



## Carlos F. Clinton

January 3, 1946 - January 10, 2024

Carlos Federico Clinton, affectionately known as “Butch” by close friends and family, passed away on January 10, 2024. Carlos was born in Colon, Republic of Panama, on January 3, 1946, as a fraternal twin to the late Isaac D. Clinton and the late Mary A. Clinton. He was the fifth child of eight children.

Throughout his formative years, he attended school in Rainbow City, Republic of Panama, and graduated from Rainbow City High School in 1964.

A few years later, Carlos enlisted in the United States Army. Once he completed his military service, he migrated to the United States from Rainbow City, Republic of Panama. Once he settled with his family in Brooklyn, New York, he started working for AT&T Communications in the early 1970s. While working at AT&T, he developed many long-lasting friendships with many of his co-workers. Also, while working at AT&T, he attended Kingsborough Community College in Brooklyn, New York, where he attained his associate degree in business administration. Carlos was always a very athletic person since he was a young boy, and as an adult, he continued to participate and excel in many sports, including swimming, tennis, softball, ping pong, bowling, pool, and many others. In the mid- to late-70s, he joined the Lion’s Club, where he established a love of giving back to his community. Carlos was a man dedicated to volunteering and community service over the years, feeding those who were less fortunate, especially during the holidays. He was a devout Christian and attended church all his life, including St. Paul’s United

Methodist Church of Brooklyn, New York, and Columbia Drive United Methodist Church of Decatur, Georgia.

During the summer of 1996, Carlos moved to Decatur, GA, where he remained until his passing. He loved the life he created for himself in Decatur, GA, became fully immersed in its culture, and made many friends. Everyone with whom Carlos formed a relationship adored him and enjoyed his sense of humor. Some of his friends even traveled with him to different countries often. He also loved to dance to his beloved salsa music. The most important thing about Carlos was how much he loved his family—his two daughters, his three grandchildren, whom he boasted about to everyone who would listen—and his beloved siblings.

Carlos remained a strong source of strength for his family until his passing, leaving behind cherished memories that would be forever treasured. His presence will be deeply missed, but his love and legacy will live on.

His brothers Ustes, Isaac "PeeWee," and Winston "Cutie" preceded him in death. His two daughters Karla (John) and Valerie, his brothers Erskine "Erky" (Rosaura) and Rudolfo "Ruddy," his sisters Carlotta "Callie" and Elida, his sisters-in-law Laura and Barbara, and his grandchildren Elshahbaar, Gabriel, and Joshua survive him. Nephews, nieces, great-nephews, great-nieces, cousins, and a host of family members and close friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Columbia Drive United Methodist Church  
2067 Columbia Dr,  
Decatur, GA 30032

## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *To the family our sincere condolence to you all. May Carlos RIP. May God be with you all at this time of grief. Blessings. Cirila Lowe and the Lowe family*

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**Cirila H LOWEFARMER** - January 26, 2024 at 06:39 AM

DF

“ *Dr. Santiago Wood-Brathwaite and Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Carlos F. Clinton.*



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**Dr. Santiago Wood-Brathwaite and Family** - January 24, 2024 at 12:42 PM

MC

“ *What a lovely obituary. I didn't know Carlos, but I know his twin sister and I'm sure he was a gracious, fun-loving and beautiful spirit like her.*  
*I send my deepest sympathy to his entire family.*  
*May he rest in eternal peace.*  
*Marlene Cochran*



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**Marlene Cochran** - January 24, 2024 at 09:19 AM

ML

*He was a riot!  
Attended all my parties, and was a jokster.  
He had a certain laugh that kept the room lively.  
May his soul R.I.P  
Marcia Henry-Lokay  
Former GA resident*

MLHenry - January 25, 2024 at 10:37 PM

MF

*To the love ones of Carlos(Butch)Clinton my sincere condolences to the family forever Rest In Peace*

Mario Francis - January 26, 2024 at 10:16 AM

RM

*Condolences to the Clinton's family. May Carlos rest in peace. Adios*

Rudolph Muir - January 26, 2024 at 11:59 AM

DF

“ Dwight Porter and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carlos F. Clinton.

Dwight Porter and family - January 23, 2024 at 07:45 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carlos F. Clinton.



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January 23, 2024 at 10:56 AM



“ *Deborah D Walton lit a candle in memory of Carlos F. Clinton*



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**Deborah D Walton** - January 22, 2024 at 12:40 AM



“ *Patricia H Addison lit a candle in memory of Carlos F. Clinton*



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**Patricia H Addison** - January 17, 2024 at 08:10 AM



*Precious Memories at AT&T*

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**Patricia H Addison** - January 17, 2024 at 08:11 AM



*Sincere condolence to the entire Clinton family. Shared sweet memories in Camp Coiner. May he rest in peace.*

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**Beverly Oglivie** - January 24, 2024 at 02:14 PM

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*In Carlos' lifetime, it is very evident that he can rest knowing he has left a legacy to be very proud of and his positive impact continues to live in his daughters, grandsons and other family members. So I say, " Well done GOD's good and faithful servant".*

*Karen Smith NYC Early Intervention*

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**Karen Smith** - January 26, 2024 at 09:11 AM