



## Thomas Clifton Kleppinger

July 29, 1958 - April 14, 2018

Thomas Clifton Kleppinger Sr. of Easton, MD, was suddenly taken from us on April 14, 2018. He was 59.

He was born on July 29, 1958, to the late Alan and Jean Kleppinger. Tom was the oldest of three boys who grew up on Washington Street in Easton. He was very active in the community and involved in many different organizations throughout his life. Tom was the proud owner and operator of Tom's General Services Inc. He had a passion for his family, camping, and traveling.

Tom is survived by his longtime girlfriend, Jackie White; his three children, Jessica Fluharty (John) of Trappe, MD, Roxanne Kleppinger (Alex Henkel) of Greensboro, MD, and Thomas Kleppinger Jr. of Trappe; his step-children, Stacy, Michael, Donald and Will White. In addition, he is survived by his four granddaughters, Taylor, Kylie, Kamryn and Isabella; two step-grandchildren, Ava and Damian; his two brothers, Kevin and Donnie Kleppinger; and the mother of his children, Kathy MacSorley.

Friends may call on Thursday, April 26, 2018, from 5-7 pm, at the Easton Church of God. A funeral service will be held on Friday, April 27, 2018, at 11am, at the Easton Church of God. Burial will follow at New Spring Hill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Easton Elks Lodge #1622, 502 Dutchmans Lane, Easton, MD 21601 or to Special Olympics of MD in honor of Tom Kleppinger for The Cardboard Boat Races, 3701 Commerce Drive, Suite 103, Baltimore MD, 21227.

# Cemetery Details

## New Spring Hill

Aurora Street  
Easton, MD 21601

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Easton Church of God  
1009 North Washington Street  
Easton, MD 21601

## Service

APR **27**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Easton Church of God  
1009 North Washington Street  
Easton, MD 21601

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Jackie White sent a virtual gift in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Jackie White** - January 09, 2019 at 08:55 PM



“ *Mindy Howell lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Mindy Howell** - April 26, 2018 at 05:57 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



April 26, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



April 24, 2018 at 07:19 PM



“ *Carol, Steve, Michael, Stacey and Mike purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



**Carol, Steve, Michael, Stacey and Mike** - April 24, 2018 at 01:26 PM



“ *Matt Licata lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Matt Licata** - April 23, 2018 at 03:07 PM

TH

“ Jessica and family  
My thoughts and prayers are with you at such a difficult time. I hope you find comfort as you have provided many with kindness and wisdom as you have blessed others with the loss of love ones.  
Tiffany Hayes

Tiffany Hayes - April 23, 2018 at 12:57 PM

LW

“ I was so shocked and sorry to hear about Tom. I knew him from working at Easton Point, where he got his gas. Was a few years back, but he will be missed!

Leslie Whiteley - April 22, 2018 at 07:49 PM

Jenny  
Truitt

“ Tom Kleppinger was a kind man. I've known him since 1988 when my kids father began working for him. He gave ppl many more chances than ppl were worth at times. He treated ppl with respect, and had a beautiful family! They will miss him dearly, but also have many wonderful memories! Soo hurt and shocked when I heard. God bless his family💕



Jenny Truitt - April 22, 2018 at 07:05 PM

RS

“ Rodney Spring lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Rodney Spring - April 22, 2018 at 11:44 AM



*Thank you, Rodney You are a special person Loves*

J - April 22, 2018 at 01:02 PM

TS

“ Tommy, you always had a wonderful smile, a fabulous laugh.. You were always so sweet and warm and friendly!!! To say everyone has lost a very special Man doesn't quite cover it. This isn't goodbye, it is we all will see you soon!!



