



## Clarence Poe Lewis

August 31, 1926 - June 21, 2019

Clarence Poe Lewis, 92, of Danville, VA, died Friday, June 21, 2019 at SOVAH Health in Danville after a decline in his health for the past three years.

Poe was born in Pittsylvania County, VA, on August 31, 1926, a son of the late Charles Cabel Lewis and Myrtle Simmons Lewis. He lived all of his life in Danville, VA, and retired from the Danville Register & Bee where he worked as a printer. He was a member of Williamson Memorial Presbyterian Church.

Poe was a veteran, serving in the United States Navy during WWII in the Philippines.

On September 3, 1953, he married Florence Rowland Lewis, who survives.

In addition to his wife, of the residence, he is survived by two brothers, John David Lewis (Geraldine) of Danville, VA, and Paul Madison Lewis (Barbara) of Myrtle Beach, SC; a sister-in-law, Marie Lewis of Danville, VA; brothers-in-law, Robert Rowland (Jill) of Los Gatos, CA and Luther Matkins of Denton, TX; and ten nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by five brothers and a sister.

A graveside service will be conducted on Monday, June 24, 2019 at 11:00

A.M. at Danville Memorial Gardens with Pastor David Baker officiating.

The family will receive friends on Sunday night, from 6:00 until 7:00 P.M. at the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial donations to the American Legion Dan River Post 1097 at 17 Fairfield Ave, Danville, VA 24541 or to a charity of your choice.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is serving the Lewis family.

# Previous Events

## Graveside

JUN **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Danville Memorial Gardens  
510 Church Avenue  
Danville, VA

# Tribute Wall

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“ I can remember all the fun in days gone by. I regret not making more memories before his passing. He was a great uncle. He will be missed.

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**Linda Rowland** - July 08, 2019 at 11:26 PM

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“ Dear Florence,  
We are heartbroken for the loss of your dear C.P. He was such a kind, loving gentleman.  
"Death is a Heartache, No one can Heal.  
Love is a Memory, No one can Steal."  
Please know we and all our family will be remembering you with our Love, Prayers, and deepest Sympathy.  
Wayne and Lib

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**Wayne and Lib Ashworth** - June 22, 2019 at 06:26 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of know Poe for many years and although we did not see each other on a regular schedule we caught up fast. Many years ago Poe and I bowled in the same league at Riverside Lanes. Regardless of the score or who won or lost we had fun and enjoyed bowling together. I will miss his smile and his kidding...RIP....Barry Sides

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**Barry Sides** - June 21, 2019 at 10:14 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clarence Poe Lewis.*



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June 21, 2019 at 05:37 PM