



## Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen

December 7, 1950 - January 31, 2020

Clifton Lea Pippen was born on December 7, 1950 at St. Vincent's Hospital in Monett, Missouri to Clifton and Marion (Lea) Pippen. He departed this life on January 31, 2020 at the age of 69 years.

C.L. graduated from Humansville High School in 1968. He then moved to Des Moines, Iowa where he attended Barber College.

On April 26, 1980 C.L. was united in marriage to Mary Phyllis Turner. To this union two children, Ashley Nicole and Preston Riley, were born. Later in life they began raising their grandson Tucker Riley.

He worked various jobs before starting with KAW Roofing and Sheet Metal in Kansas City, Kansas in the late 1970's. He retired from here in 2005.

After retirement, C.L. and Phyllis moved back to Southern Missouri. C.L. spent his retirement enjoying target practice, woodworking in his shed, and watching Chiefs football.

C.L. was preceded in death by his parents Clifton and Marion Pippen.

He leaves behind his wife of 39 years and 9 months, Phyllis; his children, Ashley and husband Steven, Preston and wife Shelby, grandson, Tucker; two sisters, Myra Pippen and Lisa Whitney and partner Michael Davis; several nieces and nephews, and three great nieces.

C.L. was a great husband, dad, and grampa. He will be missed greatly by all who knew him.

Memorial Services will be Saturday, February 8, 2020 in the Cantlon

Otterness & Viets Funeral Home in Urbana, Missouri with Pastor Mike Puckett officiating.

Visitation will be from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Friday, February 7, 2020

In lieu of flowers memorials maybe made to the American Cancer Society.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home - Urbana  
210 W. Broadway St.  
P.O. Box 165  
Urbana, MO 65767  
(417) 993-5133  
info@cantlonotterness.com  
<https://www.cantlonotterness.com>

## Memorial Service

FEB 8. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *I was a classmate in school with CL at Humansville. CL had a quiet great presence. It is very sad that he has departed. May Peace be with the family,*



**Sue Skidmore** - May 20, 2020 at 06:09 AM



“ *We went to school together all 12 years. He was quiet and a great baseball catcher. I’ll always remember his smile. Prayers for the family. Margarett*

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**Margarette Crawford Payne** - February 08, 2020 at 11:40 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mr. Clifton Lea Pippen.*



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February 03, 2020 at 10:24 PM