



Gene F. Clayton

February 17, 1933 - October 20, 2020

Dateline: Alton, IL

Gene F. Clayton, 87, died at 10:20 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20, 2020 at Alton Memorial Hospital. He was born February 17, 1933 in Fosterburg, IL the son of the late Herbert and Maud (Clark) Clayton. He served in the Marine Corp during the Korean War. He retired after 35 years with Union Electric as a union lineman IBEW Local 649. Surviving are one son, Jeffrey Allan Clayton (Patty) of Kewaskum, WI, and four daughters, Rene' Oseland (Rick) of Cottage Hills, IL, Tammy Buzan (Mike) of Portsmouth, VA, Julie "Tiggy" Clayton (Mike Gray) of Alton and Demetria "Mimi" Parker (Shawn) of Fieldon, IL, eight grandchildren, Jarad Clayton, Jacob Clayton, and Justis Clayton (Kate), Greg Aulabaugh, Eric Buzan (Katie), Britton Gene Clayton (Tricia), Sebastian Parker and Sommer Parker, six great grandchildren, one brother, Jack Clayton (Joan) of Elsah, IL and one sister, Shirley Level (David) of Alton, IL numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by one grandson, Dearold Oseland and two brothers, Jimmy Clayton and Duane Clayton. No services are scheduled at this time. Memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Gent Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Additional information and online guest book may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Gene F. Clayton*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Gene F. Clayton*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Sincere sympathy from Ron and Betty Wendt*

Ronald and Betty Wendt - October 24, 2020 at 08:48 PM



“ *Shirley and family, Gene was such a soft spoken and genuine man. Was a pleasure to meet him when he worked at CCH Such a good sense of humor and he always had a smile. RIP Gene.*
Sue Stutz

Sue Stutz - October 23, 2020 at 08:54 AM

BC

“ Love and miss you Grandpa!

I know you are flying high with the good Lord without any pain, worries, or troubles. For that I am thankful!

I was so blessed to learn, share, and understand life with you! The only person that has been with me from my very first breath, besides my mom.

Thank you for always being there and showing me to Keep Moving Forward!

*Love You,
Britt and Family*

Britt Clayton - October 22, 2020 at 11:09 PM

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Tiggy - October 23, 2020 at 07:51 PM

BB

“ When I hired into the old Union Electric Gas Department, which is now Ameren, in 1968 Gene was the first Gas Fitter that was a helper for. I didn't know which end of a pipe wrench to hold but Gene took me under his wing and was a good man to work for. I retired in 2017 after 39 years at Ameren but it started with Gene. R.I.P. brother. Semper Fi.

Bill Borrer - October 22, 2020 at 12:28 PM

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“ While living in Greenfield he was the most kindest man. Never without a smile. Rode his bicycle or homemade cart every day to get the Telegraph newspaper. Always willing to share his homegrown produce and a story. One good person!!!

Susie Walker - October 22, 2020 at 12:02 PM

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Tiggy - October 23, 2020 at 07:58 PM

GH

“ Tiggy and family sorry about your loss . your dad lived a long and good life and has seen alot but he is in a better place i can assure you of that because my Mom and Dad are there also . Love You All and GOD BLES . GREG HOSFORD

Gregory A Hosford Peggy J Hosford - October 22, 2020 at 10:22 AM

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Thanks Greg and Peggy. Appreciate your kind words, Greg and I know you are so right about the best place in which our parents are with our Lord and Savior.

Tiggy - October 23, 2020 at 07:58 PM