



Lawrence Ulysses Clea

August 7, 1951 - May 19, 2026

Lawrence Ulysses Clea, affectionately known to all as Larry, was born on August 7, 1951, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, to the late John Clea Sr. and Helen Trice-Clea.

Larry was a proud lifelong resident of Steelton, Pennsylvania. He attended Steelton-Highspire High School, where he was a standout athlete on the varsity basketball team and helped lead the Rollers to become the District III Eastern Regional Champions in 1969. He later proudly graduated with the Roller Class of 1971.

Following high school, Larry answered the call to serve his country by joining the United States Army. Stationed in Germany from 1973 until 1976, he served faithfully and was honorably discharged.

Upon returning home, Larry entered the workforce, first at ITT Grinnell in Columbia, Pennsylvania, and later at the New Cumberland Army Depot, where his strong work ethic and dedication continued to shine.

Larry was deeply rooted in his community and an active member of the Steelton American Legion Post 420, where he shared a close, enduring bond with his fellow veterans. Known for his generous heart and dependable spirit, Larry was the ultimate friend, often driving loved ones to appointments and

always making sure those around him were cared for.

Above all, Larry cherished spending time with family and friends. In his leisure, he enjoyed watching ESPN, talking sports, and passionately cheering for his favorite teams, the LA Lakers and the NY Giants.

On Tuesday, May 19, 2026, at seventy-four years of age, Larry peacefully transitioned from this life. He was preceded in death by his mother, Helen Trice-Clea, and his father, John Clea Sr.

Larry leaves to cherish his memory his devoted daughter, Tiffany Henry; his cherished grandsons, Nassir Henry and Bryce Clea; his siblings, John Clea Jr. (Pauline) of Harrisburg, William Eugene Clea (Rebecca) of Warwickshire, England, Janice Eileen Spinner (James) of Harrisburg, and Dale Irvin Clea of Harrisburg; along with a host of nieces, nephews, extended family members, and dear friends who will forever cherish his warmth, kindness, and presence.

Lovingly submitted in faith, hope, and love by the family.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS, OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

Flower delivery, 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 3, at WFD.

Cemetery Details

Indiantown Gap National

Indiantown Gap Road
Annaville, PA 17003

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.
106 Agnes St
Harrisburg, PA 17104
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Wallace Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea



Wallace Funeral Directors - June 03 at 10:20 AM

VF

I am so sorry to learn of the passing of Larry Clea. I just found out of his passing. Jan, I would love to talk with you. I always loved our friendship. Please contact me if you get this message. My number is 910-354-0362. This is your old college roommate Veronica (Ronnie McClain) Fisher.

veronica (Ronnie McClain) Fisher - June 04 at 12:17 PM

CH

“ Just learned of Larry's passing. Condolences to the family



Christine Headen - June 03 at 02:45 PM

BT

“ Sincere condolences from the entire Bowman Family. May all of the wonderful memories keep and sustain during this time and in the days ahead. May His Peace be your Joy.
Beverly Bowman Thomas

Beverly Bowman Thomas - June 03 at 07:18 AM

LL

My condolences to family, friends. R,I.P. Larry 🙏❤️🙏

Lionel Lester - June 08 at 02:13 PM

RT

“ *Renee Taylor lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Renee Taylor - June 02 at 11:05 AM

CT

“ *Carolyn I Thomas lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Carolyn I Thomas - June 02 at 10:00 AM

PR

“ *Phyllis Clea Robinson lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Phyllis Clea Robinson - June 02 at 08:18 AM

PR

“ *Condolences to the entire Clea. May God keep you all in perfect peace during this difficult time.*

Phyllis Clea Robinson - June 02 at 08:15 AM

KH

“ *Rest in peace.*



Kelli Hawkinschids - May 30 at 05:31 PM

KH

“ *May you rest in peace.*



Kelli Hawkinschids - May 30 at 05:30 PM

RL

“ *Renita Lawson lit a candle in memory of
Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Renita Lawson - May 29 at 01:53 PM

SJ

“ *Sharon & Janice purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Lawrence Ulysses Clea.*



Sharon & Janice - May 29 at 11:47 AM

LP

“ Love Uncle Johnny and Aunt Pauline purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lawrence Ulysses Clea.



Love Uncle Johnny and Aunt Pauline - May 29 at 08:57 AM

TG

“ My heartfelt condolences to the entire Clea family. Rest ever so peacefully in paradise Larry 💕

Tracie Garnett - May 28 at 05:33 PM

TF

“ The Rucker Family lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea



The Rucker Family - May 28 at 06:45 AM

JT

“ Joanne Tilman lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea



Joanne Tilman - May 27 at 10:52 PM

TJ

Condolences to Clea Family

Tonia Johnson - June 02 at 12:45 PM

DL

“ *Daisy Latham-Williams lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Daisy Latham-Williams - May 27 at 05:57 PM

DP

“ *I'll always remember the good talks we had over the fence, you lived on Lincoln Street and I lived on Bessemer Street. Those little moments became special memories. Rest easy, my friend. You will truly be missed.*

Donna Proctor - May 27 at 04:07 PM

SD

My deepest condolences to the family Larry was a dear friend. I met Larry when i was working in his building i am a home health aid. Mr Larry would give me rides home Larry we'll be truly missed RI P Larry
🙏🙏

Selene Davis - May 27 at 09:57 PM

TP

“ *Terry Penn lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Terry Penn - May 27 at 01:55 PM

LL

My condolences to the family of Lawrence Ulysses Clea.RIP 🙏 🙏 100
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Lee Lathan - May 30 at 01:13 PM

LR

“ *Lucille Ray lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



Lucille Ray - May 27 at 09:24 AM

AH

My deepest condolences to the family praying for y'all fine peace with God. He will surely be deeply missed. Sorry for our loss praying 🙏

Albert Hicks - May 27 at 10:57 AM

LL

My deepest condolences to the family praying for peace with God. RIP Cuz. 🙏❤️100 ☐

Lee Lathan - May 27 at 12:16 PM

RB

“ *Rest In Heavenly Peace My Dear Friend* ❤️

Renee Drayton Bowers

Renee Bowers - May 27 at 07:59 AM

DS

“ *David Seay lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Ulysses Clea*



David Seay - May 27 at 07:32 AM

RC

“ *My prayers and condolences to yhe Clea family*

Robert Collier - May 26 at 10:38 PM

CS

“ *Rest well good brother*

Cavin Scott - May 26 at 08:55 PM

JJ

“ *MY CONDOLENCES TO THE CLEA FAMILY AND LARRY'S FRIENDS! IT WAS ALWAYS GOOD TO SEE HIM BECAUSE HE WAS ALWAYS SMILING. ONCE AFTER MANY YEARS OF NOT SEEING HIM. I ASHED DO YOU REMEMBER ME. HE SAID MAN WE GROW UP TOGETHER AND THAT SOMETHING YOU DON'T FORGET THE GREAT TIMES WE HAD. IT'S A BLESSING TO KNOW HIM AS A FRIEND!*

James Hawkins Jr - May 26 at 08:12 PM

DT

Rip chicken Larry, my sincere condolences to you and your family during this difficult time. Praying for comfort, strength, and peace for you all.D Toliver

Dwindal Toliver - May 28 at 07:52 PM

CS

“ *Our condolences and deepest sympathy to the family, Will miss Larry smiley face and laughter when me and my sister Joyce would deliver him Meals On Wheels. He was so happy to see us and talking and laughing so I will miss the laughter.my God bless the family!!! 🙏🙏🙏❤️*

Carolyn Selvey - May 26 at 06:15 PM