



Mr. Anthony "Tony" Cleland

December 3, 1956 - October 29, 2019

Mr. Anthony "Tony" Laverne Cleland, 62 of Sylvester, died on Tuesday, October 29, 2019 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital.

The funeral service will be held at 3:00 PM on Friday November 1, 2019 at Isabella Baptist Church, interment will follow at Isabella Cemetery. The Rev. Jason Jones will officiate.

Mr. Cleland was born on December 3, 1956 in Waycross, Ga., to the late Wannis Laverne Cleland and Jean Carrol Sowell Strickland. He lived in Worth County for the past 30 years and enjoyed hunting, fishing, and singing but most importantly he loved spending time with his friends and family. Mr. Cleland was a member of Isabella Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Joanne Cleland of Sylvester; son, Joseph Cleland of Sylvester; siblings, Terry Cleland (Gail), Tammy Crews (Stacy), Travis Cleland (Rose) and Jesse Strickland (Melanie) all of Brantley Co; brothers-in-law, Bennie Sawyer (Margaret) of Oakfield, Ga., Gerry Sawyer of Sumner, Ga., and Edison Claxton of Wrightsville, Ga. A host of nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, Mr. Cleland was preceded in death by his brother, Timmy Cleland, and sister-in-law, Barbara Claxton.

The family will receive friends on Thursday from 6:30 PM until 8:30 PM at Banks Funeral Home.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Isabella Cemetery

201 Red Rock Road
Sylvester, GA 31791

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **31**. 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Banks Funeral Home
PO Box 550
210 N. Main Street
Sylvester, GA 31791
(229) 776-2055
banksfh@yahoo.com
<http://banks.funeralplan2.com/>

Funeral Service

NOV **1**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Isabella Baptist Church
134 Old Mail Rd.
Sylvester, GA 31791

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Anthony "Tony" Cleland*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss, Joanne. Praying for strength for you and your family in this difficult time.*

Sharon Rhoads

Sharon E Rhoads - November 03, 2019 at 11:10 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Joseph, you favor your daddy so much.*

Wanda Bowen - October 31, 2019 at 03:37 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss, Tony will be missed.*

Janice Dasher - October 31, 2019 at 02:21 PM



“ *So sorry, Joanne and Joseph. His battle is over, victory won, but I know he'll be missed. I pray you will both have peace. Elizabeth Cowles*

Elizabeth Cowles - October 31, 2019 at 01:24 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss 🙏 prayers for the family. Tony was a great person and friend in school.*

Linda Stevens Chesser (classmate) - October 30, 2019 at 09:50 PM

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“ *My Prayers and deepest sympathies to Tony's Family. So very sorry for your loss.*

Brenda Thomas Henderson (classmate) - October 30, 2019 at 08:30 PM

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“ *Thinking of you all during this time with deepest thoughts of sympathy.*



Larry&Deidra Thomas - October 30, 2019 at 07:25 PM

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“ *We are praying for you, Joanne, and for Joseph. We love you ! So sorry to learn of Tony's death. We love you. Let our awesome God give you strength; HE will carry you through this.*

Trisha Farmer O'Neal (and Jerry)

Trisha O'Neal - October 30, 2019 at 10:32 AM

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“ *Y'all are in our prayers Joann & Joseph. We were so sorry to hear of Tony's death. You know he isn't suffering now and is probably up there talking to Bro. Al and bragging on Joseph. We love y'all Tony & Shanna Entrekin*

Entrekin - October 30, 2019 at 09:25 AM

DH

“ *Very fond memories of our family fishing adventures. You were a great source of knowledge on fishing tips as well as hunting. Our boys have been friends since they were teeny tiny and now they are grown men. We will always cherish our friendship we all have shared for so many years. We will always be here for Joanne and Joseph. We know that God holds you now but you'll never be forgotten.*

Dawn Hall - October 30, 2019 at 08:37 AM