



## Clinton Mead Parker

June 24, 1957 - May 24, 2023

Clinton Mead Parker, 65, of Golden Valley, Arizona, passed away on May 24, 2023

Clint graduated from Royal Oak Kimball High School in 1976 and then joined the Marines. Thereafter, he attended Ferris State University and worked many years in the carpentry trade alongside his brothers. Before relocating to Arizona, he worked as a carpenter for a number of elite and internationally renowned centers known for art, education and science such as Cranbrook in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan and Greenfield Village in Dearborn, Michigan. His sought-after skills and talent were applied in several mediums including antique woodwork restoration and creating fine furniture reproductions. While a student at the selective Center for Creative Studies in Detroit, he was also hired as the manager of the school's woodshop, and also at one time an assistant to the curator at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Clint honed his skills for making award-winning fine furniture in Michigan before relocating to Arizona in 2017. He has appeared in local publications and his unique furniture featured in brochures nationwide from nationally known art shows such as Architectural Digest, where he always came home with an award; many times first place in his category.

He was also a featured winner in the Game of Thrones: The Compendium

contest publication for his one-of-a kind chair.

Clint passed away at home, surrounded by the mountains he loved. Our love for Clint is embedded in our hearts and minds forever and he will be missed every day.

# Cemetery Details

**Private Cremation**