



## Walter Whaland Clark

March 29, 1945 - October 16, 2012

Walter Whaland Clark, III, died on October 16, 2012, at the VA Medical Center in Kerrville, TX.

Born on March 29, 1945, in Easton, MD, and raised in Chestertown, MD, Whaland was a combat veteran of the United States Marine Corps. He graduated from Allegany College with a degree in forest technology and worked for many years as a forest ranger. He was an Eagle Scout in Boy Scout Troop 130 and volunteered with the Boy Scouts for 55 years. He also served the town of Chestertown as councilman for two terms. After retiring from Washington College as the Grounds Supervisor, he enjoyed several years of traveling the country in his RV and then settled in Ingram, TX, where he was an active volunteer at the VA Hospital and the Dietert Center.

In addition to Susan, his wife of 43 years, he is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Elizabeth and Frank Gannon of Hurlock, MD, and a son, Gavin Clark of Chestertown, MD.

Burial will be at the Veteran's Cemetery in Hurlock, MD.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 10, 2012, at 3 p.m. at Emmanuel Church in Chestertown, MD.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Boy Scout Troop 130.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Tribute Wall



“ When checking up on old classmates, was shocked that Whalen had passed so long ago. He was fullback on our soccer team, and we'd hang out together.  
I remember we visited his dad on a jobsite for some reason. He was laying concrete blocks, a 12x8x16 concrete block in one hand, and a trowel in the other. Impressive.  
Upon returning from Nam, Whale worked with me at Tenneco. He was chunky in high school, but a different guy as an adult. We were horseing around one day at work and he put me in a hold that no matter how hard I tried, I couldn't move. All I could do is laugh. I'll never forget that,  
or the night his wife called him at work after finding a shotgun he bought and hid in the coat closet.

*God Speed My Friend*

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**jim schauber** - October 02, 2024 at 07:51 PM



“ *Walter Whaland Clark*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Walter Whaland Clark*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Walter Whaland Clark*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

MH

“ *Martha & Royce Herman lit a candle in memory of Walter Whaland Clark*



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**Martha & Royce Herman** - November 18, 2012 at 04:35 PM

RR

“ *We've all missed Whaland since his retirement from Washington College. Our prayers go out to the Clark family.*

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**Reid C. Raudenbush** - October 31, 2012 at 10:38 AM

MH

*So sorry to read about Whaland's passing. Did not know until very recently. May God be With the Clark Family and Peace Be With You Always. Martha & Royce Herman*

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**Martha & Royce Herman** - November 18, 2012 at 04:31 PM

GT

“ *George Thomas sent a virtual gift in memory of Walter Whaland Clark*



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**George Thomas** - October 29, 2012 at 12:54 PM

JH

“ *Dear Sue and family, I'm sorry to learn that Whaland passed away. Am thinking of you at this time.*

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**Jack Heinefield** - October 26, 2012 at 12:58 PM

JH

“ *Jack Heinefield lit a candle in memory of  
Walter Whaland Clark*



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**Jack Heinefield** - October 26, 2012 at 12:51 PM

RM

“ *Remember Whaland from our class of '63.  
Sorry for your loss. Rose Marie (Frank) Maus*



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**Rose Marie Frank Maus** - October 24, 2012 at 02:22 PM

LB

“ *Larry & Lee Beck lit a candle in memory of  
Walter Whaland Clark*



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**Larry & Lee Beck** - October 23, 2012 at 06:40 AM

TJ

“ *Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in  
memory of Walter Whaland Clark*



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**Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell** - October 22, 2012 at 01:35 PM

BC

“ Bobby & Sue Copper lit a candle in memory of Walter Whaland Clark



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**Bobby & Sue Copper** - October 22, 2012 at 12:57 PM

SQ

“ Sara & David Quinn lit a candle in memory of Walter Whaland Clark



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**Sara & David Quinn** - October 22, 2012 at 08:48 AM