



Clifford Staples Sr.

December 13, 1948 - July 12, 2021

Clifford Staples was born on December 13, 1948 to Moses and Ida Staples in Chester, PA. He attended Watts Elementary School and Showalter Junior High. He graduated from Chester High School in June 1969. "Skeet" as he was affectionately called, joined the U.S. Marine Corps stationed in Paris Island, SC after graduating. He was honorably discharged.

He married his devoted wife, Betty J. Staples (Fleming) on June 14, 1975 and out of this union a handsome son was born, Clifford Staples, Jr. who became known as "Lil Skeet". Betty and Skeet were married for 46 years enjoying each others companionship and always supported each other. He joined Bethany Baptist Church during his early childhood years under the pastorate of Rev. Daniel Scott.

Skeet was a diehard Dallas Cowboy fan and enjoyed having his brothers and close friends visit his home for fun and fellowship during the basketball and football season, and serve food which his wife cooked while they enjoyed. Skeet read the newspaper Delaware County Daily Times every single day. He had a great sense of humor and his favorite saying was "crazy as a bedbug".

Skeet was employed by FMC in Marcus Hook, Congoleum in Trainer and retired from Kimberly Clark formerly Scott Paper, Chester, PA

Skeet was predeceased in death by Moses Staples (father),

Ida Staples (Mother), Sonia Staples (favorite niece).

He leaves to mourn Betty Staples (wife); Clifford Staples, Jr. (son),

Claudell Staples; brother (Venera); Alfonso Staples (brother) ;

Leroy Staples(brother); Nannie Cottman (sister), Carolyn Weathers, sister
(Edward), Mother-in-Law, Cathy Fleming; Sister-in-Law, Irene Clements;

Deborah Graham, Sister-in-Law, (Sam), aunts, uncles, and a host of nieces,
nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Chester Rural Cemetery

412 W. 15th Street
Chester, PA 19013

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethany Baptist Church
1121 Tilghman Street
Chester, PA 19013

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Clifford Staples Sr.

October 07, 2023 at 11:34 AM



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October 04, 2023 at 12:55 PM