**Theresa Ledford Sullivan** - April 21, 2018 at 03:08 PM

BS

“ Barbara Starkey lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



**Barbara Starkey** - April 21, 2018 at 12:14 PM



“ Valerie Wheatley lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



**Valerie Wheatley** - April 21, 2018 at 12:08 PM

RH

“ Tommy the best way I can honor you is to say you were the Swiss Army knife of friends Dale and I knew you through John & Heidi Garlick our time together you were always there for your friends and the Elks.. no matter the problem or repairs you would fix it.. Now we all deal with something that will take time to fix a broken heart.. To Jackie and Family our thoughts and prayers are with you..Rusty & Dale Hubbard



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**Russ Hubbard** - April 20, 2018 at 06:10 PM

PD

“ Dear Kevin:  
Malia just informed about the loss of your dear brother. Having lost one of mine I can appreciate your sorrow and I pray that fun times spent together over the years will soften the memory.

Love, Pat Doss

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**Patricia H. Doss** - April 20, 2018 at 12:22 PM

MV

“ Mitzi Hooker Vanderbyl lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Mitzi Hooker Vanderbyl** - April 20, 2018 at 12:08 PM

ER

“ *Everyone at Gannon's Refrigeration purchased the Garden of Memories for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



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**Everyone at Gannon's Refrigeration** - April 20, 2018 at 11:30 AM

SB

“ *Tom's passing was too soon by far. He will be missed by all.*



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**Shelby J Barnes** - April 20, 2018 at 11:04 AM

JH

“ *What a special and loving man to so many! We grow up with the belief that we are here just for a short period of time. Tom was always so happy, bubbly, and cheerful!! He was a hard working man!! I enjoyed these “last years” with all these adventures he shared with us through Facebook!! He & his love, Jackie, surely lived life to the fullest!! Continued prayers for his family & friends!!*

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**Julie Pinder Harrison** - April 20, 2018 at 07:35 AM

LJ

“ *Lynn Johnson lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Lynn Johnson** - April 20, 2018 at 01:47 AM

JM

“ *Judith Musch lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Judith Musch** - April 19, 2018 at 08:01 PM

JM

*We were sorry to hear of Tom's passing. We were neighbors of the Kleppinger family and enjoyed seeing the activity surrounding their home. I know he will be missed by his friends and family. Our thoughts and prayers are with Jackie and family.*

*Robert and Judy Musch*

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**Judith Musch** - April 19, 2018 at 08:05 PM

JR

“ *We were sorry to hear of Tom's passing. We met him a few times and he was a real nice guy. Our thoughts and prayers are with Jackie and family.*

*Uncle Ronald and Aunt Janis Ridgway*

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**Janis Ridgway** - April 19, 2018 at 03:43 PM



*Thanks for your support Love You Both*

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**J** - April 22, 2018 at 01:05 PM

RS

“ *Robert Steenken lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Robert Steenken** - April 19, 2018 at 03:12 PM

AS

“ *Tom and family were my neighbors years ago, always willing to help. More recently a fellow Elk and our "go to person" for the Lodge's mechanical needs. He'll be missed!*

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**Andrea Shoener** - April 19, 2018 at 03:09 PM

KG

“ *There’s a dash between the dates of birth and death. Tom’s Dash , His life, was the best – I’ve ever seen. He filled his dash, his time between birth and death with so much life, adventure and love . He brought joy and laughter and strength to so many people. He not only raised his children but rather multitudes of children, his, mine, Jackie’s and all of their friends, he loved them all. He did so much to help so many people. He had no fear, he lived his life to the fullest. He had so many close friends and so many good times. Sailing, skiing, the hunting club island on St. Patrick’s Day, camping, holiday Park campground. The haunted trails and hayrides. I know that along the way he met his Savior and I know that we will all see him again one day. I kind of like to think that whenever we see lightning or hear thunder, when it rains, when it’s cold and snowy or hot and sunny, we know that Tom is up there playing with the electric and plumbing again. He was an amazing man and I will never forget him. My prayers go out to Jessica Roxanne and Tommy and all of the rest of his family and friends. He loved all of you so very much. Tom was a wonderful example of how to live out that dash between birth and death and I can only pray that I can follow his example.*



