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Just how would I categorize Clarence?

Clarence was like a tree, planted by the river
 of life, Psalm I says so well what I want
 to say today.

Blessed is the man
 who walks not in the Council of the wicked,
 nor stands in the way of sinners,
 nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
 but his delight is in the law of the
 Lord,

and on his law he meditates day
 and night.

He is like a tree
 planted by streams of water,
 that yields its fruit in its season,
 and its leaf does not wither.

In all that he does, he prospers.

Now a great tree has fallen in the forest, and today
 it leaves an empty place against the sky. But we
 know Clarence's name, and the God who named
 him and the Shepherd who calls him by name.
 A sheep of his own flock, a son of his own
 household, a citizen of God's Kingdom. He is like a
 tree that has borne good fruit for the blessing

And benefit of us all.

Thanks be ~~to~~ to God for the life and work
and witness of this man. Thanks be to God
Who gives Victory through Our Lord Jesus Christ

