



Lawrence Clayton
“Clay” Abshier

February 18, 1971 – February 7, 2021

Celebrating the Life of
Lawrence Clayton “Clay” Abshier

Saturday, February 13, 2021 2:00 p.m.

Broussard’s Chapel

Beaumont, Texas

Brother Mike Tanner



“Even Though I’m Leaving”

by Luke Combs

Welcome

Obituary

Opening Prayer

Eulogy

“Dad”

by Tyler Wood

Message

Closing Prayer

“Dancing in the Sky”

by Dani and Lizzy

Dismissal

“When I Get Where I’m Going”

by Brad Paisley





Lawrence Clayton Abshier, 49, of Vidor, died Sunday, February 7, 2021. He was born on February 18, 1971 to Laura Abernathy Abshier and Lawrence Edmond Abshier, Jr., in Liberty.

Survivors include his daughter, Lena Abshier, of Vidor; son Colton Abshier, of Vidor; mother, Laura Abernathy Tidwell, of Winnie; sisters, Tammy Coots and her husband, Tommy, Tinna Blacksher and her husband, Kirk, all of Winnie; Marilyn Abshier and Jake Rodgers, of Fannett; Kellie Sole and her husband, Brandon, of Magnolia; honorary sister, Lynna Abernathy-Stephenson; aunts, Annette Abernathy of Anahuac and Alice Dawson of Brookeland; uncle, James Abernathy and his wife, Sandy, of San Marcos; Jackie

Abernathy, of Magnolia, James Richey and his wife, Juanita, of Hankamer, and Eugene Langford and his wife, Mable, of Anahuac; nieces and nephews, T.J. Coots and his wife, Megan, of Winnie; Ashley Coots and Ty Mullins, of Winnie, Natasha Blacksher and Casey Craigen, of Fannett; and Hailey and Noah Sole, of Magnolia; great-nieces and nephews, Troy Coots, Logan Coots, Makayla Cravy, Kennedi Mullins, and Logan Mullins, all of Winnie; Kadince Jones and Wyatt Craigen, both of Fannett; and many cousins and friends that loved him very much.

He is preceded in death by his father, Lawrence Edmond Abshier, Jr.; uncles, Dale Edward Abernathy, David Allen Abernathy, and Roger Abshier; aunts, Pamela Abshier and Dessie Pate; and cousins, Stacie Abshier, Brenda Abshier, James Abernathy, Roger Abshier and David Bertrand.

Remembering Clayton Abshier...



Marilyn says from early childhood she had a best friend. From jumping off the house to throwing peanut butter balls with the other siblings at the neighbors. Marilyn was Clayton's sidekick if he said let's jump off the bridge she did... literally off the Lockridge addition bridge. Then there's

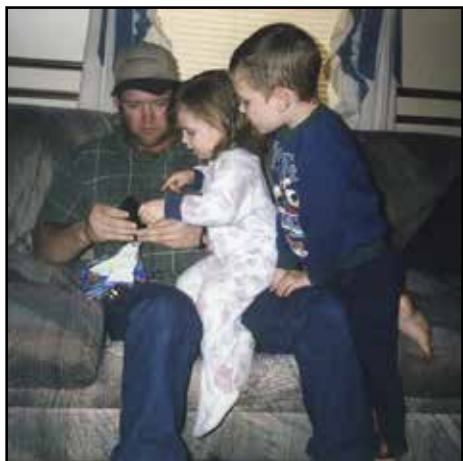
Clayton acting out a Benny Hill skit with Tinna. Oh that was so funny... poor Tinna wasn't happy. Hey Tinna how about counting sticks until Clayton and Daddy returned from fishing...and singing "daddy's boy" lol. Yes he was Daddy's boy. Mama was his go to person though. One thing about Clayton is he needed his Mama and confided in her always. There is nothing like the love of a mother!! We all lived with David (Bubba) & Annette Abernathy for a special time in our lives. They taught us how to be hard workers and appreciate the little things. Clayton loved Uncle Bubba & Aunt Nete with his whole heart!! This is where his honorary sister Lynna comes in. Oh my... Best cousin/classmate/friend forever!! Clayton joined the service in 1989 after graduating. He shared lots of memories of this & was able to go places and see things that he never would've been able to. After his tour was over came his family. First it was Colton who loved NASCAR as Clayton did also. Colton was maybe 3 and knew the drivers of every car. Very impressive. Then came Lena... His princess!! I don't think anyone could top her. Every conversation was about how special she was to him. Marilyn had a special bond also with Clayton....they could talk till the sun came up again!! This past football season was the best!! He was a Bears fan and she was a Dolphins. They both agreed Brady is the GOAT!! Clayton was blessed with four sisters and never a gathering without everyone laughing so hard everyone cried. That is true family love right there!! Clayton will be missed beyond true measure!! I know heaven is a better place today. Like Lynna said Uncle Bubba has them busy on a project. Lol Until we meet again... We love you always and we will see you on the other side!!

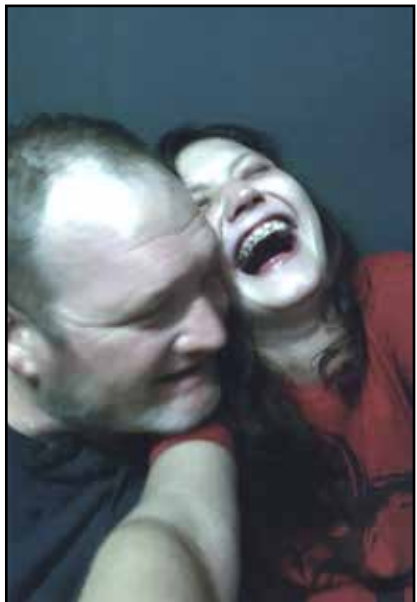












Pallbearers

Wesley Richey
Brent Abernathy
Brandon Sole
Jake Rodgers
T.J. “Tommy” Coots
Colton Abshier
Stephen Herring
John Horton

Honorary Pallbearers

Tommy Coots
Cliff Sedtal
Kirk Blacksher
Jerry Stephenson
Eugene Langford
Steve Gibson “Blue”

Interment

Abshier Cemetery
Devers, Texas

Memorial Contributions

American Cancer Association
P.O. Box 42040
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73123

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American Heart Association
110 West Harrison Street
Livingston, Texas 77351



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