



## Carlton Lee Lawson

February 26, 1970 - August 9, 2020

Carlton Lee Lawson, 50, of West Point, Va. passed away on August 9, 2020. Carlton loved spending time at the beach and was an avid hockey fan. He truly enjoyed cooking, especially smoking meat and making barbeque. Carlton found great joy in leading other people to walk with God.

Carlton was preceded in death by his father; Kenneth Maurice Lawson, grandparents; Wilmer Lee Lawson and Maude Milburene Lawson, James F. Crockett and Nellie G. Crockett.

Carlton is survived by his wife; Debra Lawson, two daughters; Autumn Rose Lawson and Madison Nicole Lawson, one son; Kenneth Tyler Lawson, two step-daughters; Chelsea Marie Wells and Heather Lynne Aaron, two step-sons; Eric Michael Aaron and Brandon Edward Aaron, one granddaughter Ariel Rose Aaron, his mother; Terry Parks Green (Gary), a sister; April Dawn Lawson (Brandon), a brother; Daniel Scott Lawson (Diane), and seven nieces and nephews.

A graveside memorial service will be held at 11:00am on Saturday, August 15th ,the 34th anniversary of his father's passing, at Poroporone Baptist Church Cemetery, Shackelfords, Va.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

AUG 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

Poroporone Baptist Church Cemetery  
30071 The Trail  
Shacklefords, VA 23156

# Tribute Wall

RN

“ 5 years ago We were told of how you passed. I know it didn't happen the way they say. I miss our weekly talks of you giving me your ideas for songs and sermons. Us discussing “de word”.

*Of the countless times through life, even as recent as a week before your trip to the beach, that you couldn't understand how people could take their own life.*

*I know you Bo Bo . I'm going to keep after it.*

*The truth will out my brother. I'll keep at it for you and your kids.*

*I “gotchu”.*

*I love you*

*Always*

*Nay-Nay*



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**Renee Barrett ( Nay-Nay)** - May 27, 2025 at 08:24 PM

DL

“ My Forever.... rest in peace my love



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**Debra Lawson** - August 17, 2020 at 04:19 PM

JP

“ Judy And Glenn Palmer lit a candle in memory of Carlton Lee Lawson



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**Judy and Glenn Palmer** - August 15, 2020 at 07:40 AM

NG

“ I remember going to Hokie game's with him and leaving Richmond at 4am to start tailgating at 8 in the morning..he was that kinda of guy always challenging you to push outward for a good time..he was very proud of his kids and we would play guitar and video games playing hooky from work from time to time..we had this inside joke on a co-worker who would always preface with a long Sooooo Nick...can you hit up the quick and easy for a pack of smokes..I was a delivery driver using a company phone and this guy would call multiple times and be really annoying but me and Gus would always make up different scenarios and laugh...that's what I'll miss most the laughter and spontaneouity...Rest Easy my friend

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**Nick Greene** - August 15, 2020 at 07:14 AM

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“ My cousin Bo Bo I don't have enough words. The songs that were played on the guitar but never finished. The many late nights of you and me and Booker listening to country music. The time that you ,Sara and I shared growing up. I can still see us laughing all together at Grandma Lawson house. It's funny when you think you always have the time to get things right and rekindle old things. I hope and pray you have the peace you have always craved. I hope it's not long before I see and here your laugh once again

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**Marvin Goins (Junebug)** - August 14, 2020 at 10:58 PM

BH

“ I never had the pleasure to meet Bo in person. However we spoke often on the phone and text almost daily. He was such a big support to me while I was going through a tough time. He was always there to give advice or just to listen. I have and will continue to pray for his family during this difficult time. RIP Bo!



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**Bart Holland** - August 14, 2020 at 06:57 PM

RC

“ We are so extremely saddened to hear of Bo's (Carlton's) passing. We hold his family and friends close to our hearts and pray God will ease the pain you are feeling. May all your loving memories of him bring you comfort during this time.

