



Charles F. Franks

December 22, 1938 - July 30, 2023

Charles F. Franks died July 30, 2023, in Searcy, Arkansas. He was born December 22, 1938, in Black Rock, Arkansas to Morris and Doris Franks. Preceding Charles in death were his parents; brother, Lanny Franks; sisters, Marceline Johnson and Betty West, all of Ohio.

Charles was survived by his wife of 65 years, Betty West Franks; sister, Shelia Cripps of Ohio; daughter, Connie Reed (Randy) of Searcy; son, Greg Franks (Kim) of Ozark; grandchildren, Kailey (Jordon), Brady, Esther, Josie, Greyson, Ruthey, Simon, Havah, Isaac, and Ransom. Charles was also survived by many nieces and nephews, as well as his faithful dog, Sammy.

Following a 29-year career in the military, Charles enjoyed the time he spent in the White County Master Gardener program, visiting with neighbors, helping people and walking his dog. A life-long Methodist, Charles was a member of First Methodist in Searcy.

Funeral services will be held at Powell Funeral Home Chapel on Friday, August 4th, with visitation from 2-3pm and the memorial service at 3pm. Following the service, burial will take place at Macedonia Cemetery in Drasco, Arkansas.

The family would like to thank Elite Hospice for their wonderful service in caring for Charles.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: White County Master Gardeners or The Humane Society of Searcy.

Cemetery Details

Macedonia Cemetery

1620 Five Mile Rd.
Drasco, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 4. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)
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Funeral Service

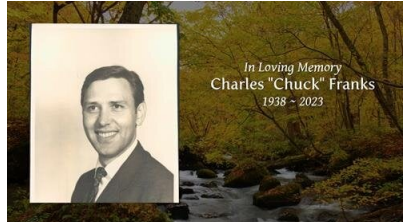
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Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles F. Franks



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - August 02, 2023 at 12:29 PM

DJ

So sorry for your lost! God be with you all!! 🌸💕🌸

Diane Johnson - August 02, 2023 at 06:33 PM

GS

“ Betty, Connie, Greg —So sorry to hear about your loss. So many fond memories from the Sixties and Seventies. Chuck was 10 years older than me but we had lots of fun. He taught me how to sell in 1971 and that is all I have done for Fifty years. May GOD Bless.

Gary Stroud - August 05, 2023 at 01:35 PM

DP

“ Betty, Connie, and Greg. So sorry for my buddy Chucks passing. We share many great memories together. He could be gruff at times, but always had a heart of gold. That's how I will remember him. From the retiree group of 2nd battalion soldiers we send our sympathy and condolences. Thanks for the memories.

Dennis Powell - August 03, 2023 at 09:20 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles F. Franks.

August 01, 2023 at 06:25 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Charles F. Franks.



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