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**Kim Gardner** - April 19, 2018 at 12:10 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



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April 19, 2018 at 09:53 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.*



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April 19, 2018 at 08:45 AM



“ *Gary And Grace Hurd sent a virtual gift in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Gary and Grace Hurd** - April 18, 2018 at 09:28 PM



“ *Gary And Grace Hurd lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Gary and Grace Hurd** - April 18, 2018 at 09:22 PM



“ *Gary And Grace Hurd lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Gary and Grace Hurd** - April 18, 2018 at 09:21 PM

JG

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Tom and Jackie family, we did not know Tom a long time, but it was a honor to know him. Tom was a very caring, friendly and compassionate person and it showed every time if you ever had the privilege to be around him. Tom will truly be missed. Joanne and Allen Gunther

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**JOANNE GUNTHER** - April 18, 2018 at 08:31 PM

 Fran Solomon-Salomon

“ The Virgin Islands will Never be the same. It was so wonderful meeting Tom and Jackie during their travels there. He made a positive and lasting impact on me. It was always wonderful to see both Tom and Jackie walking through the door at the resort. Thank you for all the great years of vacations. Sending love and prayers.

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**Fran Solomon-Salomon** - April 18, 2018 at 10:13 AM



Thanks Fran We always enjoyed coming to see you each year & St Thomas was one our favorite island 🌴

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**J** - April 22, 2018 at 01:07 PM

PF

“ Philip Carey Foster lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Philip Carey Foster** - April 18, 2018 at 02:57 AM



“ I still find this very hard to believe. I will always remember that smile and big hug I would always get whenever I saw you at the campground. You will be sadly missed by many. My thoughts and prayers to your family as well as Jackie and her family. Fly high my friend, until we meet again in that mansion in the sky.

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**Cheryl Gaertner** - April 17, 2018 at 10:53 PM



Cheryl, we will miss seeing you & the entire campground family Lots of fun & great memories Loves To Everyone

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**J** - April 22, 2018 at 01:08 PM



We didn't know Tom well but we enjoyed interacting with him on our annual weekend at the campground for the NASCAR race. We've been coming to Holiday Park for this weekend for 20 years and this weekend was hard, knowing the "family" is in pain mourning the loss of one of it's members. Bingo just won't be the same...thoughts and prayers to all of you!

*The Vukosics --Dan, Jen and Alyssa*

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**Jen Vukosic** - May 07, 2018 at 01:59 PM



“ Cheryl Gaertner lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Cheryl Gaertner** - April 17, 2018 at 10:49 PM

JC

“ *John & Joy Cox lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**John & Joy Cox** - April 17, 2018 at 10:15 PM

MH

“ *Tom was such a wonderful person and talented man. Tom always had time to help anyone that needed it. He was a pleasure to have around. My love goes out to Tom's family and his family at Tom's General Service. Tom, I wish you eternal happiness in your new paradise up high in the sky!!!!*

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**Melodie Haufe** - April 17, 2018 at 09:58 PM

JT

“ *My thoughts and prayers to all of your family and friends. I knew Tom for several years, bowling and in the same trade. Great and compassionate person. He will be missed by many.*

*J.T Taylor  
Taylor's HVACR*



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**J.T tayTay** - April 17, 2018 at 08:54 PM

SW

“ Tom - putting feelings into words has never been something I struggle with but lately I've had a hard time doing this. You are so loved because of all your amazing characteristics. You were hard-working, silly, and you had a caring heart. There were countless times where you would get teary eyed in relation to being proud of someone or simply because you loved someone so much. This was just one of the ways I knew you were a caring person. You have done an enormous amount for my family and our friends. It is so hard to see my mom without you but I know in ways you are still here. I wish I could receive one of those bear hugs from you or a kiss on the cheek that you always gave me when we were departing each other. I love you and you are genuinely missed Tom. I could never thank you enough for all that you've provided us with.

