



## Claude Junior Wingler

September 26, 1936 - December 30, 2020

Claude Junior Wingler, 84, of Statesville, passed away on Wednesday, December 30, 2020 at Iredell Memorial Hospital.

He was born on September 26, 1936 in North Wilkesboro, NC, to the late Oscar and Pearlle Taylor Wingler. Mr. Wingler was retired from LOF in Mooresville.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by sisters, Stella and Gaye; brother, Jerry; and grandson, Jayson Alexander.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce Crider Wingler; children, Angela Alexander, Lisa West, Mike Wingler; sisters, Della Mae Shumate, Myrtle Biles, Nell Parker, Margie Wingler; brothers, Clate Wingler, Odell Wingler; grandchildren, Sheri Bell, Joyce Cline, Jesse Alexander, Melody Alexander, Heather Powell, James West, and Claudia West; and seven great grandchildren.

A Celebration of life will be held in North Wilkesboro in the Spring.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Helping Hand Development Center, 228 Davis Street, Hendersonville, NC 28737.

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

# Tribute Wall

SB

“ Uncle Claude, I miss you so much. No matter how bad I would be feeling, you always made me laugh. I already miss seeing you every week and being greeted by your humerus names we spoke to one another. You were “one” of the “good” ones! Not many men meet up to the standards that you and my Daddy had. Claude you taught me a lot about antiques and wood grains. Your intelligence was vast and wide. I will miss you as my teacher, my friend, and my stand in dad. You are and always will be my special uncle. I love and miss you very much, was definitely not ready to let you go. I’m glad we had a few minutes to talk that night, I thank you and God for giving me that. 🙏❤️



Susan Biles - February 17, 2021 at 12:14 PM



“ Claude Junior Wingler

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ Claude Junior Wingler

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ Claude Junior Wingler

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM

BB

“ I worked with Claude at L O F for about 5 year an never forgot him being a nice an caring man...Rest in Peace ...Betty

Betty Brawley - January 10, 2021 at 03:41 PM

MA

“ PawPaw, I miss you so very much. I am still having a hard time processing that you are no longer here, and I will never be able have another piece of that famous smoked chicken, or hear your infectious laugh. You taught me more than you know, about hard work, independence and loving your neighbor. You were always there for me, anytime I needed you and I am grateful for all your advice and guidance. I have so many memories that I will treasure forever. I love you.

Melody Alexander - January 09, 2021 at 06:29 PM

JC

“ Pop, I am going to miss you so much! I always loved hearing about how you grew up in the mountains I hate that you're not going to be able to take me and the kids there to show us around this spring like we planned. I hate that we're not going to get to show and tell you about all the hunting stories of the kids! I know you live in each one of us and that is where I will find my comfort. I know you will still be there to talk to we I need. I told Eva that you will always be with her hunting in that old tree in the the old dog lot. She said she saw you flying around as the cardinal the other day and of course this made me smile. Love you!



Joyce Cline - January 09, 2021 at 05:20 PM

LH

*That is a very sweet comment .I am sure he loved you with all his heart and you him*

**Laurie Hayes** - January 09, 2021 at 07:08 PM

DW

*I worked with Claude for many years and shared a lot of experiences with him outside plant. Claude was a very caring person and fun to be around.*

**Donald West** - January 19, 2021 at 08:37 AM

LW

“ *Daddy, you were my rock and moral compass my whole life. You taught me to be strong, honest, and responsible. I will cherish all those summers you and I would go fishing and then cook all the fish we caught. You were the best Daddy a girl could ever hope for and I never lacked for love or comfort. I know you are reunited with all your friends and family that preceded you and you are playing with your beloved Charlie dog. I look forward to you being my guide in the afterlife like you were on Earth.*

**Lisa West** - January 09, 2021 at 01:46 PM

TN

*Claude you have always been my great friend .  
I always thought of you like a dad  
I will never forget all the nights that we talked while I was driving home from taking care of my dad .  
Plus all the antique deals we did through out the years together..I will treasure our friendship forever. You were a man who had a love for your family and your friends and was always willing to help.  
.I know how much you loved your mom and dad and Charlie now you can reunite with your love ones ..  
Go rest high on the mountain !!  
We all will Love you forever !!  
The Newtons :Teresa ,Danny ,Sephoria,,Paisley❤️*

**Teresa Newton** - February 16, 2021 at 11:09 AM

HP

“Paw I love you so much! I still can't believe your gone. You were hard on me because you didn't want to see me fail. I will never forget the day you said that you were proud of me. You were so funny a lot of times. You would teach me about antiques everytime I would come visit. I will always miss that. You are a great man, father, grandpa, and great grandpa!

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**Heather Powell** - January 09, 2021 at 08:50 AM