



Johnny Thurman Clark

March 29, 1951 - September 5, 2024

Johnny Thurman Clark, 73, of the Darlington community passed away on Thursday, September 5, 2024.

Arrangements are being handled by Kistler-Hardee Funeral Home of Darlington.

Johnny was born in Chesterfield County. He was the son of the late Sidney Bruce Clark and Helen Clark. Johnny was a very talented guitar player and enjoyed listening to Country music.

Surviving are his son, John Henry Clark (Amy Larymore) of Hartsville; his grandchildren, Caleb and Tyler Clark; and his sister, Diane Morris of Darlington.

Johnny was preceded in death by the mother of his son, Helen Suggs Clark; and his brother, Tommy Clark.

Family and friends are invited to sign the online guest book at www.kistlerhardeefuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

TG

“ Tony Graham lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark



Tony Graham - September 08, 2024 at 09:24 AM

BT

“ Dianne and family, I was so sorry to hear the news that Johnny had passed. I thought the world of him and always enjoyed when we got together and played guitar. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.

Love, Buster Thurman

Buster Thurman - September 07, 2024 at 11:03 PM

HF

“ Sissy you and Momma Diane are in our prayers Uncle Johnny will be missed and I will definitely miss hearing stories!!!!



Holly and Family - September 07, 2024 at 11:59 AM

HM

Thank you Sissy, Uncle Johnny was a legend with us at work!!

Heather Morris - September 07, 2024 at 12:53 PM



“ *Diane, I was shocked today when James Charles called and told me about Johnny passing away. Bonnie and I are so sorry for you, John Henry and the entire family. I've been thinking a lot today about Johnny, the good old times and how crazy he was. I know Aunt Helen, Uncle Sid and Tommy are rejoicing to see him again and probably having a great time because there's never a dull moment when Johnny is around. I remember Tommy telling the story about the first time Johnny was going to drive a long distance truck to New York City and showed up to go out and had a briefcase full of different maps, atlas and anything else he could find because he wasn't taking any chances of getting lost in New York City and not getting back home. I'm not sure how many trips he made but it wasn't many. He sure loved his country music and could entertain anyone with his guitar and singing, I'll never forget once in Ruby at Granny's house we were all out in the yard with Johnny, Uncle Lloyd Raffaldt, Buster, and some of the Raffaldt girls were singing gospel songs, boy they sure were good. Those were the good old days I guess and all we have now are those memories. Just keep thinking about all the funny and fond memories we all have of Johnny. Bonnie and I will have you and all the family in our thoughts and prayers. Love you. Bonnie and Jimmy*

James Thurman - September 06, 2024 at 11:24 PM

So sorry to hear about Johnny. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Phyllis Thurman Johnson - September 07, 2024 at 06:06 PM

CS

"Stump" I am so sorry to see where you loss your Dad. Prayers for peace and comfort for you. Sending hugs and love to you and your family. From your Mom's first cousin... Carolyn Jackson Seitman

Carolyn L. Jackson Seitman - September 08, 2024 at 09:24 PM

HM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Heather Morris - September 06, 2024 at 10:35 PM

HM

Last photo of Jonny at Medford Nursing Home

Heather Morris - September 06, 2024 at 10:40 PM

HM

Johnny

Heather Morris - September 06, 2024 at 10:46 PM

HM

We loved you Uncle Johnny through sickness and health

Heather Morris - September 06, 2024 at 10:49 PM

HM

I also wanted to post this picture as it is part of a beautiful memorial book made by the staff at Medford. The book was presented to my mother yesterday and we will cherish it forever. The administration, nurses, CNA's, therapists and custodians there loved Uncle Johnny. They all shared memories such as his love for eating peppermints, his big smile and that he was one their best patients.

Heather Morris - September 07, 2024 at 10:31 AM

DS

My prayers for you all! May God send His Peace that is beyond our understanding to each of you! Johnny was funny and very talented! He could really make me laugh! I appreciate his fun times!! He loved you all!

