



## Shane Steele

August 23, 1974 - January 11, 2023

Christopher Shane Steele, age 48, of Cedar Bluff, VA passed away unexpectedly in his home on January 11, 2023.

Shane is survived by his wife, Kim Steele. He is also survived by his daughter Morgan Brooke Cunningham and husband J. Barrett Cunningham III of Jonesborough, TN and son Logan Chandler Steele, Lauren Stewart, and grandson Easton James Steele of Cedar Bluff, VA. Shane is also survived by his 3 stepchildren Sydney Altizer, Caleb Altizer, and Kendra Broussard. He is survived by his mother Mary Ruth Steele, sister LaRhonda Lindsey and husband York Lindsey, and brother Todd Steele. Shane is preceded in death by his father, William "Bill" Steele, Jr.

Shane was born at Moses Cone Hospital in Greensboro, NC on August 23, 1974, the son of the late William "Bill" Steele, Jr and Mary Ruth Steele. Shane graduated from Richlands High School in 1992.

Shane worked more than 25 years at Holston Valley Distributing Company and Blue Ridge Beverage, and always strived to provide for his family. In April 2021, he started his own lawn care business while working part-time at UPS. Recently Shane accepted a new position at UPS as a truck driver and was very excited about his new adventure. Through his lawn care business, he provided mentorship to many young men in the community demonstrating

responsibility and a strong work ethic.

Shane served as President of the Richlands Football Parent's Club and was very supportive of the Blue Tornado football program. Shane was a proud supporter of Richlands Athletics, and especially loved watching his kids participate in the various local sports.

Shane never failed to participate in a family gathering, and proudly instigated the wrapping paper war at GMaw's house each Christmas. He always made time for a homecooked breakfast with his mom and family cookouts at his sister's. Shane loved going to Steeler's games, concerts, vacationing at a beach or lake, and mostly enjoyed spending time with family. Their house was always open to company, with friends and family flowing in and out.

Shane was extremely proud of his children and stepchildren, from their success in sports to their pursuit of education. He admired his daughter, Morgan, and her diligence for pursuing a career in pharmacy. Shane was always seen supporting his kids at school sporting events, and most notably seen cheering on his son Logan at the Richlands High School football games. Most importantly, he was proud of the strong character that each of his children had grown into. Shane's eyes lit up at the sight of his precious grandson, Easton, whom he loved immensely, and he was most proud seeing Logan become a loving father.

A quote by Tom Wolfe that Shane valued and exemplified throughout his life is "The only true possession you have in life is your character." Shane's character was defined by his humility, kindness, generosity, and fun-loving spirit.

One of Shane's desires for his children was the opportunity to obtain a college education; therefore, in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to

his son Logan's educational fund:

New Peoples Bank  
C/O Logan Steele Educational Fund  
PO Box 495  
Pounding Mill, VA 24637

Funeral services for Shane Steele will be conducted Sunday, January 15, 2023 at 2pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia with the Pastor Joel Horn officiating. Interment will follow at the Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery in Richlands, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Mike Webb, Anthony Frazier, Brian Bales, Jeff Justus, Brian Perkins, Montie Albert, Forrest White, and Jim Hutchinson. Honorary Pallbearers will be: Henry Cantrell, Mike Compton, Jeremy Arms, CJ Arms, Garret Arms, Jason Matthews, and Brad Strouth. Friends may call from 12pm until 2pm on Sunday prior to the funeral at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. 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](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery

3201 West Front Street/US 460  
Richlands, VA 24641

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 15. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

JAN 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shane Steele



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - January 16, 2023 at 08:43 AM



“ Richie Drum lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Richie Drum - February 07, 2023 at 09:23 PM



“ Tom and Dot McGlothlin lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Tom and Dot McGlothlin - January 19, 2023 at 04:44 PM

RH

“ Robin Horton lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Robin Horton - January 16, 2023 at 04:28 PM

LP

“ Kim, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray you will feel God's loving arms around you.

Linda (Whitt, Joyce, Russ) Pendry  
Ruby Dye's Sister

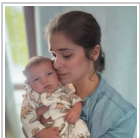
Linda Pendry - January 16, 2023 at 03:13 PM

DB

“ Derek Bennett lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Derek Bennett - January 16, 2023 at 05:29 AM



“ Valerie Cagle lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Valerie Cagle - January 16, 2023 at 01:23 AM

JR

*I am so very sorry for your loss. I had the privilege of knowing Shane when he worked at Holston Valley Distributing... he was a delightful gentleman in every sense of the words. I pray that you can be comforted by the promises of the Gospel and that you will have peace and comfort i the days ahead.*

**Jane Robinson** - January 16, 2023 at 03:35 PM

JR

“ *JOHN AND WENDY REEDY lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



**JOHN AND WENDY REEDY** - January 15, 2023 at 06:41 PM

SS

“ *Sue Smithson lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



**Sue Smithson** - January 15, 2023 at 06:21 PM

DB

“ *Dean, April And Cade Berry lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



**Dean, April and Cade Berry** - January 15, 2023 at 04:10 PM

KF

“ *Kim & Kenny Fields lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Kim & Kenny Fields** - January 15, 2023 at 02:44 PM

AL

“ *So very sorry for your loss. Sending hugs and prayers for peace and comfort during this most difficult time 🙏.*



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**Andrea Lester** - January 15, 2023 at 02:25 PM

TP

“ *Thomas Peak lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Thomas Peak** - January 15, 2023 at 02:20 PM

