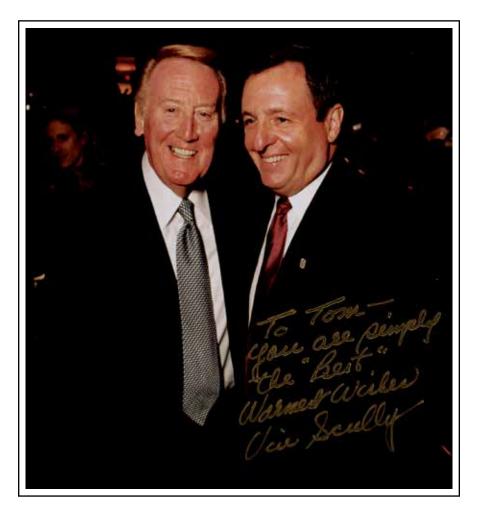
Nancy

WE HONOR OUR FRIEND TOM SHERAK.

YOU WILL ALWAYS BE
REMEMBERED FOR THE
WONDERFUL THINGS YOU DID.

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Vin Scully and Tom Sherak

With love, from Vin Scully and Family

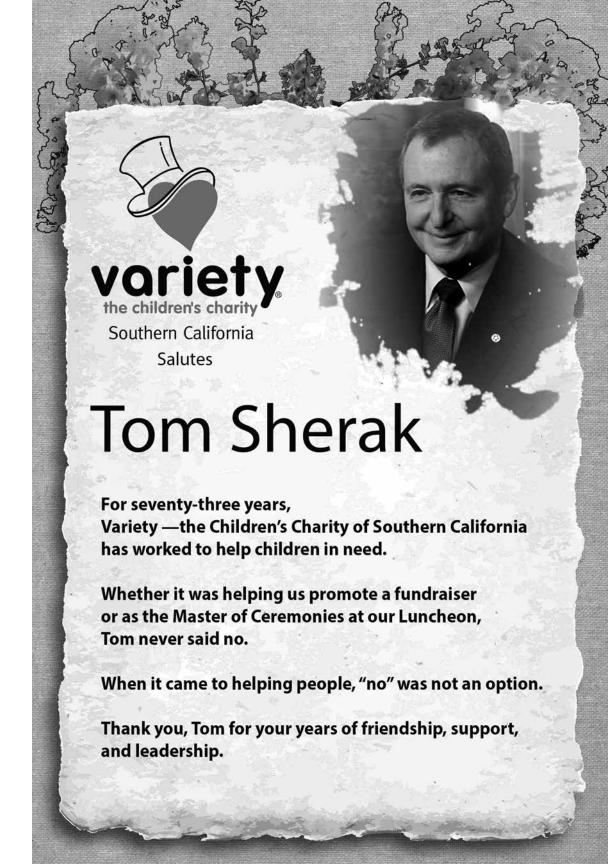
"It is better to have a meaningful life and make a difference than to merely have a long life."

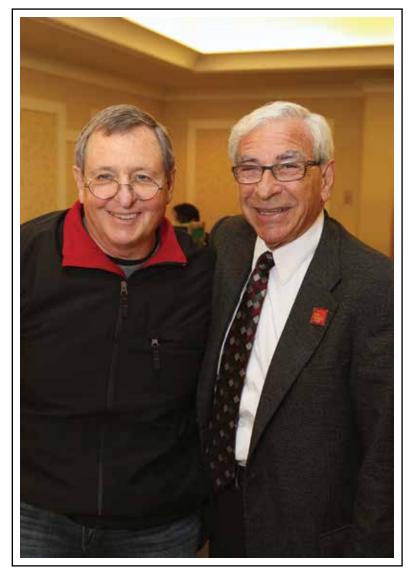
-Bryant H. McGill

Tom's legacy of giving will enrich the lives of generations to come.

Kevin Goetz







Tom Sherak and Dr. Edward Crandall



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AND
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WHO UNDERSTOOD THAT...

"IT'S WHAT YOU DO RIGHT NOW THAT MAKES A DIFFERENCE."

- BLACK HAWK DOWN (2001)





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TOM SHERAK 2014 Pioneer of the Year

Dick Fox, Don Fox & Sheryl Myerson





Imagine a world in which everything had a cure.

Tom did.

At a Dinner of Champions, I congratulated Tom on the success of the event and told him I hoped his dream of a cure for MS was indeed just around the corner. Tom put both hands on my shoulder and said, "Imagine a world in which everything had a cure."

Walking away he turned and added, "I do."

-Alan Davy





In Memory of Tom

We love you, we miss you, we smile when we think of you; memories of you are a blessing to us; your love of life, people and family is an inspiration to us all.

