



Clayton E. Chandler

February 27, 1954 - January 31, 2012

Clayton Eugene Chandler 57, of Orlando, Florida passed away on January 31, 2012. Mr. Chandler was born on February 27, 1954 in Athens, Georgia. He is survived by his wife Cindy Chandler; son, Robert Clayton Chandler; sister, Katy Tucker, and numerous nephews and nieces.

A gathering will be held in his honor at the DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory Maitland Chapel between 1:00 and 3:00 PM Saturday, February 4, 2012. A memorial/reception Celebrating Clay's life will be on Sunday February 5, 2012 at the Wallaby Ranch on 1805 Deen Still Road, Davenport, FL 33897.

In lieu of flowers please make contributions to a Charity of your choice.

Arrangements are entrusted to DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory 9001 N. Orlando Avenue, Maitland, Florida 32751, 407-695-CARE (2273). Please visit www.degusipefuneralhome.com to leave a special condolence.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory Maitland Chapel
9001 N. Orlando Ave
Maitland, FL 32751
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Memorial Service

FEB 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

Wallaby Ranch
1805 Deen Still Road
Davenport, FL 33897

Tribute Wall

LA

“ I just learned of Clay's passing and am so terribly sorry, Cindy. I always had the best time with you two. Oh gosh, the things we did! May God give you and Rob His peace.

Lee Morgan Armstrong

Lee Morgan Armstrong - February 23, 2012 at 05:09 PM

TK

“ My condolences to the Chandlers. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I'll miss Clay's generosity and warmth...and his infectious laughter.

Tom Kessler

Tom Kessler - February 05, 2012 at 09:53 PM

JL

“ Jane Lenard lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Jane Lenard - February 05, 2012 at 04:49 PM

KS

“ Kenny Sears lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



kenny sears - February 05, 2012 at 04:22 PM

KS

my heart goes out to your family,you were truly a good friend of mine back in the 70's, god bless you ,buddy

kenny sears - February 05, 2012 at 04:29 PM

JA

“ *JAN lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



JAN - February 05, 2012 at 11:45 AM

SJ

“ *Clay,
You will be remembered. I'll be looking for your feet dangling down from the clouds, and your big jolly smile, next time I'm at cloud base. My heart goes out to Cindy and Rob.
I can hear Clay's laugh now :)*

Steven File, Jr.

Steven File, Jr. - February 05, 2012 at 10:53 AM

TA

“ *We appreciate the kind words he always had for the kids in the neighborhood and laughs he gave as gifts to the rest of us.*

Tara - February 05, 2012 at 08:37 AM

SL

“ Clay... You are such an affable gentleman. Always meeting/greeting/treating people with respect; a hard working, independant-thinking, non-judgemental, trust-worthy and spirit-filled friend... A key employee and favorite personality at Wallaby Ranch... You will be deeply missed but often remembered and heartily celebrated. Thanks Clay, You will always be flying with us... Bye for now...

Scott Leonard - February 04, 2012 at 02:25 PM

JT

“ John & Rebecca Traughber lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



John & Rebecca Traughber - February 04, 2012 at 12:47 PM

MA

“ Marcia D. Allen lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Marcia D. Allen - February 04, 2012 at 11:31 AM

MA

There are so many fond memories of our childhood together - you were like a brother to so many of us. I can still hear your mother Lucille exclaiming "Claaaaaaaaaay." I smile when I think of you and when I saw you and Cindy 4 years ago at my father's memorial service, it was such a bright light in a sad day. We will miss you greatly, but I know that we will see each other again in Heaven. Lots of love and hugz to your family. Marcia

Marcia D. Allen - February 04, 2012 at 11:36 AM

MB

“ *Marla Pfaff And John Beery lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Marla Pfaff and John Beery - February 04, 2012 at 09:50 AM

MB

We will miss you, Clay. Until we meet again...

Marla Pfaff and John Beery - February 04, 2012 at 12:00 PM

RC

“ *Clay always gave a hearty greeting and brought a smile with him. He never forgot his buds from Rowena Park, and he definitely livened up College Park. The last time we ran into each other was in Publix CP, as usual. I will miss those chance meetings that never failed to brighten my day. Clay, thanks for leaving us with your laugh and a good word.*

Robert S. Carr - February 04, 2012 at 09:22 AM

GR

“ *George Ridder lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



George Ridder - February 04, 2012 at 08:49 AM

FP

“ I remember when I would arrive at the Ranch, Clay-Bird would be the first person I would look for. His smiling face and wonderful personality always shined more than the Sun. On the 4th of July and Veterans Day he would put out a dozen American Flags in front of my Hooch to honor me and the Vets. I will miss my Friend and his smiling face . Why does the good ones have to go first :-(
Love ya Clay
Fred and Raean Permenter

fred and raean permenter - February 04, 2012 at 07:50 AM

KF

“ Karoline Farber lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Karoline Farber - February 03, 2012 at 09:06 PM

TR

“ Love ya Bird Dog.

Tyson Richmond - February 03, 2012 at 07:57 PM

ML

“ Clay was the best dancer at the ranch. The best. We played our music there a bunch and he was always the last to leave. He made me feel like I was worth listening to. If everyone loved the music as much as Clay we'd have a jet and a personal fan club. Lord, I'll miss that man. Dang. Justdang'it man.