TM

“ *Teresa Mullins lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Teresa Mullins** - January 15, 2023 at 01:04 PM

GB

“ George And Karen Bowlick lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



George and Karen Bowlick - January 15, 2023 at 12:42 PM

AS

“ Anita J. Short lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele



Anita J. Short - January 15, 2023 at 10:39 AM

EB

“ Kim, Mary, Morgan, Logan, LaRhonda, Todd and family.  
Shane, was a special person, in so many ways. We only pray, that the happy memories of times spent with Shane, will soon replace the sadness you feel at this time.  
We send our love and prayers.  
Eunice and Jack



Eunice and Jack Breeden - January 15, 2023 at 08:53 AM

DH

“ *David Horton lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



David Horton - January 14, 2023 at 09:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shane Steele.*



January 14, 2023 at 07:23 PM

CC

“ *Cathy Cordle sent a virtual gift in memory of Shane Steele*



Cathy Cordle - January 14, 2023 at 06:28 PM

DT

“ *Dee Turner lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



Dee Turner - January 14, 2023 at 05:47 PM

CS

“ Prayers For ALL Of Shane’s Family In The Up Coming Day’s For Comfort and Strength To Endure Their GREAT Loss 🙏🙏



Carol and Darrell Stillwell - January 14, 2023 at 05:28 PM

AM

“ Sending my prayers and love to Shane's entire family! Always loved him and will never forget Jeff and I double dating with him and his date to prom and having dinner at York and Larhonda's house. He was a good friend and kind person.

Allison Moats - January 14, 2023 at 04:34 PM

TN

Sending love and prayers. We worked with Shayne at Food Lion when he was a young man and later when he was a vendor to the store. Always sweet and kind to everyone. So sorry for your loss he will be greatly missed.

Ricky and Teresa Nuckles

Teresa Nuckles - January 15, 2023 at 09:22 AM

JF

“ My thoughts and prayers for the Steele family during this difficult time



JoElla Farmer - January 14, 2023 at 04:30 PM

DB

“ *David Beavers lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



David Beavers - January 14, 2023 at 04:27 PM



“ *Shane Steele*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM

JP

“ *Shane, we sure will miss those big “bear” hugs and all the feels when you were around. We will definitely miss all the love you bestowed on our family, especially Granny. We will just miss you! 💔*

Johnnie Rith Pope - January 14, 2023 at 04:08 PM

ER

“ *Kim, sorry to hear about the passing of your husband, my prayer is that God will comforter you through this difficult time.*

Ed Richardson - January 14, 2023 at 03:46 PM



“ *Shane Steele*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM

ES

“ *Eric Donna Shortt sent a virtual gift in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Eric & Donna Shortt** - January 14, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shane Steele.*



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January 14, 2023 at 11:50 AM

LH

“ *Linda Hardy lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Linda L Hardy** - January 14, 2023 at 11:06 AM

AP

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with all the family. Jack and Alice Pyott*



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**Alice Pyott** - January 14, 2023 at 10:11 AM

JM

“ *jack mullins lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**jack mullins** - January 14, 2023 at 09:35 AM

AP

“ *Aunt Peg purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shane Steele.*



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**Aunt Peg** - January 14, 2023 at 09:07 AM

KH

“ *Sincere condolences to Kim and the whole family  
From Carl " Skip" & Karen Hale.*



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**Karen A Hale** - January 14, 2023 at 08:44 AM

JA

“ *Jason&Leena Matthews and the Ahmads purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shane Steele.*



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**Jason&Leena Matthews and the Ahmads** - January 13, 2023 at 11:07 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - January 13, 2023 at 09:55 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - January 13, 2023 at 09:53 PM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Shane Steele.*



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January 13, 2023 at 09:26 PM



“ *Sincere condolences to the family. Prayers for comfort and peace during this difficult time.*



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**EVELYN HESS** - January 13, 2023 at 09:16 PM

RM

“ Thinking of the family in our prayers . Worked several years with Shane and enjoyed his friendship and laughter Rob Mullins



Rob Mullins - January 13, 2023 at 09:03 PM



“ So many great memories watching RHS soccer and talking Steelers football with Shane. Rest easy man, GO STEELERS



Usman Ashiq - January 13, 2023 at 09:01 PM

MA

“ Kim and family, my heart breaks for you and all the family

marilyn altizer - January 13, 2023 at 07:57 PM

KS

“ Prayers of comfort and love  
My deepest condolences



Kathy Sneed - January 13, 2023 at 07:51 PM

KF

“ *Kim Farmer lit a candle in memory of Shane Steele*



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**Kim Farmer** - January 13, 2023 at 06:58 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Shane Steele.*



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January 13, 2023 at 06:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shane Steele.*



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January 13, 2023 at 06:25 PM

 John Honaker

“ *My sincere condolences to Kim and the kids and to all the family and friends of Shane. I'm still having a hard time believing this is actually happening but I'm most certainly going to miss my old friend. Thoughts and prayers.*

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**John Honaker** - January 13, 2023 at 06:01 PM

TG

*Sending my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

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**Tim Griffith** - January 14, 2023 at 03:49 PM

DL

*I am so sorry to hear of Shane's passing. My heartfelt prayers for God to wrap His arms around his family and family of friends for peace and comfort. We have some great pictures in our hearts of memories of Shane.*

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**Dottie Lambert** - January 15, 2023 at 09:06 AM

KH

*Mary, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family, Kathy (Stump) Hess.*

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**Kathy Hess** - January 17, 2023 at 10:06 PM