



Charles Wayne Blicht

April 14, 1942 - April 10, 2014

Charles Wayne Blicht, born April 14, 1942, longtime resident of Perry, Florida died peacefully at home with family and friends on Friday, April 10, 2015. As a member of the Class of 1960, He graduated from Pasco High School. Charles served our great country in the Florida National Guard, United States Air Force, and United States Air force Reserve. He was a member of the American Legion and Veteran of Foreign Wars (VFW). After his military service, Charles was a commercial truck driver, both local and over the road along with wife, Ranae. More than anything, Charles found happiness hunting and fishing with family and friends. He attended The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormon Church) in Perry, Florida. Charles is survived by his wife of 53 years, Mrs. Ranae Brown Blicht, as son, Charles Elliott Blicht, daughter, Terrie Lyne Parker, and beloved son-in-law Thomas (Pee-Wee) Parker. He is also survived by grandson, Thomas Allen Parker Jr., and granddaughter-in-law, Brittany, and great-grandson, Mason Allen Parker.

Charles is also survived by special grandson Christopher Perry Parker. Christopher is PawPaw's™ Best Bud.

Other survivors include brothers-in-law, Bill (and Elaine) Brown, of Altonah, Utah, Mike Brown of Perry, Florida, Larry (and Sunnina) Brown of Goldston, North Carolina, Jack (and Ursula) Brown of Pensacola, Florida and a special cousin (sis) Stanya (and Mike) Goff, of Bartow, Florida. Special cousins of Charles include Jack and Betty Jorgensen, of Sharpsburg, Georgia, and

numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Special friends of Charles include Bobby and Marie Alsabrook of Houma, Louisiana, Nick and Inez Harper of Winter Haven, Florida, Richard and Billy Grey of Springfield, Missouri, Bobbie Rasmussen of Pomona Park, Florida, Allen and Jan Gunter, Jimmy and Lillian Williams, Frank and Fran Wood, Liz Geeraerts all of Perry and Holly and Daryl Longley of Mayo, as well as special neighbors Nancy and Dick Joyal and Doris Lepoma all of Perry. His daughter's classmates who were like his own children: Lisa Robinson, Gina Willoughby, Christie Wilson, Robin Morgan and Lynn Whitfield Lyle. Charles was very grateful to Covenant Hospice for the patience, dedication and love he was shown during his illness. His family would like to express their heartfelt appreciation to Sue Love, RN, nurse tech Amber Love and Dr. Kelly, MD.

The family will hold a memorial service to celebrate the life of Charles on Saturday, April 18, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on Woods Creek Road in Perry. Beggs Funeral Home in Perry is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ I knew Charles from the Pasco High Class of 1960. I have so enjoyed seeing Charles and Renae at our class reunions. My thoughts and prayers are with Renae and family as you grieve the loss of Charles and celebrate his life. Helen

Helen Auton Presz - April 17, 2015 at 08:40 PM

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“ Our children called him "PaPa" Charles. He had a heart of gold and we feel very blessed to have had him and "Nanny" Ranae in our lives. He will be missed and loved always.



Daryl & Holly Longley and family - April 17, 2015 at 11:08 AM

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“ Lost this twice at point of security code so have entered it first. Feel free to edit these first two sentences prior to posting.\r\nDear Ranae,\r\nMy heartfelt prayers continue for you and all those who love and will miss Charles.\r\nAlthough recent weeks and months were difficult and at the same time very precious, I join you in celebrating that Charles's journey here is over. Yes, you will continue to miss the love of your life, but you did everything you could bringing him comfort and showing your love. You were steadfast in your love and support. As a friend of both you and Charles, I salute you for your strength.\r\nAm so very thankful for the chance to become acquainted with you both at the PHS 1960 class gatherings.\r\nP.S.\r\nCharles did a marvelous writing job. So glad he did it his way.

Betty HOWARD BARR LISENBY - April 17, 2015 at 03:53 AM

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“ Ranae & Family:\r\n\r\nAs you know Charles and I were best pals. We attended school together, played in bands together, and participated in many events together all the while enjoying each others company. Our friendship has endured through out the years. One of my best memories with Charles occurred several years ago when you and he visited us on our property in Old Town, FL. You and Inez fell asleep while Charles and I watched cowboy movies all night. Charles was a real gentleman in every since of the word and I miss him already more than words can tell. I loved Charles and I wish him Godspeed in his journey into the eternities.

NICK HARPER - April 15, 2015 at 09:40 PM

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“ Renee and family,\r\nWe are so sorry for your loss but also relieved that Charles" suffering has ended. We were all blessed by knowing him for a short period of time.\r\nI am so thankful to know he had quality time with his family and close friends for several weeks after making the decision to stop dialysis.\r\nCharles will be missed not only by all of you but those of us who cared for him at the VA. He was such a caring and loving gentleman. I can still see his sweet smile. You are in our thoughts and prayers. We love you,\r\nSusan, Helen, and Ronald



Susan Stinson - April 14, 2015 at 02:38 PM