With all our love, The Gildenberg, Altman, Gould and Saretsky Families (The Michigan Cousins)





We honor

TOM SHERAK 2014 Pioneer of the Year

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Miss You

Love, Peter & Laurie Grad

In Tribute

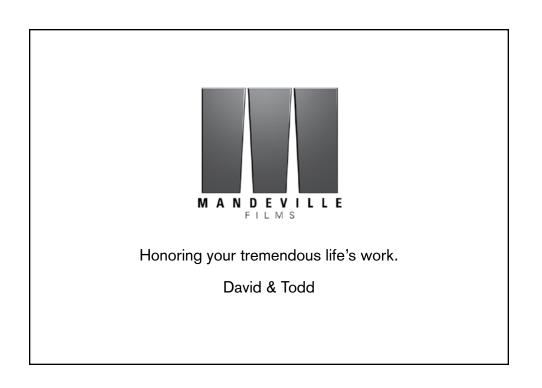
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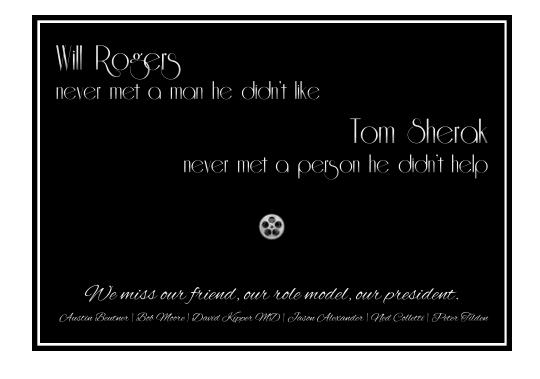
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Tom Sherak



Studio executive, producer, industry leader, philanthropist.

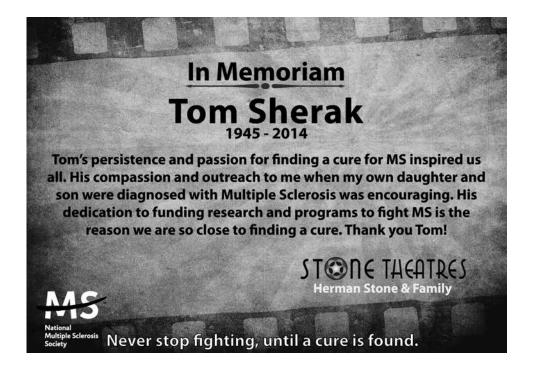
We remember you as one of the best... Someone who gave this town a good name.

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In Honor of TOM SHERAK

For all his contributions to the industry.

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We warmly salute Tom for personally making such a positive impact on our family's life and the lives of so many he touched.

Tom is an inspiration to us all

The Tannenbaum Family Don, Linda, Brian and Jenny

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Our website, www.wrpioneers.org, includes a comprehensive national directory with helpful information and resources. We also provide a variety of brochures and publications to guide members through life issues.

The PAF staff of skilled social workers, who are specialized in gerontology, provide consultations, information and helpful referrals to our members free of charge.

Social Service Consultations: When Life Is Challenging

Social workers are professionals who provide helpful information and advice. In addition to helping solve short- and long-term challenges, our PAF social workers provide confidential consultations.

These consultations include:

Federal/state benefits screening Bereavement counseling

Health insurance Advice Education Elder care guidance Advocacy

 Supportive counseling Financial aid

We also provide referrals to:

Health care professionals Vocational counselors

Home health agencies Attorneys Transportation services Conservators Financial advisors

MPPAF online national resource directory

Housing

All consultations are made with a non-judgmental approach and regard for each person's unique emotional, medical and financial status.

Assistance Programs: When Income and Assets Are Limited

MEDICAL REHABILITATION

Physician fees Physical therapy Diagnostic tests Psychotherapy Medications Health insurance

Home health care

EQUIPMENT

Hearing aids Home health supplies Orthotics Bath safety aids

Mobility aids Emergency call systems

Assistive devices

The medical rehabilitation and equipment programs require five recent years of employment in the motion picture entertainment industry and exclude treatment of alcohol or substance abuse.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Skill analysis Retraining

Career counseling

EMERGENCY GRANTS

Housing Food

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QUALITY OF LIFE GRANTS

Monthly Stipend

This program requires a lengthy career in the motion picture entertainment industry prior to retirement. Applicants must be at least 60 years of age, unless permanently disabled with extenuating circumstances.

Pioneers Assistance Fund

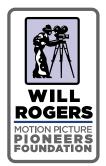
Be A Little Better Everyday

The PAF, in addition to providing short- and long-term assistance, is dedicated to encouraging everyone to feel the best they can by following the **5 Tenets for Happy Living** by offering free educational brochures to the public. Please visit our website www.wrpioneers.org or call us at (800) 994-3863 to receive free educational brochures that can help you find balance in your mental, physical and financial health by integrating the 5 Tenets listed below.

- Eat Smart: Eat whole foods. Healthy eating starts with learning new ways to eat, like adding more fruits, vegetables and whole grains and cutting back on foods that have a lot of fat, salt, and sugar.
- **Keep Moving**: We know exercise improves cardiovascular health, builds muscle, and keeps us looking good, but research is showing that it also boosts brain health by sharpening our memory, improving cognition and even alleviating anxieties.
- Manage Bad Habits: You've heard it before, but quitting smoking and reducing alcohol can really improve your quality of life. We all have our vices, but science is really finding how we can effectively change long term habits and triggers that don't do us any good by understanding what makes us do the things we do. Get curious!
- Keep Stress in Check: We know you know that too much stress leads to poor health outcomes, but did you know that it can also accelerate the aging process, suppress our immune systems, and leave us feeling fatigued and depressed. Our brochures cover the gamut of stressful events in our lives—from long term health care, plans for retirement, and even end of life decisions. Empowering ourselves with knowledge can make our lives more manageable and hopefully, better.
- Rest Well: Adequate sleep is pivotal in a balanced, healthy lifestyle. Sleep plays a critical role in immune function, metabolism, memory and learning. Studies show that adults should be getting between seven to nine hours of sleep per night. With our busy lives, it's no wonder that sleep is not a priority—but research is revealing that we really can't afford not to pay attention to how much time we spend sleeping!

