



## Mr. Robert E. Clayton

September 6, 1939 - January 24, 2018

Robert E. Clayton, 78, of Plant City, Florida, born in Attalla, Alabama on September 6, 1939, entered into eternal rest on January 24, 2018. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, having served as a Screaming Eagle in the 101st Airborne Division. He enjoyed working, especially on old cars, and watching Bucs and Alabama football. He is survived by his wife of 17 years, Judy Clayton; children, Nancy Clayton of Thonotosassa, Sherry Morse (Stephen) of Colquitt, Georgia, Sherry Robbins (Brian) of Dublin, Georgia, and Jeff Gilbert of Plant City; siblings, James Clayton of Altoona, Alabama, and Marie Smith of Altoona; 8 grandchildren; and 7 great-grandchildren, with 2 on the way. He was preceded in death by his son, Daniel Clayton. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, January 30 at Noon at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, 6005 S County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends at Hopewell Funeral Home beginning at 11:00 A.M. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
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# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 30.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Graveside

**JAN 30.** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Robert E. Clayton



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 29, 2018 at 03:30 PM

WD

“ Dear Brian and Sherry, We were so sorry to hear about his passing. may God, by His Spiriti comfort you as only He can. Wayne and Brenda Dobson  
Macon, GA

Wayne Dobson - January 29, 2018 at 04:24 PM

NC

“ Nancy Clayton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Robert E. Clayton



Nancy Clayton - January 29, 2018 at 02:47 PM

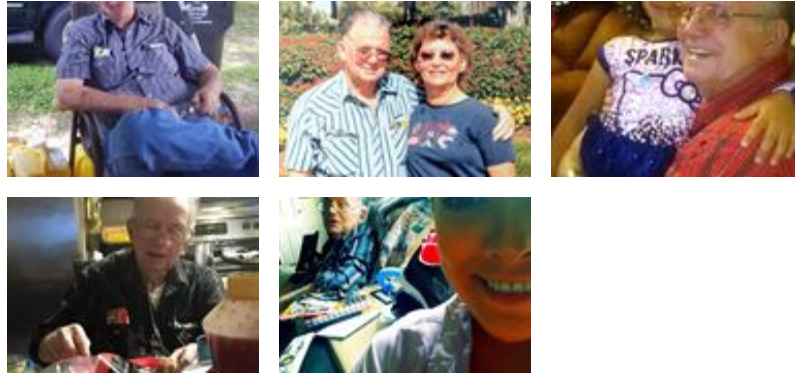
NC

*On the wings of a snow white dove he has sent your pure sweet love . . . leaving an ache in all of our hearts that knew and still love you . . . Daddy*

Nancy Clayton - January 29, 2018 at 02:49 PM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 29, 2018 at 02:26 PM

WV

“ Granddaddy, tomorrow is going to be the day we lay you to rest. Me and Bridgette and Amanda your granddaughters picked a beautiful flower arrangement for you. The military is going to honor you and the ceremony is just going to make you so proud, your family loves you a lot and we miss you.

Verlin Villalobos - January 29, 2018 at 01:51 PM

TC

“ I always loved it when Uncle Robert and Aunt Judy came to visit. The most humble and kind man around. It is an understatement to say that you will be missed. All my love -Tiff

Tiffeny Clayton - January 28, 2018 at 04:36 PM

DC

“ Heaven has received a very special angel. Robert was a very humble and loving man. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Diane Cook - January 28, 2018 at 02:48 PM

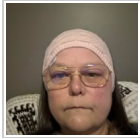


“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert E. Clayton.*



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January 28, 2018 at 02:40 PM



“ *You will always be in our hearts and will truly be missed. I just found out today that you served our country. I'm a very proud niece knowing that, thank you so very much.*

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**Penny Scrape Webster** - January 27, 2018 at 08:03 PM



“ *Penny Scrape Webster lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert E. Clayton*



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**Penny Scrape Webster** - January 27, 2018 at 07:56 PM



“ *Granddaddy you have no idea how you have influenced and impacted my life as well as my mom and sisters and anyone who else was blessed to know you, I hate I haven't been able to talk to you as much as what I did and I know you loved me and I love you, I really do hope I can grow up to be the kind of man you have always been to everyone who's ever been around you, I will miss you dearly and will never stop loving you.*

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**Eric Neuman** - January 27, 2018 at 07:11 PM



*I love you my son.*

**Sherry Morse** - January 31, 2018 at 12:43 PM



“ *I love you Granddaddy you mean the world to me and my baby Cheli you know your baby is going to miss you. May you RIP 💔*



**Amanda Villalobos** - January 27, 2018 at 06:50 PM

EH

“ *Robert it has been a pleasure knowing you for as long as we have. Your sense of humor and quick wit will be greatly missed. The world needs more people like you that has a great sense of humor.*



*Our thoughts & prayers go out to your family. May GOD hold your family in his arms & comfort them in their time of need. Many blessings to you and Thank You for Your Service to Our Country. Godspeed.*

**Elaine Harris** - January 27, 2018 at 06:39 PM

NG

“ *May You Rest in Peace 🙏  
My love to My Sisters Sherry Morse & Nancy Clayton. anns his wife Judy Clayton May God Bless You All With Strength to get through Your loss.  
Love to All*



**Nancy Glover** - January 27, 2018 at 05:45 PM



*Love you my sister 🥰*

**Sherry Morse** - January 28, 2018 at 10:53 AM



“ *I love you and miss you my darling Daddy 💕*



**Sherry Morse** - January 27, 2018 at 03:50 PM

HW

“ *Holly Weaver lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert E. Clayton*

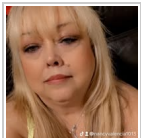


**Holly Weaver** - January 26, 2018 at 03:40 PM



*Just out of curiosity, how do you know daddy? Family or friends.*

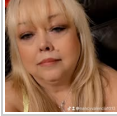
**Sherry Morse** - January 27, 2018 at 10:01 PM



“ *Nancy Clayton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert E. Clayton*



**Nancy Clayton** - January 26, 2018 at 02:21 PM



*I love my Daddy and am going to miss you very much*

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**Nancy Clayton** - January 26, 2018 at 02:23 PM



*Love you my sister 🥰*

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**Sherry Morse** - January 28, 2018 at 10:54 AM