Clarence Edward Wright

May 29, 1938 - November 6, 2018

Clarence Edward Wright, age 80, of Kents Ridge Road section of Cedar Bluff, VA, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2018 at his home.

Clarence was born in Jewell Ridge, VA and was the son of the late Jonce Samuel and Marjorie June Stevenson Wright. He was a 16-year veteran of the U.S. Navy serving time during Vietnam. He was retired from American Wire in Rhode Island where he had lived most of his life. After moving to the Richlands area 14 years ago, he went to work for Cumberland Security. Clarence loved his job working security for Clinch Valley Medical Center, it allowed him the opportunity to converse with such a wide variety of people. He was a longtime fan of the Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots. He attended St. Mary's Catholic Church, Cedar Bluff Community Church and the Chapel of Love. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, Joel and Richard Wright; his first wife, Shirley Wright; and Ronald Russ.

He is survived by:
His Wife, Josephine "Jo" Martin Russ Wright

Daughter:
Cheryl Ann Spencer and husband, Jim of RI
Rhonda Meade and husband, Darrell of Cedar Bluff, VA

Renee Glass and husband, Brian of Shepherdsville, KY

Son: Richard Lee Wright of Columbus, TN

Sisters:
Betty Wright Campbell of Blackey, KY
Susie Culbertson of Cedar Bluff, VA

Brothers:
Roy Lee Wright and wife, Dorothy of Cedar Bluff, VA
Jonce Mickey Wright of Elizabethton, KY

Special Niece, June Marie Wilson
Special Brother-in-Law and Sister-in-Law, James and Gwen Martin of Ormond Beach, FL

Grandchildren: Timothy Horgan and wife, Sarah; Dan Horgan, Chad Meade and wife, Julie; Chase Meade-Patton and husband, Jeff; Carson Glass and Cailyn Glass; Great Grandchildren: Abbey, Noah, Hanna, Ella-Rae, Hollyn Bleu

Several nieces, nephews; great nieces and nephews also survive along with a host of family and friends.

Funeral services for Clarence Edward Wright will be conducted at 2:00 pm on Friday, November 9, 2018 at Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, VA with Rev. Richard Smith, Rev. Roger Lester, and Rev. J.C. Johnson officiating. Entombment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens Mausoleum at Claypool Hill, VA. Pallbearers will be: Jonce Culbertson, Mac Culbertson, Cpt Jon Wright, James William Martin, Chad Meade, Jeff Patton, Greg Street, Brian Glass, Darrell Meade, Carson Glass and Noah Meade. The Employees

of Cumberland Security and Clinch Valley Medical Center will serve as honorary pallbearers. The Wright family will be receiving friends from 6-9 pm on Thursday evening at the funeral home. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **8**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Funeral Service

NOV **9**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

Clarence Edward Wright

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM

Clarence Edward Wright

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM

CR

Christopher Ryan Rogich lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Christopher Ryan rogich - November 15, 2018 at 08:46 AM

Melissa Muzzleman lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Melissa Muzzleman - November 13, 2018 at 02:10 AM

CS

Charlotte, Sam & Family And Anita Short lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Charlotte, Sam & Family and Anita Short - November 09, 2018 at 01:23 PM

Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Clarence Edward Wright.

November 09, 2018 at 11:36 AM

TT

Truena Taylor lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Truena Taylor - November 09, 2018 at 09:49 AM

JW

Prayers for the family. Clarence was such a nice man and I was blessed to know him. Very sorry for your loss.

Judy West - November 09, 2018 at 09:26 AM

TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

TonyanEdgar Wicks - November 09, 2018 at 08:53 AM

JW

Judy West lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Judy West - November 09, 2018 at 08:22 AM

PL

Pat Rickey Lyons sent a virtual gift in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Pat Rickey Lyons - November 09, 2018 at 02:30 AM

SD

Sara Dye lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Sara Dye - November 08, 2018 at 06:51 PM

CF

Chuck And Nancy Folsom lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Chuck and Nancy Folsom - November 08, 2018 at 03:16 PM

BW

Bailey And Lois Whited sent a virtual gift in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Bailey and Lois Whited - November 08, 2018 at 02:31 PM

Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Clarence Edward Wright.

