



## Raymond Cloney

May 15, 1949 - May 22, 2025

Raymond Henry Cloney Jr., of Elk Creek, WV passed away at his home on May 22, 2025. He was born May 15, 1949 at Charleston, WV. He was the son of the late Raymond Henry and Mildred Arms Cloney. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by his brother, John Cloney.

Raymond was retired as an auditor. He worked for the WV tax office as an auditor for 16 years and 16 years for Unemployment Compensation and 3 years for the Veterans Administration. He graduated from Dupont High School and attended WVU, WV Tech and VPI in Blacksburg, VA. He served his country well in the US Army during the Vietnam War. In his retirement, he enjoyed woodworking, painting and watching movies.

Those left behind to cherish his memory include his wife of 47 years, Joy Wellman Cloney, daughter, Rachel Estepp and her husband Jacob, sisters, Carol Rogers and Linda Morris and her husband, Lee, grandson, Caleb Estepp, brother-in-law, Buddy and his wife Diana Wellman, nieces and nephews, Danny, David and Steven Morris and Jenni Hazlett. Ray also leaves behind many friends, neighbors, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Chafin Funeral Home Chapel on Tuesday, May 27, 2025 at 1:00pm with Rev. Rick Hisle and Rev. Tommy Powers officiating. Burial will follow in the White Cemetery at 5 Mile, Elk Creek, WV. Visitation will be at the funeral home chapel Tuesday from 12:00PM until the start of the funeral services at 1:00pm. The Belfry Area Chapter DAV 141 will perform last rites.

Chafin Funeral Home is proudly serving the Cloney-Wellman Family.

# Cemetery Details

## White Cemetery

Elk Creek, WV

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 27.** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chafin Funeral Home  
215 Riverside Drive  
Delbarton, WV 25670  
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## Service

**MAY 27.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KM

“ *Im so sorry, my thoughts and prayers are with the family , Raymond was a wonderful man , he was always good to me, my son and my grandson , which he was my sons great uncle and my grandsons great great uncle Sending my love and prayers to Joy, Rachel and Family. Kellie Morris, Steven Slayton-Morris & Kayson Slayton-Morris*



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**Kellie Morris** - May 28, 2025 at 06:30 PM

KS

“ *Kellie , Steven, & Kayson Slayton-Morris lit a candle in memory of Raymond Cloney*



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**Kellie , Steven, & Kayson Slayton-Morris** - May 28, 2025 at 06:16 PM

DO

“ *Donna lit a candle in memory of Raymond Cloney*



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**Donna** - May 26, 2025 at 08:38 PM

RL

“ Ron & Donna Ledford purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Raymond Cloney.



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**Ron & Donna Ledford** - May 25, 2025 at 08:07 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Raymond Cloney.



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May 25, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Raymond Cloney.

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May 25, 2025 at 02:58 PM

FP

“ Frankie Pilkins lit a candle in memory of Raymond Cloney



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**Frankie Pilkins** - May 24, 2025 at 11:57 PM

CF

“ Chad Hunt and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Raymond Cloney.



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**Chad Hunt and family** - May 24, 2025 at 11:27 PM

CF

“ Chad Hunt and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond Cloney.

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**Chad Hunt and family** - May 24, 2025 at 11:27 PM

MG

“ Mel Dean Adkins and Girls purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Raymond Cloney.



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**Mel Dean Adkins and Girls** - May 24, 2025 at 11:23 PM

LM

“ Raymond was my dear big brother whom I loved so very much, he had such a gentle soul and so much patience. He was so like our mother, very smart person and wrote such beautiful poetry and was an amazing woodworker and artist. I still can't believe he is gone and my life will never be the same. I miss you so much and love you with all my heart. Finally may you be at peace. Always your loving little Sis, Lynn

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**Linda Cloney Morris** - May 24, 2025 at 10:24 PM

KM

*I'm so sorry Linda , my thoughts and prayers are with you , Kellie*

**Kellie Morris** - May 28, 2025 at 07:29 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond Cloney.*



May 24, 2025 at 09:32 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Raymond Cloney.

May 24, 2025 at 09:32 PM

SM

“ *Steve, Misty, Ryllei and Mason purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Raymond Cloney.*



**Steve, Misty, Ryllei and Mason** - May 24, 2025 at 09:18 PM

LM

“ *Linda Cloney Morris lit a candle in memory of Raymond Cloney*



**Linda Cloney Morris** - May 24, 2025 at 09:04 PM

YF

“ Your loving Sister Lynn, Lee & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Raymond Cloney.



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**Your loving Sister Lynn, Lee & Family** - May 24, 2025 at 09:00 PM

YF

“ Your loving Sister Lynn, Lee & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond Cloney.

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**Your loving Sister Lynn, Lee & Family** - May 24, 2025 at 09:00 PM