



## Mr. Clark Marion Drake

September 17, 1936 - January 27, 2022

Mr. Clark Marion Drake, age 85, of Nicholson, GA died Wednesday, January 27, 2022 at his residence. Mr. Drake was born in Colbert to the late Jesse Clinton "Clint" and Lillie Maude Tolbert Drake. The youngest of ten siblings, Mr. Drake served in the United States Navy and worked as an electrician before retiring from the University of Georgia. He was a treasured member of his community, always ready to lend a hand to help his neighbors and friends. In addition to his parents, Mr. Drake was preceded in death by his wife, Julia Ann Shelton Drake in 2019; siblings, J.C. Drake, Jr., Betty Joe Drake, Rachel Drake, Guy Drake, Howard Drake, Jesse "Bud" Drake, Mary Drake Stewart, David Drake and Nina Mae Drake Kesler.

Mr. Drake is survived by his sons, John Drake of Nicholson, Rev. Eric Drake (Tara) of Colbert and Darren Drake (Brennen) of Watkinsville; grandchildren, Teri Drake-Floyd (Blake) of Nicholson, Ashley Drake of Loganville, Jessica Jackson of Commerce, Christopher Drake of Athens, Mia and Kathyne Drake of Watkinsville; and great-grandchildren, Izabella Jackson, Callum Floyd, Airylin Washburn and Eli Jackson.

Funeral services will be at 2 PM, Monday, January 31 graveside at Kidd Cemetery, Colbert with Rev. Carlos Sibley officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Sunday from 3 to 5 PM.

Little-Ward Funeral Home, Commerce is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Kidd Cemetery

Kidd Cemetery Rd.  
Colbert, GA 30628

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 30. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Little-Ward Funeral Home  
115 State Street  
Commerce, GA 30529  
(706) 335-3175  
lwfh@windstream.net  
<https://www.little-wardfuneralhome.com/>

## Service

JAN 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

Graveside at Kidd Cemetery  
Kidd Cemetery Rd.  
Colbert, GA 30628

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Clark Marion Drake*

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October 09, 2023 at 05:17 AM



“ *so sorry to hear about clark the flea market and his many friends will miss him a good friend*

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**Ricky Dunn** - February 01, 2022 at 11:20 AM



“ *Thank you for “walking the mile” with me, daddy. I love you, forever and ever, always. -John*

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**John Drake** - January 31, 2022 at 09:59 PM



“ *Just heard the news. Sorry for your loss. I knew him from the flea market and auctions. He was a good ol' boy. He will truly be missed.*

—  
*The Cannon's*

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**The Cannons** - January 31, 2022 at 02:33 PM

ED

“ *My Dad , was one of the Best Electricians I knew. He taught me so much. Me and my brothers worked as apprentices as young men , and this jump started us into manhood and careers .  
Avid quail hunter, Avid Deer Hunter, loved to restore old furniture, loved to Buy : Sell:Trade,  
He made all of front porch swings from basically oak pallets.  
So many memories, So many stories,  
Stayed Loyal to our Mom , and in return she spoiled him .  
I never seen my Dad take a drink or smoke .  
Served in the Navy on an air craft carrier ,  
Just one Hell of a Man , Daddy you will be Missed ,  
Love ya , Your middle Son Eric Drake*



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**Eric Drake** - January 30, 2022 at 02:34 AM

CV

“ *Uncle Clark could fix or figure out how to fix just about anything—he was always glad to drop whatever he was doing and help you in any way he could—he was a unique and loving person in our lives —we will always Love and miss you Uncle Clark —Susan & Carl Veal*

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**Carl Veal** - January 29, 2022 at 03:26 PM

KS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Clark was a great friend of mine he always had a smile and a deal for you. He always said he and I sold over a million roofing screws, now I don't know if that's and exact count but knowing Clark I would bet it's close. He and I bought, sold and traded with each other for the last several years. But I know he is happy now that he's with his wife, Julia, he always talked about. He carried a laminated picture of her in his shirt pocket and if you watched he would pat that pocket with his right hand as he talked about her. He often told me what a Godly woman and great wife and mother she was. I will truly miss the conversations we had every Saturday morning at the Flea Market and those phone calls from him. So, Boys you had a great father and this old friend had the up most respect for him!  
Praying For Ya'll  
Ken Simmons



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**Ken Simmons** - January 29, 2022 at 02:04 PM

TD

*This is so wonderful to hear, thank you so much for sharing this with us.*

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**Teri Lyn Drake-Floyd** - January 29, 2022 at 02:20 PM

DT

“ *Danny and Sharon Toth purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Clark Marion Drake.*



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**Danny and Sharon Toth** - January 29, 2022 at 12:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mr. Clark Marion Drake.



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January 29, 2022 at 01:46 AM



“ *Malcom & Dee Burns* purchased the *Pink Tribute Spray* for the family of Mr. Clark Marion Drake.



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**Malcom & Dee Burns** - January 28, 2022 at 04:34 PM



“ *Liam and I* are so sorry for the death of your *Papa, Teri*. Sending you and your family love, light, and strength. We love you.



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**Megan** - January 28, 2022 at 03:43 PM

TD

“ 9 files added to the album Papa



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**Teri Drake-Floyd** - January 28, 2022 at 12:51 PM

TC

“ Teri, Blake And Callum lit a candle in memory of Mr. Clark Marion Drake



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**Teri, Blake and Callum** - January 28, 2022 at 12:33 PM



“ What a wonderful man. I thought a great deal of him and his wife. Partly because they were the parents of my dear friend John. I pray for the family and my friend John. I know this is sad time however know that he is in heaven. AMEN!

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**John Sheuring** - January 28, 2022 at 12:13 PM

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“ *Teresa Lawson Drake purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Clark Marion Drake.*



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**Teresa Lawson Drake** - January 28, 2022 at 11:02 AM