*Rebecca (Becky) Perry  
Regina (Perry) Callis*

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**Regina Callis** - August 12, 2020 at 08:26 PM

MB

“ To list just one favorite memory would be a disservice an injustice to our friendship. We have literally shared thousands we have shared mini smiles thousands of laughs and even some tears along the way..we did a lot of partnatin over the years...that's not spelled wrong either. Bo would know what I'm talkin about :-).. so hard to accept your passing but I know you're with Jesus and your dad now .. goodbye old friend..love you like a brother!

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**Mark booker** - August 11, 2020 at 10:39 AM



“ I am deeply sorry to hear of Carlton Lee's passing, my memories of him are from our childhood, mostly when he was visiting his Aunt Joy & Uncle Calvin across the road from us. All of us neighborhood kids played together back then outside enjoying life simply. May God and his grace keep you all comforted during this most difficult time.



*Tracie Harlow Spurrell*

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**Tracie Spurrell** - August 11, 2020 at 07:29 AM

“ To my cousin...

*I have sooo many memories with you, particularly in my late teens and throughout my twenties. I always enjoyed spending time with you on the weekends, during the summer, and whenever we had time away from school and work. You always made me laugh with ridiculous impersonations (like Beavis & Butthead) and jokes that ranged from the "corny" to the "slightly risqué." You helped me to, "come out of my shell" and to be confident in approaching girls, facing/confronting adversity, and to simply be proud of who I am (particularly our "Lawson" roots). Yet, I also enjoyed just down time together; playing EA sports games on the Sega Genesis, going to watch the Richmond Renegades play hockey, or just taking long drives together (sometimes late into the night) listening to country and classic rock -or- shutting the radio off all together to talk. In fact, our conversations stick most in my mind. You carried a lot of pain and regrets. I always wished that I could find the right words. I know that I was not the only one who felt this way. Many, many people loved and cared about you and yet the one person's love you craved the most God took home in 1986. You blamed yourself, questioned yourself, and often wondered what you could have done to prevent it. You were never to blame; sometimes I think you knew this to be true but would then wonder why God allowed for it to happen. While you would often talk to me about God's will and His plan, I do not recall you every completely blaming God...and yet I do recall some anger toward God. It was never hatred of God (in fact, anyone who knew you knows how much you loved to talk about the Bible, Jesus, and the return of Christ) but I feel like the self-blame, mixed with both anger and love toward God led to a lot of conflicts within yourself and towards others at times during your life. None of us are perfect, and we all have our own personal struggles, so I am in no position to judge you...its just I've tried for so long to understand and many times I felt like I could not. I regret that I allowed my frustration to keep me from continuing our relationship in recent years. You reached out several times this year to get together or to just talk and I allowed my frustration to prevent*

*it. I am so sorry. I love you very much. Your passing has reminded me that I need to do better with staying in touch with family. Time seems to be passing so quickly now. I was encouraged to hear that before your passing people were seeing positive changes in you. This makes it even more difficult to accept your passing, and the manner of your passing. Yet, I feel like God has given me some reassurance that you are with Him and that you have been reunited with all of our loved ones...Nannie, Papa, Sarah, and especially your Dad (Uncle Kenny). Some may disagree, but God reminded me that in those final moments of life it only takes a mere second to express regret, ask/think forgiveness, and have the gates of Heaven opened to be with Jesus forever. My faith in Jesus believes this for you. I love ya...I miss ya...but I believe I will see ya again soon!*

Your Cuz,  
Charles-Z (Shambooga) :)

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**Charles Hudson** - August 10, 2020 at 10:29 PM

TG

*That was beautiful Charles*

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**Terry Greene** - August 11, 2020 at 09:08 PM

RE

*Well said Charles. He had a lot of hurt. I've shared some similar memories with Bo. I'm praying for your family and his siblings in this time of grief. Love you all*

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**Rob Ewens** - August 11, 2020 at 11:20 PM

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*Charles this is perfectly written and sooo very true!!!! He loved very deeply and his demons battled him just as hard..... may he now be in eternal peace and finally rest.*

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**Angela** - August 12, 2020 at 05:56 PM

AT

“ *Amy Thompson lit a candle in memory of  
Carlton Lee Lawson*



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**Amy Thompson** - August 10, 2020 at 09:49 PM