November 08, 2018 at 10:32 AM

DC

Doug And Malinda Cannaday lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Doug and Malinda Cannaday - November 08, 2018 at 07:04 AM

GM

Dr. Roy, Dorothy, and the Wright Family. Our Prayers are with you. Gerald and Betty

Gerald and Betty McClanahan - November 08, 2018 at 06:09 AM

JB

Heaven has gained another angel, I dearly loved this man. He always wore a smile and always a kind word. Jo,I'm so very sorry for your loss. He was a wonderful friend. The 3 of us have shared a few laughs together. I know he's gonna be missed tremendously at CVMC. Prayers for you and your family.

Janet Baldwin - November 08, 2018 at 03:34 AM

KS

Jo I'm so sorry for your loss.....he will be missed by all who knew him...

Kelly Riley Stanleyand Juanita Riley

Kelly Riley Stanley - November 07, 2018 at 11:28 PM

Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Carolyn Pyles - November 07, 2018 at 09:59 PM

GT

Such a nice man. He will be missed. Dear family, thank you for sharing your loved one with so many of us.

Gail Tatum - November 07, 2018 at 05:28 PM

AL

Ashton Lester lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Ashton lester - November 07, 2018 at 04:56 PM

SC

I will truly miss popie. Praying for each of you❤️🙏. Love Sharon Cole

sharon cole - November 07, 2018 at 04:56 PM

PL

Peggy Lester lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Peggy Lester - November 07, 2018 at 04:55 PM

NR

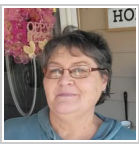
Norma Jewell Richardson lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Norma Jewell Richardson - November 07, 2018 at 04:45 PM

LN

Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

Leroy Nelson - November 07, 2018 at 04:27 PM



Jo I'm so sorry for your loss love and prayers

Joann Joyce - November 07, 2018 at 04:26 PM

RJ

Jo, I am so sorry to hear this. I always enjoyed talking to you both on my visits to the gift shop while I was working at Clinch Valley. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. You both are the kindest of people. ❤️

Robin Jones - November 07, 2018 at 04:12 PM

MJ

A great man is gone. I will forever remember how he could always make any of us smile at work on the worst days. CVMC will not be the same without his presence. Prayers for all the family and for everyone who had the pleasure of knowing such an amazing man

Michelle Justice - November 07, 2018 at 02:43 PM

JW

He always had a smile and something good to say, loved talking to him. To Jo, Susie and all the family, may God wrap you in His arms and comfort you and give you much peace. Pat and Jerry Warner

Jerry and Pat Warner - November 07, 2018 at 01:48 PM

Beverly Byrd

Jo, We are sorry to hear about Clarence. We will be praying for you and the family..We love you.

Paul and Beverly Byrd

Beverly Byrd - November 07, 2018 at 01:10 PM

CS

I knew Clarence and Mickey from working with them at Cumberland Security. Clarence was so kind to me and always had a smile when greeting everyone. I will greatly miss him. God bless his family. Clarsie Smith

Clarsie Smith - November 07, 2018 at 01:09 PM

LN

Larry Nelson lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Wright

larry nelson - November 07, 2018 at 12:52 PM

CF

Sincere sympathy to Jo and the entire Wright family...Clarence served in the Navy with my husband and we had a great reunion in Pennsylvania a few years ago...He knew how to make everyone smile and he will be missed...may memories of happy times spent with this wonderful man keep him forever in the hearts of those who loved him...Chuck and Nancy Folsom

Chuck and Nancy Folsom - November 08, 2018 at 02:23 PM