



## Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty

February 9, 1948 - March 3, 2021

Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty, 73, of Hurricane went home to be with Jesus Wednesday, March 3, 2021 at St. Mary's Medical Center, Huntington.

He was born February 9, 1948 in Pearisburg, VA a son of the late Albert Eugene McClaugherty and Edna Virginia Hodge McClaugherty James. He was also preceded in death by his grandparents, Obie and Notie McClaugherty and Thomas J. and Edna Hodge; his brother, Johnnie Dale McClaugherty.

Ronnie was a loving husband, father and grandfather. A Christian, he was a member of Teays Valley Church of God and was the business owner of Ron's TV Service, Inc, Hurricane. He was also formerly employed by ADT. He proudly served in the United States Marine Corp from 1969-71 in the 1st Marine Division, Da Nang, Vietnam. He loved horseback riding, traveling with his children and grandchildren as well as reading his Bible. He was a member of the Milton VFW Post 9796.

Surviving are his wife of 48 years, Elaine; children, Steven McClaugherty (Carla) of Knoxville, TN, April Tanner (Larry) of South Charleston; grandchildren, Jacob and Rylie McClaugherty, Emma and Luke Tanner. He is also survived by his sister, Sharon Larue of Peterstown as well as several nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held at 11:30am Saturday, March 6, 2021 at Teays Valley Church of God, 185 Connection Point, Scott Depot with Pastors Melissa Pratt, Ken Toler and David Bowen officiating. Visitation will begin at 10am. An additional funeral service will be held at 2pm Sunday, March 7, 2021 at Broyles-Shrewsbury Funeral Home, 111 Market Street, Peterstown, WV. Burial will follow in Peterstown Cemetery, Rich Creek, VA. Masks are required and social distancing guidelines will be observed during all services. You may visit his tribute pages at both [ChapmanFuneralHomes.com](http://ChapmanFuneralHomes.com) and [Broyles-Shrewsbury.com](http://Broyles-Shrewsbury.com) to share memories and offer condolences to the family.

In lieu of flowers, please make contributions in Ronnie's honor to Teays Valley Church of God, PO Box 270, Scott Depot, WV 25560.

Chapman Funeral Home of Hurricane and Broyles-Shrewsbury Funeral Home of Peterstown, family owned and operated are honored to serve the McClaugherty family.

Da Nang Vietnam Meritorious Mast

Presented to Lance Corporal Ronnie E. McClaugherty, USMC

9 July 1970

Since you, Lance Corporal McClaugherty have joined the Administration Section and were assigned the duties of Reports Clerk, Combat Casualty Reports NCO and S&C Clerk, you have exhibited character traits that place you well above the normal Marine. Immediately upon being assigned these tasks, you enthusiastically applied yourself and by your own initiative worked long and tedious hours at night to improve your performance and ensure that all reports and files entrusted to you were up to date and in excellent condition.

As the Reports Clerk you have maintained an excellent record for promptness

and accuracy. While performing as the Combat Casualty Reports NCO, you immediately made yourself available during all Rocket alerts, readily hastened to the Air Group Dispensary to check on casualties and ensured that all casualty reports were rapidly and accurately submitted.

As the S&C Clerk, you have maintained a strict control of all classified material and meticulous accounting records. It was primarily through your personal initiative, continuing efforts and unswerving diligence that the Administrative Section received a grade of satisfactory with no discrepancies on it's last A&M Inspection.

Your exceptionally fine example as an outstanding Marine is exemplified by your eager willingness to work, neat military appearance and conscientious application to your work.

Your overall performance has definitely brought great credit upon yourself, this command and the US Marine Corps.

DF Crowe, Major, Commanding Officer

Marine Air Base Squadron Eleven Marine Aircraft Group Eleven, First Marine Aircraft Wing.

# Cemetery Details

## Peterstown Cemetery

Rich Creek, WV

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Broyles-Shrewsbury Funeral Home  
111 market Street  
Peterstown, WV 24963

## Funeral Service

MAR 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

Broyles-Shrewsbury Funeral Home  
111 market Street  
Peterstown, WV 24963

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Ronnie and I grew up together, in midway community, knew him well, very sorry to hear this! Praying for his family!*

**jim Gautier** - April 03, 2021 at 08:10 PM



“ *Jim Gautier lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty*



**jim Gautier** - April 03, 2021 at 08:06 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers for the family during this difficult time. I met Mr. McClaugherty at Steven and Carla's wedding at Georgetown, KY. It seems like it was yesterday. He helped me and other folks that were in the wedding party get ready. He was always kind and helpful. He was a veteran and an American hero. He will live in our hearts forever.*

**RICHARD MAITI** - March 15, 2021 at 10:41 PM

JL

“ Elaine, April, Stephen and family, I’m thinking about you and praying for you. I wanted to attend the viewing and funeral service, and I wanted to help serve the funeral dinner.

The Covid virus has kept me from being with my church family for nearly a year now, and we still haven’t had our vaccine. I’m so sorry that I wasn’t there for you today, but I’m with you in my thoughts. I love all of you.

Judy Lindsay

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**Judy Lindsay** - March 06, 2021 at 11:18 AM

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“ Ronnie and I went to school together from Rich Creek Elementary through graduation from Narrows High. He was always so sweet and pleasant. My prayers for his family, I know God will strengthen and help you thru this time of grief.

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**Lila Hedrick Sneed Trivette** - March 06, 2021 at 11:07 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty.



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March 05, 2021 at 11:31 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty.



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March 05, 2021 at 08:19 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.  
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Marine Veteran, Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - March 05, 2021 at 07:17 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronnie Eugene McClaugherty.*



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March 04, 2021 at 07:56 PM