Mitch Lind

Mitch lind - February 03, 2012 at 06:07 PM

RF

“ *Man...his contagious laugh, a forgiving spirit when I screwed up (and there were many times I screwed up back in the day) and how he would give you the shirt off his back. This and him just being Clay Daddy are how I will carry his memory through the rest of my life. Not good bye but until we meet again.*

Robert Fyler - February 03, 2012 at 05:34 PM

TE

“ *I was so sorry to hear Clay had left us so soon, heaven awaits us all someday. Clay was there to help me with my Kingwood reunion back in the 90's love ya man!!!! Cindy and Robbie my thoughts and prayers are with you. Tina Mcelroy Eller*

Tina Marie Eller - February 03, 2012 at 04:25 PM

HP

“ *I'm very glad to have known Clay , a very caring and kind man. He could also make you laugh! He will be missed.*

Harry Peppard - February 03, 2012 at 02:22 PM

KE

“ *In Loving Memory. He was an amazing and funny man. R.I.P. Uncle Clay*



Kayla Elliott - February 03, 2012 at 01:05 PM

AB

“ *Angela Burzee lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Angela Burzee - February 03, 2012 at 12:20 PM

DO

“ *Dorie lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Dorie - February 03, 2012 at 12:13 PM

RC

“ *I will always remember the good times, riding around in the best van in town. When I was sick and lost 150 lbs, Clay drove up to our house in Longwood and gave me a freshly laundered pair of dress slacks for my trip to Chicago. Not many people would be so giving.*



I will always have fond memories of his big smile and happy "go lucky" approach to life. Clay, you will always be remembered and I know we will see each other again.

God's Speed

Robert L. Clements

Robert Clements - February 03, 2012 at 11:17 AM



“ Nancy Bartell lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Nancy Bartell - February 03, 2012 at 10:20 AM



“ The fun times we shared as cousins and friends will always be remembered. You were like the brother I never had. Missing you and sending love to Katie, Cindy and your son, Clay. Please give love to your parents and mine. They will take care of you. Carol Crawford Hurley



Carol Crawford Hurley - February 03, 2012 at 10:19 AM



“ Dawn Allen lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Dawn Allen - February 03, 2012 at 09:07 AM



“ I don't know how I'll tell Jet. She and Clay were very close -- closer than she and I, I sometimes suspected. Many times I walked in on them cuddling in the west-side screen room. At breakfast, Clay would admonish me for taking an extra piece of bacon until I learned to lie and say it was for her.....

michael a. pleskovich - February 03, 2012 at 08:53 AM

ST

“ Sherie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Sherie Thompson - February 03, 2012 at 08:14 AM

PM

“ So sorry to see that Clay has left us. We think back through the years about our fun times camping with Indian Guides and then on our own at Bryn Mawr. Those were the days! Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Cindy and Robbie.

Patty & Jerry McCord - February 03, 2012 at 08:01 AM

SW

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



sandy weaver - February 03, 2012 at 07:15 AM

WW

“ Wimberly Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler



Wimberly Wolfe - February 03, 2012 at 07:13 AM

WW

Clay you will be truly missed. I will remember the good times on the golf course

Wimberly Wolfe - February 03, 2012 at 07:15 AM

RC

Wimberly he really liked working with you bud.

Robert Chandler - February 03, 2012 at 10:17 PM

MP

“ *Mary Parker lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Mary Parker - February 03, 2012 at 06:51 AM

FM

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



Fred McCarty - February 02, 2012 at 10:49 PM

MA

“ ClayBirdDog,
*I hate that you took an early launch. We will fly together one day,
free like a bird. I will miss you and your sometimes loud opinions
about football :)*
You will be on my mind next time I'm at cloud base...
Marco



Marco - February 02, 2012 at 10:07 PM

MB

“ *I will never forget Clay's boisterous voice and
his contagious smile.*

Megan Borling



Megan Borling - February 02, 2012 at 10:06 PM

RC

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



Robert Clayton Chandler - February 02, 2012 at 09:38 PM

KE

“ *Every trip to the Ranch has been highlighted by Clay's exuberant welcome. May his spirit soar to peace, & be nourished by our love & gratitude for his time here on earth.*

Kim Ellis - February 02, 2012 at 07:02 PM



“ *Thank you God for the life of Clay Chandler. Clay was a sweet cute smart little rascal. My Mom Loved him like he was one of us. I'm thankful for the kids in our neighborhood I will always Love them. I miss Clay very much already and I look forward to seeing him again soon in Heaven.*

Tony Mier

Tony Mier - February 02, 2012 at 01:41 PM



SD

“ *Scott And Rita Denson lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*

Scott and Rita Denson - February 02, 2012 at 12:17 PM



SD

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Scott and Rita Denson - February 02, 2012 at 12:17 PM



KF

“ *Kristi Farber lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Kristi Farber - February 02, 2012 at 11:32 AM

KA

“ *Kathleen Allen lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Kathleen Allen - February 02, 2012 at 08:45 AM

RG

“ *Roy & Pat Gancar lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



Roy & Pat Gancar - February 02, 2012 at 07:39 AM

GA

“ *Gordon Allen lit a candle in memory of Clayton E. Chandler*



gordon allen - February 02, 2012 at 06:42 AM

GA

Clay
I love you and will miss you, until we meet again brother.
Rest in peace forever.
Gordy

gordon allen - February 02, 2012 at 06:46 AM

JR

Clay,
I'm glad I knew you. RIP buddy.
JoR

Joachim Roesler - February 05, 2012 at 12:55 AM