



Chet Clayton

April 30, 1971 - October 31, 2013

Obituary of Chet Clayton

Chet Daniel Clayton, 42, of Fruitland Park, Florida was born April 30, 1971 in Salem, Arkansas and died October 31, 2013 in his home, surrounded by his loving family. Survivors include: wife Memori; daughter Cassidy; son Caleb, his faithful companion "Butterscotch", father Jackie (Judy) Clayton; mother Sherry (Pete) Braker; father in law and mother in law, Homer & Sandy Poe; maternal grandmother, Vernitha Dover; brother Craig (Christi) Clayton; sister Christal (Randy) Green; brother Jody Acuff and sister Jenniffer Poe Selden.

A Memorial Service for Chet will be held on Monday November 4, 2013 at the South 14th Street Church of Christ in Leesburg, Florida beginning at 6 PM. Forrest Jerkins and Mike Blaise will officiate. For those who wish and in lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to: Cornerstone Hospice, c/o The Villages Hospice, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, FL 32162 OR South 14th Street Church of Christ Youth Group, 1506 S. 14th St., Leesburg, FL 34748.

Services

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Memorials

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Tribute Wall



“ *Chet Clayton*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy, concern and feverent prayers are with you during this hard time. I know you realize just how special Chet was and how his life stood for something. Please know that before his illness, through his illness and after his passing - YOU, his family, made, and is making a difference. The world is watching, and the world will stand amazed at your faith, which will result in Kingdom work. Chet's life and death has done great work for the Kingdom and has given God's glory. And wouldn't we all love that to be said of us?. Be proud of, and celebrate the life of your beloved Chet Clayton. God's blessings! Tom and Candy*

Tom and Candy Simmons - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Memori, what a great picture of Chet! He was a wonderful example of a godly man. It is difficult to do right now, but rejoice in knowing he has met our Lord and Savior! We love you!*

Dan and Denise - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Chet was an amazing man! He will be forever missed! I live him and his whole family dearly. Heaven gained an angel on Thursday! Love and hugs to his whole family!*

Shannon Martinez and family - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Our family feels your pain. Know thoughts and prayers will continue for you. Chet walked a rough road to get to the streets of gold and is now an angel with his Lord and Savior. Keep the Faith.

The Featherstons - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ IT HAS BEEN A SINCERE HONOR TO KNOW CHET. OUR HEARTS ARE SADDENED FOR MEMORI, CALEB AND CASSIDY IN THIS TIME OF LOSS. OUR HEARTS REJOICE OVER CHET BEING HEALED AND WITH THE LORD NOW. WITH MUCH LOVE AND ALWAYS IN HIS FAMILY, PETER AND DEB AMARAL

peter and deb amaral - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Memori, my heart and prayers go out to you and your family during your loss. May the peace of the Holy Spirit rest on you all!*

Carol Hilbert - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with each of you...the loss of a child is something that is not suppose to happen and when that child leaves parents a part of our heart goes with them as life will never be the same without them...the loss that each of you are experience is so heartbreaking...*

Bob and Mary Stroud - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Chet, you were such an incredible person. Your faith in God was unmatched. Your love of your family is inspirational. We will miss you more than words can say. Memori, Cassidy, and Caleb - we are so incredibly sorry for your loss but we will always be here for you. Know that we love you and we wrap ourselves up in the beautiful memories we have of our families together.

Cyndi, Joe, Joshua, and Matthew Malik - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ I am truly sorry for your loss. I grew up with Chet...spending lots of time with the Clayton family. Christal was my best friend, and I remember many sleepovers at the Clayton home along with lots of times spent at ball games as our parents fully supported us. My brother and Chet were the same age, so that made for lots of family time together. Chet constantly had that smile on his face and didn't mind teasing Christal and me. He shall be greatly missed, and I send prayers to the family during this difficult time.

Kim Smith-Harber - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ My dear friend Chet you are going to be so missed. Knowing you was a blessing for me but now heaven has a special Angel. I love you my friend.

Teresa Whybrew - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ I'm very sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Byron Price - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all..*

Bea Howser Rosencutter - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Our love and prayers go out to you and your precious family at this difficult time. May you be comforted by your wonderful memories of Chet.*

Bruce & Jeannie Bowen - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *So sorry for you and your family Judy. My thoughts and prayers for all.*

Drexene Winey - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *I was so sorry to hear about Chet. The whole family is in mt prayers*

Craig smith - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *So sorry or your loss. I can not imagine the loss of a child. Many prayers going up for the family.*

Donna (Williams) Rickett - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *My condolences to your entire family on the loss of this very special family man. God bless you Memori, Cassidy, Caleb, and Butterscotch as you continue your amazing, faithful, and spiritual journey together.*

Kim E Morgan - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ To a dear friend, God bless you & your family each and everyday. God is a loving God & someday you & Chet will be together again.

Melodi Miller Nivens - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ May GOD bless and be with your family, with prayers from the Martin family.

Robby Martin - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I am praying for your family God is faithful He will see you through love you

Barbara - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Dearest Memori, My heart is breaking for you & the kids even as my spirit rejoices for Chet. You all have been such an inspiration throughout his illness. Praying you find comfort, peace & strength to continue on without him and that you will be inspired more than ever by the knowledge that our "God is good, all the time". Love & prayers!

Leah Hodges - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ We love your family so much and are so glad to have had the blessing of spending time with Chet, and you and the kid as well of course. It was always a pleasure. You have such a wonderful family and I am glad to know that you have the hope of Jesus Christ and the reassurance of a grand reunion to look toward. Love you!

Dustin and Tricia Gall - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

VK

“ So sad, but so grateful for gods enduring love; another angel in heaven....

Vicki and Karrol - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ Although, I hadnt seen Chet in years, I did go to high school with him. I know and have been friends with the Clayton's for years. The entire family is in my prayers. I recently lost my husband as well and although we didn't have any children together, my husband had children. I truly know what you are feeling and experiencing. It is a great blessing knowing that while our hearts are breaking that our husbands did know the Lord as Savior and we will see them again. Again prayers to all the family.

Patricia (Russell) Dailey - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Lifting each of you up in prayer for Gods grace to continue To hold you close. Our hearts break for you.

Randy, Denise and Brandon Glisson - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Our heart breaks for this precious family. We know heaven gained a man who will receive many jewels in his crown. I have many childhood memories that are very dear to my heart that I spent with my cousin Chet. It was always so much fun when the Clayton's got together. I am so proud that Chet made a difference in so many lives the short time he had in this life. I pray that God will comfort Memori, Cassidy, and Caleb in the days ahead. We love y'all.

Mark & Holly Pate - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Our hearts and prayers go out to you Memori and your family. God bless.

Salotti Family - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I'm so sorry...hugs to you all...God Bless

Melodye Aldridge - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Beau and Melisa Franklin - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ We are so sorry to hear about your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. May you find comfort in God's love.

Danny & Linda Slayton - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Dear Memori and Family: Our hearts are broken for you and your family. We will see you when you come to Fayetteville. Christy's wedding was special because of you.

Bob and Diane Fisher - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ Memori, I am so sorry to hear about Chet. I will keep you and Cassidy and Caleb in my prayers.

Peggy Kinder - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ We were so sad to learn of your loss, Memori. I pray God will cradle you and your children in his Loving and Comforting arms.

Dean and Beverly Melvin - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM