



## Clifton Shelton

July 10, 1923 - December 22, 2010

Clifton Eugene Shelton, age 87 of Carneys Point and Richmond, VA died Wednesday December 22, 2010 at Southgate Health Care Center.

He was the widower of Margaret Hall Shelton of Richmond and Doris Lawson Shelton of Carneys Point.

Mr. Shelton is survived by two sons, Clifton Eugene Shelton, Jr., and Jerry Edmund Shelton, one stepson, Jerry R. Hall and his companion dog Jake. He had been a US Army veteran of WWII.

He had been employed as a mechanic for Harold G. Cline, Inc. in Carneys Point for over 40 years and a member of Teamsters Union 676.

Mr. Shelton attended Calvary Baptist Church in Carneys Point.

A viewing will be held on Tuesday from 4 to 6 PM in the Ashcraft Funeral Home, 47 State St., Penns Grove. Funeral services will take place in Richmond on Friday at the Nelsen Funeral Home with interment in Oakwood Cemetery, Richmond.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ To the Shelton Family with heartfelt sympathy, May you find comfort in the word of God and in the knowledge that others sympathize with you in your loss. Since this may be one of the hardest things we will ever have to cope with, the bible offers hope. Pointing to a glorious time, Isaiah 25:8 says, "God will actually swallow up death forever and Jehovah God will certainly wipe the tears from all faces." Please read Acts 24:10. It has bought comfort to me and my family. I pray it does the same for you.

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**Chantelle** - December 23, 2010 at 03:40 PM

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“ I know Heaven has another angel. His name is Cliff. He was the finest man I knew. He took care of my Aunt Doris. Sometimes that was very hard. He was lucky enough to find love again...Margaret. Jerry, her son, was part of the package. It couldn't have been a better gift.  
Jerry, Cliff and Jerry, May your hearts be filled with wonderful memories of joyful times together as you celebrate a life well lived.

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**Sherrie Lawson** - December 23, 2010 at 03:21 PM

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“ *Death is Nothing At All*

*I have only slipped away into the next room. I am I, and you are you, Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.*

*Call me by the old familiar name. Speak of me in the easy way which you always used. Put no difference into your tone. Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow. Laugh as we always laughed At the little jokes that we enjoyed together.*

*Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.*

*Let my name be ever the household work that it always was. Let it be spoken without an effort, Without the ghost of a shadow upon it.*

*Life means all that it ever meant. It is the same as it ever was.*

*There is absolute and unbroken continuity.*

*What is this death but a negligible accident? Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight? I am but waiting for you, for an interval, somewhere very near, Just around the corner.*

*All is well.*

*-----Henry Scott Holland*

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**Sherrie Lawson** - December 23, 2010 at 03:15 PM