



Dennis W Clark

March 23, 1958 - March 1, 2018

Dennis W. Clark "DC"

Dover - Dennis W. Clark passed away on March 1, 2018 at home with family. He was born on March 23, 1958 in Little Creek, DE. to George Ray Agnes "Pinky" Clark. As a young man Denny started school in Little Creek and then graduated from Dover High School. He enjoyed the outdoors, He used to tend his muskrat traps everyday before school and did a tremendous amount of hunting and fishing. He was an avid deer hunter who really enjoyed taking his son and nephews to share his experiences with them. Denny always seemed to figure out how to get the most out of the hunt and out of life. He grew up playing baseball at Dover Little League. After baseball he started playing softball which led him to his lovely wife Gail. Denny had a long, eventful softball career playing for some of the best teams around. Here he met a lot of friends and made life long memories. He was a highly respected player and person that everyone adored. He then coached all of his son Robby's baseball and all star teams at Camden Little League. Denny was a great motivator, teacher and all around great guy. He loved being with his family, whether it be holiday dinners, grilling outback near the pool, camping at Cherrystone, golfing in Florida, taking mom up to the casino or betting on horses at the track. Denny was a very

hard worker, he earned everything that came to him. He started at a young age when he worked as a Hunting Guide for Dick Short. He then started a Kent County career that lasted over 30 years. First he worked as a dispatcher for 911, then to work with the Division of Wastewater and ended with Community Services in the Parks and Recreation Division as a Park Worker. After retiring from Kent County he went to work for Del Dot for 6 years. Denny will be missed by everyone he came in contact with throughout his time here with us. Denny was survived by his beloved wife of 34 years Gail (Courtney) Clark, son Robby Clark and girlfriend Amanda Hill, Parents George Ray and Agnes "Pinky" Clark, sister Joyce Harvey (Mitchell Banks), Brother in laws Glenn Courtney (Emily), Vaughn Courtney (Diane), Lee Courtney and Mark Courtney, nephews Jason Courtney (Darla), Brian Courtney (Katie), great nieces Stephany Courtney and Jada Courtney, great nephews Anthony Hydro and Davey Peer, many more nieces and nephews and extended family members, and of course his hunting partner Willie "WC" Hand. Viewing will be held on Tuesday March 6, 2018 from 6 pm to 8 pm at Trader Funeral Home. Funeral

Service will be Wednesday March 7, 2018 at 11 am. Burial service will follow at Sharon Hills. Letters of condolences may be sent to www.traderfh.com

Cemetery

Sharon Hill Memorial Park

Dover, DE,

Comments



“ Gail, I'm very sorry to hear about the passing of your husband. You will be in my thoughts and prayers. God bless, Gail.

Joe Arnauskas - March 06, 2018 at 03:39 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Denny. He was a good guy. I always liked working with him at Kent Center.

Rich Casson

rich casson - March 06, 2018 at 03:17 PM



“ One story that I still love to tell and it is all truthful. DC and I were working midnight shift one night when we got a 911 call from a woman at a local college. I asked the woman what the problem was and she said she wanted to report someone with something in their throat. Very apprehensive about answering any question I asked her where the person was and she said it was her. DC looked at me with a big question mark on his face. I continued talking to her and I asked her if she was choking and she said no. So here came the big question. What do you think is in your throat and she didn't answer. I asked her a second time and after some hesitation said "a condom". DC almost dropped the phone laughing and had to mute his phone. So to push it further I almost asked her how it got there but decided maybe I shouldn't. We laughed about that for a long time and I still tell that story today. DC did send an ambulance and she was ok with nothing in her throat.

Wayne Wheeler - March 06, 2018 at 09:46 AM



“ Dave Grygo, DC, and myself went fishing one day. We were bailing trout when we got boarded by the Coast Guard. Dave didn't own the boat and after a while we were checked out ok. Just as the CG was getting off our boat Dave asked him what would happen if the boat was stolen. After a lot of explanation he left and DC and I told Dave if we ended up in jail in New Jersey we would beat him! Loved working with Denney!

Wayne Wheeler - March 06, 2018 at 09:35 AM



“ My deepest condolences for your loss. I was honored to work with Denny and call him a friend. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.
Fred Strauss

Frederick Strauss, jr - March 06, 2018 at 07:49 AM



“ Garry And Debbie Glanden lit a candle in memory of Dennis W Clark



Garry and Debbie Glanden - March 05, 2018 at 04:32 PM



“ Loved Denny, loved seeing him and my father, Horace Ellingsworth, run smack back and forth to each other over the years.. he will be missed and remembered by many..
Wendi Ellingsworth-Powell

Wendi Sue Powell - March 04, 2018 at 09:00 PM



“ Tammy Carrow-Munson lit a candle in memory of Dennis W Clark



Tammy Carrow-Munson - March 04, 2018 at 08:09 PM



“ I now we were cousin's but I always called you Uncle Denny and was very proud to. I loved going to the horse races all these years and the special times when you would come see moms horse race. You were always there no matter what family event it was, you and your smile are going to be greatly missed. Thanks for all the great memories and say hi to mom for me. Love ya



“ As we live our lives and set our goals and achieve our mile stones in the end its the legacy that you leave behind that matters. Legacy is more than our children, its who we were, the differences we made and the love and kindness we shared with others.

Denny Clark will always be thought of as a kind and loving person. He made all of us better just by being around him. He was a leader who always reached down and picked you up when you needed it and could listen as well as he gave advice. He was my friend and I am a better man because God gave me the opportunity to be part of Denny Clarks legacy. Until we meet again, you will forever live in me.

Little Lace

Thomas Lovelace - March 04, 2018 at 10:47 AM



“ Denny was my dear friend for over 35 years. I have many great memories, hunting, fishing, gatherings , too many to list but none will be forgotten! Denny was a great man of INTEGRITY who loved and cared for his family and friends. Many hunting trips(not always succesful) but always fun and making memories. I love you my brother!! Rest !! and I will see you again. All my love and support to your family.

John Sapienza - March 03, 2018 at 07:40 PM