



## Clayton Cole

July 12, 1981 - June 1, 2025

Clayton Cole, 43, passed away on Sunday, June 1, 2025. Anderson Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory is honored to serve Clayton's family.

# Tribute Wall

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“ The shock of hearing about your passing, hit us pretty hard, I don't believe it's truly even sunk in yet. We always agreed, blood doesn't define family, and that is what made the loyalty and love you shared with every one of us so cherished and rare. You and Nathan were brothers from the start, and that was over thirty years ago. You and I have always been the same age, give a couple days, but nobody ever guessed it lol. I guess that's going to change soon. I still have the picture where you're leaning against the dryer in 1997, at my wedding shower 😭 Always so easy going and quiet. Thank you Clayton... for everything!! For being there for uncle Chick (Dad to you ❤️) the way you were, for your heart of gold and freely giving your time to help when we needed it. He loved you dearly!! Thank you for being there for my son when he was lost 😞 for giving him a safe place to be when he felt he had nobody. You never acted like you were better than anyone else, and it was one of your most humble attributes. Thank you for being you... despite all your own struggles, and hurts, you have blessed many lives. I pray you're up there in Heaven, praising Jesus with uncle Chick (Dad) and Grandma now 🙏💙 You will be deeply missed. We love you Clayton 🕊️ Rest easy

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Dyann Ray - June 22, 2025 at 04:19 PM

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“ You are loved clayton and missed

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Uthana Haynes - June 13, 2025 at 10:50 PM

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“ I’m still in disbelief! But one of the memories that stays fresh in my head, is when we all lived on Grand, you and your mom lived behind us, and all us boys decided we were going to camp out in the back yard with nothing but sleeping bags, we all stayed up looking at the stars and just talking smack goofing off being boys, I want to say it was around midnight our little camp got invaded by the cops! They tried accusing us of setting part of the school on fire, it wasn’t but shortly after they arrived they found their guy, but that was a crazy night, I remember after the cops left all of us talking seeing if we wanted to stay sleeping outside under the stars or just go inside.... We all agreed screw it were sleeping outside lol

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**Gary Hatfield** - June 13, 2025 at 04:57 PM

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“ I met Clayton when him and his mom moved in to the house behind mine when him and my son where fixing to start to school at Zia intermediate school here in Artesia he was such a a fun young guy to have around he spent most of the days with us at our house and after quite a few years he came to live with us either at my house or with one of my two sons in there homes I jad tje honor of being called his mom by him from the age of ten n or maybe eleven he was such a good guy don't get me wrong he had a few issues but don't we all but I do know he had a very big heart and when he smiled you could sure see the happy in him at thatoment and I truly miss my kiddo Clayton take care of dad and I will see you guys again some day

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**Uthana Haynes** - June 13, 2025 at 04:37 PM