Debbie and Danny Singletary - September 07, 2024 at 08:17 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Johnny and Tommy



James Thurman - September 06, 2024 at 09:14 PM

DF

“ So sorry to hear the news. I loved Johnny and we had some good times together in our teenage years. Love to Dianne and Heather.

Dale Flirence - September 06, 2024 at 08:29 PM

TP

“ Our condolences on your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.



Thomas Purvis - September 06, 2024 at 05:23 PM

PC

“ So sorry to hear my old high school friend has passed away. Praying for his family . 🙏❤️

Paulette Crowley - September 06, 2024 at 04:09 PM

DB

“ Sorry for your loss Diane. Prayers for you and Heather. Remember the young Johnnie and all the fun you had together. Them Ruby days were special times for all the Thurman's.

Doris Thurman & Bootsie - September 06, 2024 at 02:11 PM

JT

“ Dianne, sorry for your loss. Remember Johnny in school. Prayers for you during this time



JoAnn C Teal - September 06, 2024 at 01:54 PM

MW

“ *Melissa White lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark*



Melissa White - September 06, 2024 at 01:14 PM

JT

“ *Dianne and family, we are so sorry for your loss of Johnny, please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. We love you all.*



James and Linda Thurman - September 06, 2024 at 11:47 AM

AS

“ *So sorry for your loss. I remember the times at Granny's with Johnny playing his guitar and us singing and having fun. Much love and memories will always be on our hearts of him. Angie Thurman Smith*

Angie Thurman Smith - September 06, 2024 at 11:44 AM

BT

“ *So many memories of all the times spending with Johnny singing, playing the guitar and just having a good time. Always full of laughs. Love & Prayers to the Family & Friends.*



Brenda Thurman - September 06, 2024 at 10:34 AM

LB

“ *Linda Berry lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark*



Linda Berry - September 06, 2024 at 10:29 AM

KL

“ *Kathy Lawhon lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark*



Kathy Lawhon - September 05, 2024 at 11:05 PM

JM

“ While I was deeply saddened when I heard that Johnny had passed away, I found myself immediately thinking of so many of the good times-funny times we shared as brother-n-laws. I'll always remember his love for music and playing his guitar. It didn't matter if it was a planned event for music, or if Johnny "just happened to have his guitar in the car", he put his heart and soul into pleasing the listeners. He was good, he knew it, and it made him happy. As Johnny entered the work force, he quickly decided that he did not want to be inside a building or behind a desk all day, he decided he wanted to be a local professional truck driver. There's no doubt in my mind that his dad left a lasting impression on him as Johnny was professional in his career at Tennessee Carolina Transport and IFH in all aspects of his job, appearance, safety, dependability, and customer service. He loved his job. I could go on and on. Let me close by asking everyone to share those fond memories of Johnny and to please keep the family members in mind during these difficult times. Love you "ButterBean". (I guess you thought I had forgotten that!!!

Jerry W. Morris

Jerry W. Morris - September 05, 2024 at 10:47 PM

SJ

The loss of a family member is very painful. Thinking of you Diane and all of the great times we all had on back street in Ruby. Prayers for all of the family.

Sue Parker Jordan - September 06, 2024 at 03:11 PM

HJ

“ Heather Morris & Dr. Vinay Jagadeesha lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark



Heather Morris & Dr. Vinay Jagadeesha - September 05, 2024 at 08:41 PM

DM

“ *Dianne Morris lit a candle in memory of Johnny Thurman Clark*



Dianne Morris - September 05, 2024 at 08:39 PM

HM

“ *My favorite uncle, you always made me laugh, you were my car loving buddy & I cherish every moment I spent with you at your home, hospitals and nursing homes throughout the years. I love you & you will always hold a special place in my heart Uncle Johnny.*



Heather Morris

Heather Morris - September 05, 2024 at 08:38 PM

DM

“ *My brother, my friend, I'll love you and will miss you forever.*
Dianne Morris

Dianne Morris - September 05, 2024 at 08:28 PM