



Clyde W Blanton Sr

June 19, 1924 - October 4, 2023

Clyde W. Blanton, Sr June 19th, 1924 to October 4th, 2023.

Clyde W. Blanton, Sr left his earthly home on October 4th, 2023, in Wilmore, Kentucky. Clyde was born in Boyd County on June 19, 1924, the son of Dan and Flora Crose Blanton. In addition to his parents, Clyde was preceded in death by his wife of 72 years Iva Jean Montgomery Blanton. He was also preceded in death by both of his brothers Ted and Gene Blanton. Clyde loved football and baseball but WW2 happened and duty called. Clyde served in WW2 as a Navy Gunner guarding the highly targeted Liberty Ships responsible for the replenishment of ammunition, bombs, food and war supplies to soldiers in the Atlantic, Pacific and Mediterranean Theaters. He also loved to hunt and fish. Clyde was of the Baptist faith, previously serving as a Sunday School Superintendent and teacher and a Deacon. Clyde retired from AK Steel (then ARMCO) after 37 years as a plant mail carrier.

Clyde leaves behind 5 children: Barbara Perkins (John), Paula Hogsten (Mike), Clyde "Bill" Blanton, Jr (Toni), John Blanton, and Chris Blanton. He had many grandchildren, great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren. As a father, Clyde instilled in his children a strong sense of patriotism and love of country. He will be missed.

Miller Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements. Visitation will be from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM on Monday, October 9, 2023 at Miller Funeral Home. A funeral will follow the visitation with a eulogy by Clyde's grandson, Josh

Blanton. Burial will be in Bellefonte Gardens with military rites performed by American Legion Post 93. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka KS 66675

Cemetery Details

Bellefonte Memorial Gardens

700 Red Devil Lane
Flatwoods, KY 41139

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home
1941 Carter Ave
Ashland, KY 41101
millerfuneralhome@windstream.net

Tribute Wall

KW

“ Clyde was a sweet person. He is going to be missed by all on the THVC staff. He loved his chocolates . We all loved him Herr on the Eisenhower neighborhood and miss him too.

Karen Wilhere - October 09, 2023 at 01:25 PM

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“ So sad to read where Clyde had passed. He was loved by all at AK Steel. I can safely say that all looked forward to Clyde coming around delivering the mail. Everyone looked forward to his daily jokes. I know I did. Condolences to the family.
Marcie Lothor

Marcie Lothor - October 06, 2023 at 11:20 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Clyde W Blanton Sr.



October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM