



Clinton Read

October 24, 1985 - April 4, 2021

Clinton Marvis Read, age 35 of Pleasant View, Tennessee died Sunday, April 4, 2021 in Detroit, Michigan.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00PM, on Saturday, April 17th at Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Pleasant View with Bro. Gene Parton officiating.

Family will receive friends at the funeral home on Saturday from 1:00PM until the hour of service at 3:00PM.

Clinton was born on October 24, 1985 in Nashville, Tennessee to Dale Read and Kelly (Chad) Armstrong. He worked in construction, was an awesome artist, and loved his friends and family.

He is preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Marvis & Margaret Read; and maternal grandparents, James Miller & Pat Carney.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by brothers, Clay Harrison, Kyle Armstrong; sister, Kelia Armstrong; step-grandfather, Jim Carney; and numerous loving aunts, uncles, and cousins.

If so desired, memorial contributions may be given to Oasis Center, Inc., 1704 Charlotte Ave, Suite 200, Nashville, Tn 37203.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME in Pleasant View is in charge of these arrangements. 6316 Highway 41A, Pleasant View, Tennessee 37146 (615) 746-4433 www.austinandbell.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 17. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Clint and I met in Ann Arbor in 2007. We were both young punks partying and chasing girls, I was really wrapped up in my own problems at home and we nodded and smiled at each other but I was being selfish.*

Years went by and I didn't think I'd see him again, I kept traveling and he quit, kind of early in the game to be there for some people that weren't really there for him. She knows who she is and I don't have a lot of sympathy for her plight.

He was fragile and we all knew it. A lot of us had to act tough back then to survive on the streets, but even though we didn't really talk about our feelings, we'd never stop him from it. His vulnerability he showed us made us like and want to protect him more.

He'll yell at me for saying this in public whenever I see him again, but he was one of those people that tried to be so thoroughly good and gentle that a malicious and cruel place ate him alive, and he's not weak for that. He was never weak, ever. One of the strongest people I've ever had the pleasure of knowing.

He just lost a fight.

We'll remember him forever with love and respect.

However anybody may feel about it, to me, Clint died a legend.

Jonathan Kallet - March 19, 2023 at 09:29 AM

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“ *Renee Deyoe lit a candle in memory of Clinton Read*



Renee Deyoe - November 03, 2021 at 05:04 PM

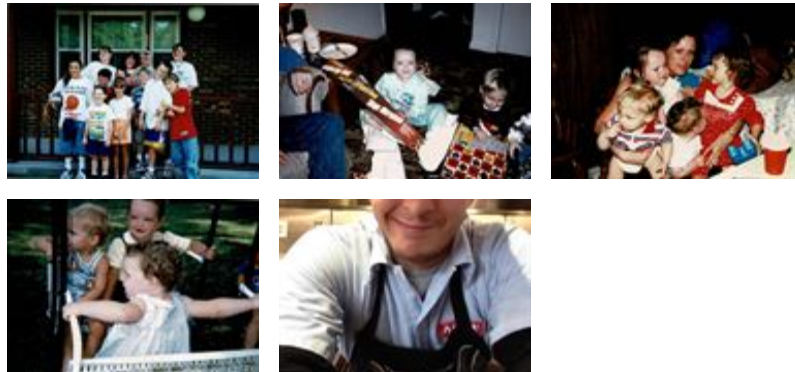
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“ *Clinton and my son James were really good friends when they were kids. Dale and Clint move into the apartments where we were, James and Clint hit it off immediately! Time took them away from each other as adults. I am so very sorry to hear this and my heart goes out to Dale Read and Clinton's mother. Rest In Peace Clint! I'm sure James met you when you got there!*

Renee Deyoe - November 03, 2021 at 05:00 PM



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