"Eventually you will reach a point when you stop lying about your age and start bragging about it."

—Will Rogers



Will Rogers:

A History of Helping Our Own

Throughout the 1920s and 30s, tuberculosis (TB) was as familiar to vaudevillians as cold

dressing rooms, drafty theaters and damp hotel rooms, all of which actually increased the spread of the disease. In 1927, the National Vaudeville Association (NVA) founded a lodge at Saranac Lake, New York, as a convalescent home for performers afflicted with TB. The lodge's mission was to treat TB patients as friends, not as the more typical outcasts.

Initially, the lodge prospered, but the growing severity of the Great Depression and the decreasing popularity of vaudeville created financial difficulties. In 1935, following the death of Will Rogers, the NVA transferred the lodge's responsibilities to the Will Rogers Memorial Commission, which was formed following the tragic death of the beloved humanitarian. The commission extended the services of the lodge to benefit everyone in the entertainment industry as a memorial to the man who loved all mankind. In 1936, the commission changed its name to the Will Rogers Memorial Fund and the lodge was named the Will Rogers Memorial Hospital.

An official declaration was written in May, 1936: "Henceforth it will be known as the Will Rogers Memorial Hospital, and it will become a permanent monument in memory of the popular humorist-philosopher, as a haven for unfortunate members of the entertainment industry to which he devoted his life."

At this time the fund's Summer Theatrical public service announcements were launched in movie theaters nationwide. The first trailer featured stars including Shirley Temple, James Cagney, Humphrey Bogart, and Bing Crosby singing Will Rogers' favorite song, "Home on the Range."

By 1939, a small group of movie industry members would gather in New York at an annual luncheon. These social occasions took on a whole new meaning when the group announced its intent "to establish a self-perpetuating fund to assist pioneers of the motion picture industry who find themselves in need; the assistance consisting of direct financial aid, medical care and temporary business subsistence during periods of unemployment and unfortunate circumstances to eligible applicants." That small group formalized its purpose and in 1951 became the Foundation of Motion Picture Pioneers.

During the 1950s and '60s, the Will Rogers Memorial Fund expanded to create a teaching and training program for medical research at Will Rogers Memorial Hospital, marking the beginning of the Will Rogers Institute (WRI). Doctors and scientists were encouraged to study the complex problems associated with lung diseases, especially TB, and their work

led to results culminating in the discovery of a treatment for TB. As a result, the number of patients diminished, leading to the hospital's closure in 1975.

The Will Rogers Memorial Fund Board of Directors expanded the charity's activities through a nationwide preventive health education campaign in the '70s. The WRI was formally established in White Plains, New York, on the grounds of Burke Rehabilitation Hospital. The institute used Burke's resources, patient care facilities and laboratories for the next 20 years, until moving to Los Angeles to be in the heart of the entertainment industry.

The WRI spent the next five years supporting advancements in pulmonary research, reaching out to the public to promote health and wellness, and becoming more recognized within the motion picture industry. The connection between the Memorial Fund and the industry pioneers was solidified in 2002 when the Foundation of Motion Picture Pioneers merged with the Will Rogers Memorial Fund to create the most meaningful charity supported by the motion picture industry, the Will Rogers Motion Picture Pioneers Foundation (WRMPPF).

Today, the WRMPPF operates two distinct programs: the Will Rogers Institute and the Motion Picture Pioneers Assistance Fund. The WRI supports the research of debilitating lung disorders, provides medical school re-

search fellowships, distributes free health education materials and provides lifesaving neonatal ventilator equipment. The institute is one of the country's largest suppliers of public service announcements for television, cable and radio. Featuring celebrities from stage, film and television, these messages reinforce the Will Rogers Institute's complete involvement in pulmonary medicine and public information.

The Pioneers Assistance Fund continues the mission of the Foundation of Motion Picture Pioneers by helping individuals from the motion picture community who are ill, injured or experiencing major life changes. Our social workers provide confidential consultations and financial assistance to help individuals get back to normal lives and continue living with dignity.



Will Rogers Memorial Hospital, Saranac Lake, New York



"People are marvelous in their generosity if they just know the cause is there."

— Will Rogers

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"Here I am sitting with Kirk Douglas, posing for a picture, and I said under my breath, 'Mr. Douglas, you are my idol.'

I told him that I had seen Spartacus seven times.

He said, "Tom did you pay?"

I said, '"Yes, I paid seven times.'"

—Tom Sherak



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

SEE YOU AGAIN NEXT YEAR.