



Charles Wayne Clemons

November 8, 1951 - March 23, 2026

Charles Wayne Clemons, 74, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania died Monday, March 23, 2026 at the VA Medical Center in Philadelphia.

He was born November 8, 1951 in Cape Girardeau to Charles and Marie Rose Graham Clemons.

Charles served in the Navy on the USS Perry.

He was a graduate of Cape Girardeau Central High School

He worked as an automotive mechanic with his own garage and also worked for the Philadelphia Transportation System.

Survivors include four sons, Charles Clemons, Jr. and Cameron Clemons of Philadelphia and Karon and Kawan Gibson; daughter, Gina Jones of Cape Girardeau; two brothers, Michael (Terri) Clemons of Streamwood, Illinois and Phillip Clemons of Cape Girardeau; sister, Rita Jones of Cape Girardeau; four grandchildren, Machaela Durham, Jalisa Durham, Darion Harris and Dartez Harris; six great-grandchildren, Kaleb Williams, Cameron Harris, Jordynn Durham, Jaelynn Durham, Dakairen Harris and Au'Yuna Harris; two very special longtime friends, Darryl Amos and Kenney Fontain.

Charles was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Keyonna Clemons; and two sisters, Nancy Hill and Diane Wright.

Visitation will be from 11:00 am to noon on Saturday, April 11, 2026 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will follow at noon on Saturday, April 11, 2026 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel in Cape Girardeau with Pastor Farhley K. Jones and Rev. Kathy M. Jones of Immanuel's Grace Ministries officiating. Military Honors will follow at the funeral home.

Burial will be at Fairmount Cemetery in Cape Girardeau at a later date.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Cemetery

835 Caruthers
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 11. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Sprigg St. Chapel
118 S. Sprigg St.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63703

Funeral Service

APR 11. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Charles Wayne Clemons.*



April 07 at 10:20 PM



“ *Janice B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Wayne Clemons.*

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“ *I am a cousin of Charles Clemons, we grew up playing as children together, and we went to the same Junior High School and Central High School. I send you love and heartfelt condolences to Charles family, siblings, children, grand and great grandchildren children. Blessings to all in your time of losing a love one.
Linda Barnett*

Linda Barnett - April 02 at 11:20 PM