



## Chuck McClenny

December 16, 1935 - April 28, 2020

Charles Leroy McClenny passed away on Tuesday, April 28, 2020 at the age of 84. Known to all as Chuck, he was born on December 16, 1935 to the late James Wilburn and Odena Black McClenny in Jamestown, Texas. He graduated from Lindale High School and went on to serve in the U.S. Navy before returning to Lindale and starting a family with his wife, Rachel Anderson McClenny. Chuck worked for Tyler Pipe for 30 years but spent much of his time pursuing the activities he loved, such as farming, quail hunting, and enjoying the company of his friends and family. With his knack for storytelling and mischievous sense of humor, he was the constant life of the party and loved by everyone who knew him.

Chuck is preceded in death by his wife, Rachel; his brother, James; his sister, Betty; and his grandson, Matthew. He is survived by his three children, Sherry McClenny, Monte McClenny, Heath McClenny, and son-in-law Freddie Warren; his four grandchildren, Hayley, Ariel, Misty, and Jacob; one great-grandson, Mylo; his brothers Eugene McClenny (Joyce) and Bobby McClenny; and his sisters Elouise Cook, Sarah Hicks (Dan), Carolyn Brown, and Nita Herring (Curtis); numerous nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at a later date.

# Cemetery

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**Lindale City Cemetery**

702 West South Street

Lindale, TX, 75771

# Comments

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“ Claudie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Chuck McClenny



**Claudie Thompson** - May 04 at 02:22 PM

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“ There are too many memories to share, but I am so thankful for those many precious memories we shared in school and after. He was always remembered the ones I wanted to forget, like the one when we girls were playing jump rope and he and CW took the rope away and it tripped me. I fell to the ground, the breath knocked out of me, I got up and started running to the building crying, "You've killed me", and just as I got inside I passed out cold. Everyone thought they had killed me (including Chuck and CW). I can hear him and CW saying, "You've killed me! You've killed me!" at almost every reunion since.  
There never could be another duo like those two. I am surely going to miss his smiling face, and that special laugh.  
Claudie Marie Cline Thompson

**Claudie Thompson** - May 04 at 02:21 PM

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“ Gloria Smith lit a candle in memory of Chuck McClenny



**Gloria Smith** - May 01 at 10:29 AM

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“ One of my earliest memories of Uncle Charles was all the excitement when he came home to visit during his years in the navy. The first memory of him was seeing him step out of the car wearing his Navy whites with that white cap sitting on his head - he made me think of Popeye ....He was always smiling and cracking a joke or two

**Patsy Kirby** - April 30 at 12:02 AM

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“ Chuck and I were friends from high school. We had a lot of good times. He really was a hoot. Love the McClenny's but don't like losing so many of them. Lina

**Lina Hauk** - April 29 at 11:08 PM

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“ So sorry to hear about Uncle Chuck! He was truly one of a kind!!! We will miss him so much!



**Alicia McClenny McGuire** - April 29 at 04:48 PM

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“ Linda Willis lit a candle in memory of Chuck McClenny



**Linda Willis** - April 29 at 03:00 PM

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“ Karen Hester Damon lit a candle in memory of Chuck McClenny



**Karen Hester Damon** - April 29 at 02:17 PM