- Stacy

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**Stacy White** - April 17, 2018 at 07:45 PM

CK

“ Tom has touched so many lives wherever he was present. His smile and willingness to help so many will be missed. Go in peace, Tom.  
Connie and Kraig Knopp

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**Connie and Kraig Knopp** - April 17, 2018 at 06:22 PM

TJ

“ Gone too soon. Tom had a great smile and way with everyone. May the comfort of family and friends soothe those closest to him.

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**Tracey Johns** - April 17, 2018 at 04:03 PM

JW

“ Tom, my buddy & companion for life, will miss your irony but beautiful smile & your priefcing blue eyes. I will remember all the fun memories of our adventures & thank you from bottom of my heart for everything. Won't every understand why you were taken so early from us, but I know you are resting, in peace & in a better place . Till we meet again to continue are journey. HUGS 😊 KISSES 😘 & LOVE 💕 JACKIE



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**Jackie White** - April 17, 2018 at 03:27 PM

MW

Jackie, I am so sorry for your loss. When you was telling Miss Francis and I who your guy was, I could tell you loved him. Sending prayers for you and your family. Melissa

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**Melissa Wilson** - April 20, 2018 at 02:44 PM

DJ

“ Debbye Jackson lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Debbye Jackson** - April 17, 2018 at 02:56 PM

TY

“ So very sorry for your loss . He will be missed by many people he was a great guy Prayers for Jackie and the family at this time of loss Tom n Theresa Yeatman

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**Tom n Theresa Yeatman** - April 17, 2018 at 01:44 PM

MH

“ MELINDA AND MIRANDA HOWELL purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger.



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**MELINDA AND MIRANDA HOWELL** - April 17, 2018 at 01:01 PM

AH

“ I remember a happy, loving little boy in the First Grade MANY years ago. My understanding is that he was STILL a happy, loving and generous person.  
Ann Hines

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**Ann Hines** - April 17, 2018 at 12:04 PM

DN

“ Prayers going out to the Tom and Jackies Family. He was a good man and will be missed by many. RIP Tom



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**Debbie Nash** - April 17, 2018 at 10:20 AM



Thanks Debbie for your kind words Love & Hugs

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**J** - April 22, 2018 at 01:10 PM

TH

“ *Tim & June Van Horn lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Tim & June Van Horn - April 17, 2018 at 09:12 AM

GB

“ *Gary Baker lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Gary Baker - April 17, 2018 at 08:43 AM

JF

“ *Jay Fogle lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Jay Fogle - April 17, 2018 at 08:42 AM

SN

“ *Scott Nelson lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Scott Nelson - April 17, 2018 at 08:40 AM

HR

“ *Heather Rittenhouse lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Heather Rittenhouse - April 17, 2018 at 08:37 AM

BC

“ *Brenda And Mark Cummings lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Brenda and mark Cummings - April 17, 2018 at 08:23 AM

CC

“ *Chuck and I send our condolences to Tom's family.*



Cindy Cadden - April 16, 2018 at 09:59 PM

AT

“ *Amy Cummings Todd lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



amy cummings todd - April 16, 2018 at 09:26 PM

TN

“ Trevor Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Trevor Newcomb - April 16, 2018 at 09:13 PM

DM

“ Debbie Mattox lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Debbie Mattox - April 16, 2018 at 09:13 PM

TT

“ Tracie Thomas lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Tracie Thomas - April 16, 2018 at 09:07 PM

RA

“ Raeke's lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



raeke's - April 16, 2018 at 06:41 PM

DD

“ Darrell Doupnik lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Darrell Doupnik** - April 16, 2018 at 06:38 PM

DT

“ Don & Pat Towers lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Don & Pat Towers** - April 16, 2018 at 06:35 PM

RL

“ Robin & Linda Lyons lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Robin & Linda Lyons** - April 16, 2018 at 05:38 PM

SA

“ Susan Acord lit a candle in memory of  
Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



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**Susan Acord** - April 16, 2018 at 04:32 PM

WF

“ Wendy Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Wendy Faulkner - April 16, 2018 at 04:28 PM

SM

“ Sallie Miller lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



sallie miller - April 16, 2018 at 03:45 PM

LM

“ So many good memories of Tommy and his family as a young boy growing up. The weekends after weekends of camping. The fun Tommy, his brothers and my boys had. You will be so missed. Prayers to you and your family. God Bless 🙏🦋



Linda Mann - April 16, 2018 at 03:00 PM

DA

“ Donna Austin lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



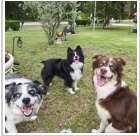
donna austin - April 16, 2018 at 02:51 PM

MW

“ *Mary Wyatt lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Mary Wyatt - April 16, 2018 at 02:43 PM



“ *Wanda Williams lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Wanda Williams - April 16, 2018 at 02:41 PM

CH

“ *Connie Harris lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Connie Harris - April 16, 2018 at 02:08 PM



“ *Tim & Laura Bishop lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



Tim & Laura Bishop - April 16, 2018 at 01:34 PM

LC

“ *LISA SHARP COSBEY lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**LISA SHARP COSBEY** - April 16, 2018 at 12:27 PM

DH

“ *So glad I had the privilege of meeting Tom. My thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends.*

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**Diane Holecheck** - April 16, 2018 at 11:48 AM

JG

“ *Love you Tommy you were my best friend!*



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**John Garlick** - April 16, 2018 at 11:10 AM



*We loved you & Heidi, too Love You Both*

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**J** - April 22, 2018 at 01:12 PM

JS

“ *Janet Spence lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Janet Spence** - April 16, 2018 at 10:55 AM

JS

“ *Jane Steele lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Jane Steele** - April 16, 2018 at 09:23 AM

EE

“ *Ervin Esh lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Ervin Esh** - April 16, 2018 at 09:20 AM

EE

*Thoughts n prayers from Eshs meats in the Amish market in easton.*

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**Ervin Esh** - April 16, 2018 at 09:21 AM

RG

*So sad, he was a good man and I am glad to have known him. I pray for his family in this time of grief.*

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**Robert Gladney** - April 16, 2018 at 01:23 PM

TM

“ *Tim McNeal lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Tim McNeal** - April 16, 2018 at 08:11 AM



“ *Pattie Conrad Murphy lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Pattie Conrad Murphy** - April 15, 2018 at 06:23 PM



“ *Christy Johndon lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Christy Johndon** - April 15, 2018 at 06:20 PM



*Thoughts and prayers from Eshs meats in the Amish farmers market,*

**Ervin Esh** - April 16, 2018 at 09:15 AM



“ *Ronnie Newnam lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



**Ronnie newnam** - April 15, 2018 at 03:32 PM



*You were a good friend for 40 years. you will be missed. rip*

**Ronnie newnam** - April 16, 2018 at 08:11 PM

RW

“ Rest in peace, my friend. 💙💙



Robin Wilson - April 15, 2018 at 11:59 AM

RW

“ Robin Wilson lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Robin Wilson - April 15, 2018 at 11:55 AM

PM

“ Will greatly be missed. God bless the family and stay strong



Pam Morgan - April 15, 2018 at 07:42 AM

LC

“ Lynn Crouch lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger



Lynn Crouch - April 15, 2018 at 06:59 AM

DA

“ *Dee Andrew lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Dee Andrew** - April 14, 2018 at 06:31 PM

 Karen Reed

“ *Karen Reed lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**Karen Reed** - April 14, 2018 at 04:52 PM

SM

“ *Steven Mccarty lit a candle in memory of Thomas Clifton Kleppinger*



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**steven mccarty** - April 14, 2018 at 12:50 PM