



Mr. John Lewis Cline

August 5, 1931 - February 5, 2014

John Lewis Cline, 82, of Salisbury passed peacefully on February 5th at the Kiser Hospice House of Salisbury.

Born August 5, 1931 in Rowan County, he was the son of the late Robert Carl Cline and Nellie Troutman Cline.

Mr. Cline graduated from Mt. Ulla School and had several jobs although cabinetry was his passion for the last 30 years of his life. He enjoyed working with his hands and could build almost anything. He was active in his church, singing in the choir and making biscuits for the men's breakfasts; even some of his cabinetry works may be seen here. Camping was his favorite pastime, but if the fishing wasn't good, it was a waste of time!

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers Robert D. (Bob) Cline, Charles D. Cline, Wayne Cline and his son Johnnie D. (Donnie) Cline.

Those left to cherish memories are his wife Alice M. Cline, daughters Regeana C. Cashion (Gene) of Salisbury and Teresa C. Clanton of Mooresville, his sister Alice C. Ritchie (Joel) of Salisbury; daughter-in-law Linda P. Cline of Wilmington. In addition, there are four grandchildren (Heather, Lee, Dusty and Wesley), one great-grandchild (Jocelyn) along with

many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Funeral service will be conducted at 2:30 pm at Back Creek Presbyterian Church, 2145 Back Creek Church Rd, Mt Ulla, NC, on Sunday, February 9, 2014. Mr. Cline will lie in state from 1:30-2:30 PM. Interment immediately following the service with Pastor Bill Thrailkill officiating.

The family will receive friends following the service in the church fellowship hall.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Back Creek Presbyterian Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ In every culture, grieving families appreciate receiving comfort. The Creator of life also gives comfort to such mourning ones. The Christian apostle Paul stated in the Bible, that God “who comforts us in all our trials, so that we may be able to comfort others in any sort of trial.” (2 Corinthians 1: 3, 4) True, divine help does not eliminate the pain but it can make it easier to bear. The Bible teaches that all those in the memorial tombs will be resurrected. Please read John 5:28, 29 in your Bible for comfort and hope.

Sharon Johnson - February 10, 2014 at 10:31 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. John Lewis Cline.



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“ Dear Family of John Cline,
Curtis Ribelin and the staff of OTC Construction Company enjoy working with John. John built many cabinet's for our custom homes in Salisbury. We always enjoy seeing John come in with a big smile on his face, to make our day so bright as the sun shine. Thank you for part of our life was shared with the beautiful memories we have of John.

*Our thought of you this day,
Curtis and Mary Jane Ribelin*

Curtis & Mary Jane Ribelin - February 07, 2014 at 08:09 AM