



Harvey John Clinton

January 31, 1940 - March 11, 2018

Harvey John Clinton, 78, of Hot Springs passed away, Sunday, March 11, 2018. He was born January 31, 1940 in Wilmington, DE to the late Harvey & Dorothy Kreggenwinkle Clinton. He was owner of the Frontier Club; a Navy veteran and of the Catholic faith.

He was predeceased by his parents and brother, Charles Clinton.

Survivors include his children, Charles Clinton, B.J. (Angie) Clinton; mother of his children, Janet McElhaney; brother, Carl Clinton; sister, Debbie (Nick) Lingo; three grandchildren; Ashlan (Kenny) Spencer, Miller Clinton, Elizabeth Clinton and one great granddaughter, Adalyn Kate Spencer.

Graveside service will be held 10:00 A.M. Thursday, March 15th at Crestview Cemetery with Roland Adcock officiating.

Pallbearers are Jerry Donaldson, Doug Garrett, Mario Ruiz, Tom Anderson, John Dean, and Tony George.

Honorary Pallbearers are Terry Akins, Scott Bigelow, Sam Bryant, Robert Cassinelli, Charles Dodge, Pat Garrett, Anson Keys, Joe Bob McAdams, Jack Meadows, Tommy Muldoon, Kelly Murray, Billy Poe, David Saracini, Robert "Bobo" Smith, Ronald "Big Ron" Stevens.

Visitation will be 6:00 – 8:00 Wednesday at Hot Springs Funeral Home

Comments



“ I knew Harvey really a very short time and on a busy ship but most importantly I want and need to say I remember him as one of the most positive and happy individuals I have ever met in my long life. I, hereby, pay special and powerful tribute to him and the eventful life he led. Hurrah!! Love, Camille

Camille Pasley - February 25, 2019 at 02:55 AM



“ Met Harvey and his son on our 1999/2000 around the world cruise. Spent four months with him. A true gentleman. Great fun to be around. Always had a smile, and a great sense of humor. He will be missed.



Gary & Pam Petersen - February 17, 2019 at 02:44 PM



“ Loved you the most



Jeanie Langley - June 21, 2018 at 12:20 PM



“ God speed...from Parker in Oklahoma!!!! From the limo..to throw em down and get an fresh one....and the forever spoken ,love you the most.....you and stories of races..shopping..bbq shrimp will go into history...being retold..and remembered!!

Tom and Debbie Parker - March 25, 2018 at 03:35 PM



“ Although I had not seen Harvey in many years, I will always remember him making me Shirley temples with extra cherries when I was playing pool as a youngster. He was a good guy (would have to be to put up with my mother as a patron for 30ish years!) RIP and love. I'm sure your memory will be kept alive by all those who knew and loved you; don't let the Frontier change! (You have the ability to haunt now!!! ;))

Amy W - March 16, 2018 at 08:47 PM



“ Such fond memories of the friendship we shared. Rest my Dear Friend until we meet again. I loved you the most....Barb

Barb Rogan - March 16, 2018 at 01:17 AM



“ Barb Rogan is following this tribute.

Barb Rogan - March 16, 2018 at 01:14 AM



“ Rest Dear Friend. I will miss seeing you when I come back for the races.

Barb Rogan - March 16, 2018 at 01:03 AM



“ I met Harvey for the first time while working poker night at the Moose Lodge. He and Molly were awesome. He will be missed very much. The Frontier will not be the same either. R. I. P. Dear friend.

Michelle Lynn - March 15, 2018 at 11:59 PM



“ Knew Harvey for long time, really nice guy. I'll miss seeing him at the club. . .and that old shaggy dog

Rick Myrick - March 15, 2018 at 11:26 AM



“ WHAT A MAN!!! GENEROUS, KIND AND LOVING. HE WILL BE MISSED BY SO MANY. WHAT A GREAT FRIEND. LOVE, DC & AMY (PEEPERS GIRLS)

DC YEARBY - March 14, 2018 at 11:55 AM



“ Harvey, was one of a kind, He was friends to all and helped so many people when they were in need, and helped so many causes, people who knew Harvey knew this. I will miss Harvey and His Wit , My Prayers are with His Family during these trying times.

Tommy Muldoon - March 14, 2018 at 11:35 AM



“ Harvey shall be missed by many. God Bless
Wayne Woodall

Wayne Woodall - March 14, 2018 at 09:18 AM



“ He was a great man and loving man! He always love you the most ! He was the best friend one could ever have! Your friends Sherrie and Big R

Sherrie & Big R (Randy) Phillips - March 14, 2018 at 06:28 AM



“ Harvey was a hero. He helped many a struggling aspiring racetracker more than many will ever know. If you knew Harvey, you would believe it. He was a great story teller, but a better listener. He was a friend.

His favorite song was really his story:

Rose Colored Glasses
John Conlee

I don't know why I keep on believing you need me
When you've proved so many times that it ain't true
And I can't find one good reason for staying
Maybe by leaving would be the best for you
But these rose colored glasses
That I'm looking through
Show only the beauty
'Cause they hide all the truth
And they let me hold on to the good times, good lines
The ones I used to hear when I held you
And they keep me from feeling so cheated, defeated
When reflections in your eyes show me a fool
These rose colored glasses
That I'm looking through
Show only the beauty
'Cause they hide all the truth
So I just keep on hopin', believing
That maybe by counting the many times, I've tried
You'll believe me when I say, I love you
And I'll lay these rose colored glasses aside
These rose colored glasses
That I'm looking through
Show only the beauty
'Cause they hide all the truth

God Bless Harvey,

Joe Haming, Louisville KY

joe haming - March 14, 2018 at 12:02 AM



“ The Swiateks purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Harvey John Clinton.



The Swiateks - March 13, 2018 at 10:49 PM



“ I met Harvey 35 years ago. I knew him as friend right away. What a kind and generous soul. I'm ringing a bell for you now so you get your wings right away. Until we meet again ...

Nancy Lyon - March 13, 2018 at 07:06 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Harvey John Clinton.



March 13, 2018 at 06:34 PM



“ RIP my friend. I will miss your wit and humor. God Bless

Sean Bars - March 13, 2018 at 02:34 PM



“ Harvey was such a character. So glad I got to know him. "Gotta go - boggity boggity" "I love you best" He said both me me every time he came to the office.

Karen and Rene Duchac

KAREN DUCHAC - March 13, 2018 at 01:29 PM



“ Harvey was always a great friend to Mom (Carol Swiatek) and Dad (Frank Swiatek). He was always there for them and made us feel like family when we came to visit. He will be greatly missed.

Scott, Deb and Logan Swiatek

Scott Swiatek - March 13, 2018 at 11:42 AM



“ The wonderful memories I have will stay with me always love you harvey

Kim - March 13, 2018 at 02:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Harvey John Clinton.



March 13, 2018 at 11:32 AM



“ I remember Harvey as being quick-witted and an absolute joy to be around, but his compassion and willingness to help other people is what made him a national celebrity. He was loved the most....

Molly Gallaher - March 13, 2018 at 10:53 AM