



Walter Lee Clements

February 19, 2018

Walter â€˜Whitie' Lee Clements Jr. Whitie passed away peacefully Feb. 17, 2018, at age 91. He was born June 4, 1926, and raised in Charlottesville, Va., son of the late Walter L. Clements and Daisy Belle Johnson Clements. Whitie was married three times, Martha Bethel, Kathryn Armentrout and Dorothy Rinker, all of whom are now deceased. Whitie is survived by his children, Rachel Knupp of Harrisonburg, Connie Hottinger of Mount Jackson, Betty Morris of Grottoes, Shelia Showman (Steve) of New Market and Walter ""Jug"" Clements III of New Market. Also by grandchildren, Beth (Lupe), Raymond, Aaron (Marisa) and Adrienne (Hailey); and great-grandchildren, David, Madison, Karina and Alana Joe. Whitie also has five stepchildren, Roger Rinker, Donna Painter, Barbara Strickler, Kris See and Bryan Rinker; and nieces and nephews. He was the last surviving member of his immediate family. Preceded in death by two sisters and two brothers. Whitie is a U.S. Navy veteran, where he served on a merchants ship during World War II. After being discharged from the service, he started driving for Mason Dixon Trucking Co. then for various other trucking companies in the Valley. He was a charter member of the New Market Eagles and a member of the New Market American Legion. He was a former member of Timberville Moose and the VFW in Edinburg. He enjoyed fishing, playing in pool tournaments with his friend, Ralph Bowman, and listening to country and bluegrass music. We would like to thank Barbara Strickler for helping with Dad the past couple years as his health began to decline. Arrangements are being handled by

This Funeral Chapel in New Market. The family will receive friends Monday, Feb. 19, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. The service will be held Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 2 p.m. at Manor Memorial UMC in New Market. Interment will follow at the Mount Jackson Cemetery.