



## Samuel Marshall Blankenship

November 18, 1936 - June 20, 2016

Samuel Marshall Blankenship, age 79, of Haymarket, VA passed away Tuesday, June 20, 2016 at his residence.

He was born on November 18, 1936 in Bland County, VA the son of the late John William and Eva May (Haga) Blankenship. He was a retired carpenter, a member of the Custom Cruisers of Northern Virginia for over 20 years and loved to drag race back during the day. He was known at the track as Datsun Sam.

Survivors include his loving wife, Betty Jean (Campbell) Blankenship; two children, Brenda L. Baldwin and husband Edward of Prince Frederick, MD and Samuel P. Blankenship and wife Mary Lou of Front Royal, VA; three grandchildren, Glen P. Baldwin, Deborah Bishop, Samantha Hoenig; four great granddaughters, Taylor Bishop, Mary Ann Tharp, McKaylea Hoenig, Cadleigh Watson; three sisters, Joan Heeter, Jane Fitzwater and Mary Ellen Labonta and husband Roger; five brothers, Harold Blankenship and wife Irma, Bobby Dean Blankenship and wife Jennifer, Larry Blankenship, John Jr Blankenship and Stanley Blankenship.

The family will receive friends from 2:00-4:00pm & 7:00-9:00pm Thursday, June 23, 2016 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA where funeral services will be held at 10:00am Friday, June 24, 2016 with

Barry White officiating. Entombment will follow at Stonewall Memory Gardens.

# Cemetery Details

## Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway  
Manassas, VA 20109  
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 23. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
[pfh@piercefh.com](mailto:pfh@piercefh.com)  
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## Visitation

JUN 23. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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JUN **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CL

“ *Claudia Long lit a candle in memory of Samuel Marshall Blankenship*



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**Claudia Long** - June 23, 2016 at 09:37 AM

HS

“ *Heather & Wayne, Caring Senior Service purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Samuel Marshall Blankenship.*



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**Heather & Wayne, Caring Senior Service** - June 22, 2016 at 04:24 PM

JD

“ *Jane Ditoto purchased the With Sympathy Organic Fruit and Cheese Tower for the family of Samuel Marshall Blankenship.*



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**Jane Ditoto** - June 22, 2016 at 10:11 AM

CC

“ *Charlotte Clements lit a candle in memory of Samuel Marshall Blankenship*



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**Charlotte Clements** - June 22, 2016 at 08:07 AM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Samuel Marshall Blankenship.*



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June 22, 2016 at 06:17 AM



“ *Care and Compassion Spray was purchased for the family of Samuel Marshall Blankenship.*



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June 22, 2016 at 06:14 AM