



# Joe Clay

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### Obituary HIRAM

Joe Clay, 86 years of age, passed away Thursday January 9, 2020 at his residence. Born in Logan, West Virginia on November 19, 1933, he was the son of the late John M. and Esta (Eplin) Clay. A resident of the Hiram area since 1988, Joe had been employed at Jorgensen Steel in Bedford Hts. as assistant district manager. He served his country during the Korean Conflict with honor in the U.S. Marine Corps. Joe truly enjoyed the outdoors fishing, bow hunting and gardening were his favorite pastimes. He was a member of W.K. Ricksecker Masonic Lodge No. 606 F.&A.M. in Aurora. He will be remembered as a man who made friends wherever he went, and considered his neighbors as a part of his family. On March 26, 1971, Joe married Margaret (Moore) Clay who survives at their home. Also surviving are his children Joey (Pat) Clay of Windham, Karen (Michael) Resh of Mantua, Kimberly Mate of Hiram and Joanne (Al) Masciarelli of Cleveland, Ohio; his siblings Ralph Clay of Michigan and Pearl Daniels of Arizona. 11 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren also survive. He was preceded in death by his siblings Frank and Harry Clay, Ann Napier and Audra McKinney, and his loving dog Angel. Calling hours will be Sunday January 12, 2020 at the Green Family Funeral Home & Crematory Service, 4668 Pioneer Trail at the corner of St. Rt. 44, Mantua, Ohio 44255 from 2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M. where his service will begin at 4:00 P.M. Military honors will conclude his service provided by the U.S. Marine Corps Honor Guard, assisted by members of Mantua American Legion Post No. 193. Cremation will follow.

His Video-Gift tribute, condolences and memories may be viewed at [www.GreenFamilyFuneralHome.com](http://www.GreenFamilyFuneralHome.com).

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## Tribute Wall

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CS

**Christine Sabo** posted:

Tropical dish garden with fresh flowers was purchased for the family of Joe Clay by Christine Sabo. Send Flowers Our deepest sympathy, Tom and Chrissy Sabo Christine Sabo

January 4 at 6:24 AM

LP

**Love, Caulay And Poppy** posted:

A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Joe Clay by Love, Caulay and Poppy. Plant a Tree Deepest sympathy to the Clay family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Love, Caulay and Poppy

January 4 at 6:24 AM

VM

**Vicky McIntyre** posted:

I miss you guys

January 11 at 8:21 AM

VM

**Vicky McIntyre** posted:

My prayers are with you, Vicky McIntyre

January 11 at 8:19 AM

PK

**Pat Klima** posted:

So so sorry for your loss. May he Rest In Peace.

January 11 at 6:30 AM

RB

**Ramona Squires Bosely** posted:

Prayers for all of Joe's family. So sorry. I am glad we found you all.

January 11 at 6:08 AM



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**Joella & Elaine Clay** posted:

We send our condolences,prayers and Love to our new brother and sister !!!

January 11 at 4:07 AM



**Joella & Elaine** posted:

Even though we didn't get to come and see you and finally meet you we still send our Love

January 11 at 4:00 AM



**Kathy (Ugly, As Joe Called Me!) Burke** posted:

Joe was more than my uncle, he was like a second Dad!! I'll miss you Chester!!! My thoughts and prayers are with Marg, Karen, Joey, Kim and all the grandkids and great grandkids. Another piece of my heart is in Heaven now, hug my Mom and Dad for me! R.I.P Joe, you've earned your wings....

January 10 at 4:15 PM



**Kim Mate** posted:

I will love and miss you always Dad. Forever your pumpkin. Kim

January 10 at 9:25 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joe by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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