



## Clarence Edward Black Jr.

February 18, 1949 - October 22, 2024

Clarence "Monk" Edward Black, Jr., 75, of Troutman, passed away on Tuesday, October 22, 2024 at Lake Norman Regional Medical Center.

He was born on February 18, 1949 in Mooresville, NC, to the late Clarence and Lula Gryder Black. Monk attended Mooresville High School. He was a veteran serving proudly in the US Navy.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Brenda Day.

He is survived by his son, Jason E. Black of Mooresville.

A Celebration of Life gathering will be held on Sunday, November 24 from 4:00-6:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, PO Box 977, Mooresville, NC 28115, to offset funeral expenses.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Black family. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Previous Events

## Receiving Friends

NOV **24**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home  
494 E. Plaza Drive  
 Mooresville, NC 28115

# Tribute Wall

KZ

“ I got to meet monk way back at old Moor Lanes bowling alley when him and Sherry was married.i remember him as being a hoot for sure back then and every time we see him at shop n save in Mooresville he was alot laughs for sure

Jason I know you don't remember me but I'm so sorry on the loss of your dad my thoughts and prayers go out to u n family during this difficult time.my parents are Wayne and Shirley Smith they use work old Mooresville bowling back in day when ur mom n dad bowled there n that's how I knew it Dad and mom and you when u came along as well.



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**Kimberly Zeback** - November 21, 2024 at 02:53 AM

RT

“ My husband Ricky Teague worked several years with Clarence Edward Black Jr.  
His nick name was Monk.  
Ricky would come home telling how Monk was one of his best workers. He would talk about witnessing to him.  
About every Sunday after church we had lunch at Gregg's BBQ, which they serve other foods.  
We would always see Monk and his Dad there. It never failed his sweet Dad always had spaghetti. Monk always was friendly and always had a smile on his face. He would come to our table cutting up with Ricky and me. Then there was one Sunday Monk came to our table. There was something different about him. He still had that smile and instead of cutting up, he told us he got saved. He accepted Jesus as his Saviour. That day we just Praised the Lord with him. I'll never forget that day!!  
We saw him a few times after that. He told us his Dad died. We never saw Monk after that. We often wondered where is Monk? What happened to him? We wondered how could we get in touch with him. We sure did miss him.  
Years went by.  
Through a mutual friend, we just learned Monk passed away. We are so thankful for the promise of seeing him again one day. I can hear his laugh now. Praise God, Hallelujah!!  
See you soon Monk. Love, your friends in Christ Jesus, Ricky & Nancy Teague

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**Ricky and Nancy Teague** - November 18, 2024 at 06:45 PM

WR

“ my family and Clarence Jr's family grew up together in church at Sherill Town Church of God. his Dad and my Dad played guitars and brother Williams played the accordiun . We shared some wonderful times together. Clarence Sr. was one of the most influential people in my life and the most dedicated Christian I have ever known. I will never forget the night Monk called me and said to me; Wayne I got down on my knees last night and gave Jesus my heart and soul and asked him to save me. I cried with tears of Joy because I knew Clarence Sr had been praying for him for many many years. Now we will live again together in Heaven forever and ever.Praise God and thank you Jesus for my salvation and going to the cross for me and paying a sin debt I could never pay. And you too can be with Clarence Jr. again if you know Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior. May the peace of God be with you in your time of sorrow and loss. But we can shout the victory becaus Clarence Jr. is home with Jesus. Amen

Wayne Robinson - November 18, 2024 at 05:50 PM

RT

Love this!

Ricky and Nancy Teague - November 18, 2024 at 07:12 PM

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“ MHS Class Of 1967 lit a candle in memory of Clarence Edward Black Jr.



MHS Class of 1967 - November 09, 2024 at 08:28 AM