



Clayton Otis Linkous

July 9, 1951 - July 19, 2025

Clayton Otis Linkous, age 74, of Christiansburg died, Saturday, July 19, 2025. He was born in Montgomery, Co., Va. on July 9, 1951 to the late Otis and Stella Early Linkous, also preceded in death by his mother-in-law and father-in-law, James Early, Irene Davis, step-father-in-law, Paul Davis, sister, Pam Linkous, brother, John Linkous, sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Elaine and Bobby Dove, sister-in-law, Gail Bain. He was a veteran of the Vietnam Conflict having served in the U. S. Army. Clayton retired as the manager for Advance Auto for over 25 years. He was a member of Shawsville Congregational Holiness Church. He is survived by his wife, Jo Linkous, daughter and son-in-law, Cindy and William Eanes, grandchildren, Christian Eanes, Makayla Eanes (Garrett McCann), sisters and brothers-in-law, Priscilla and Mike Patrick, Ponnies and Ben Shawver, Debbie and Eddie Gallimore, brother and sister-in-law, Butch and Gina Linkous, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Hilda and Bill Walls, Sherman and Debbie Early, Dale and Nancy Early, William Bain, numerous nieces and nephews. The family wishes to thank the Christiansburg Rescue Squad, Dr. Patel, the nurses and staff at New River Valley Medical Center for their care of Clayton during his illness. Funeral Services will be conducted Thursday, July 24, 2025 at 11:00 am in the McCoy Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Wes Connor and Pastor Eddie Gallimore officiating. Interment will follow in the Roselawn Memorial Gardens., The family will receive friends 10-11:00 am at the McCoy Funeral Home 150 Country Club Dr. SW, Blacksburg.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

2880 N. Franklin Street
Christiansburg, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

McCoy Funeral Home
150 Country Club Dr. S.W.
Blacksburg, VA 24060
(540) 552-3211
mccoyfuneralhome@verizon.net
<https://mccoyfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

JUL **24.** 11:00 AM (ET)

McCoy Funeral Home Chapel
150 Country Club Dr S.W.
Blacksburg, VA 24060

Tribute Wall

TG

“ Grew up in Den Hill with Clayton and remained friends with him all these years Clayton was always a great friend and had time for you where ever he saw you helped me out alot at advance auto and I know I'll see him in heaven one day

Tony M Graham - July 23, 2025 at 08:42 PM

TF

“ The McCann family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Clayton Otis Linkous.



The McCann family - July 23, 2025 at 10:11 AM

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“ The McCann family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clayton Otis Linkous.

The McCann family - July 23, 2025 at 10:11 AM

MM

“ Miranda, Lacie and Mark purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Clayton Otis Linkous.



Miranda, Lacie and Mark - July 23, 2025 at 08:43 AM

TM

“ Terry Kingery McGinnis lit a candle in memory of Clayton Otis Linkous



Terry Kingery McGinnis - July 22, 2025 at 03:55 PM

TM

“ Clayton was a gentleman in a half; he showed great love for his family and friends! He loved his wife and Cindy with all his heart! He would help anyone who needed help and never caused a bit of trouble any where! He had a wonderful sense of humor and was a friend to all who needed him and knew him! My deepest condolences to all the family and friends. Rest in peace Clayton . May Gods Grace wrap around each and everyone during this difficult time! Prayers for all Terry Kingery McGinnis 🙏❤️🙏❤️

Terry Kingery McGinnis - July 22, 2025 at 03:54 PM

CI

Terry, thank you for your kind words. Prayers are always appreciated.
Cindy

Cindy - July 23, 2025 at 01:40 PM

PF

“ Wonderful memories of us growing up together. Love and Peace to the family.



Pat Forren - July 22, 2025 at 07:55 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clayton Otis Linkous.*



July 21, 2025 at 04:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Clayton Otis Linkous.

July 21, 2025 at 04:27 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences for the loss of your loved one, sending healing prayers and comforting hugs.*

Delores Linkous (Mitchell), Kimberly and Family (Leathie Linkous)

KW - July 21, 2025 at 02:21 PM



*Debbie,
So sorry for the loss of your brother 🥹💔
Aunt Lois and I are sending love and prayers for you and your family.
Jean Shepherd
Lois Trump*

Jean Shepherd - July 21, 2025 at 05:51 PM