



## Daryl Jay Clipperton

March 13, 1945 - August 26, 2009

Daryl Jay Clipperton, age 64, of Hamilton, died Wednesday, August 26, 2009, at the Hospice Comfort House in Pella, Iowa.

Daryl was born on March 13, 1945, in Knoxville, Iowa to Noble Ernest and Irene (Godfrey) Clipperton. He attended and graduated from Twin Cedars High School Class of 1963. After high school Daryl worked construction before he was drafted and served in the U.S. Army. He was stationed at Fort Carson, CO. until 1967. After serving his country Daryl married Beverly Jo Rankin on Flag Day, June 14, 1968 at the Methodist Church in Attica. Daryl worked for EFCO in Des Moines for eight years before he started work at 3M in Knoxville. He worked for 3M as shipping and receiving supervisor for 31 years, retiring in June 2005.

Daryl enjoyed being outdoors fishing, mushroom hunting, and gardening. He also loved spending time with his family and friends especially his grandchildren and his puppies Murph and Noble.

Daryl is survived by his wife, Beverly Clipperton of Hamilton; his children, Jennifer Jo Rothfus and her husband Rodney of Carlisle, and Patrick James Clipperton of Hamilton; 5 grandchildren, Mattheiw Boyd Clipperton, Samantha Jo Rothfus, Zachariah Allen Rothfus, Brett William Rothfus, and Breanna Arlene Rothfus. Daryl is also survived by his sisters, Colleen Visser and her husband Ted of Lovilia, Jean Nichols of Newton, Shirley Walker and her husband Melvin of Newton, Marlene Allen of Hamilton, Pat Bonnett and her husband Dwight "Hime" of Bussey, and Caryl Bonnett of Bussey; one sister-in-

law, Merry Rankin of Ames; and mother-in-law, Twila Rankin of Knoxville. Daryl was preceded in death by his parents, Noble and Irene; three sisters, June Clark, Beverly Hugen and Ella Johnson; and father-in-law Boyd Rankin.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Daryl Jay Clipperton*

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



“ *Daryl Jay Clipperton*

January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM



“ *everyday doesnt go by that i dont miss you and wish you could meet your great granddaughter Haley Ann Acree. i know your in a better place but i still miss you grandpa*

**samantha jo acree - colorado springs , CO - granddaughter** - March 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Daryl's passing. Often the most sincere feelings are the hardest to express, but please know that my thoughts and prayers and deepest sympathy are with Daryl's family at this sad time. Sincerely, Donna Mae Hukill*

**Donna Mae( Godfrey) Hukill** - August 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Beverly and Family,  
Our hearts reach out to you! We are thankful for the visits we had with you and Daryl recently. We'll always remember his enthusiasm for his garden projects when he showed them to us in May and with his continuing enthusiasm when we visited two weeks ago. God bless and comfort all of you.*

**Jack & Joby Herman** - August 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Daryl and I have worked together for many years.

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**Carolyn Wallace** - August 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ I to am so sorry for your loss. Please accept my heartfelt Sympathy in your time of sorry.  
May the love of family and friends help you and your family through the rough spots.  
I knew Daryl from 3M

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**Ruth Rieken** - August 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Looking back at all the ball games, rabbit hunts, hide and seek, and other child hood games that we "Hamiltonian Hillbillies" enjoyed those many years ago it is so hard to express the my sadness for this turn of events. Daryl was a friend, hunting partner, trouble hunter/finder as was Pogie (Mike F.) and myself. Though our life paths hadn't crossed in many years I will always remember all those experiences (mostly fun but always entertaining) for my remaining years! Goodby old friend. Tom

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**Tom Clark** - August 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Beverley, I was so sorry to read of your husbands passing in the Des Moines Register. Please know you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Liz(Dental Hygienist, Dr. Bileks office)

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**Liz Waters** - August 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ Daryl was one of my brother Toms best friends growing up in Hamilton. He always seemed to have a smile on his face, or maybe he was in on the takeover of my playhouse being used for a fort!! He was around alot in my growing up years and I felt like he was another brother. So sorry to hear of his passing. My heart goes out to Bev and all of Daryls family.

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**Ginny (Clark) Williams** - August 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ I remember Daryl spending a lot of time at our house with my brother Tom Clark. I knew they and Mike were the best of friends but also wondered if part of his being over was to get away from all those sisters. Being the only son in the family he had to be hen pecked but he always took it well. Daryl's mother and my dad were first cousins, sorry to hear about your loss. My condolences too. Clif

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**Clifton Godfrey** - August 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ We are so sorry on your lost. Daryl was one of my bosses at 3-M. He will be missed by many of us.

God Bless,  
Mike Jones and family

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**Mike Jones** - August 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM