



## Charles F. "Charlie" Rumler

March 6, 1942 - September 1, 2019

CHARLES F. "Charlie" RUMLER, 77 yrs. old of Mason City passed away at his home on September 1, 2019. Charles was born in Canton, IL on March 6, 1942 to Anna (Butkovich) and Andrew Rumler. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Linda K. (Robson) Rumler of Mason City, his daughters Andrea (Rick Hauk) Rumler of Mapleton, IL and Alysia (Ben) Short of Metamora, IL; his stepchildren Jennifer (Jack Mulligan) Hendrix of Phoenix, AZ and Scott (Kelly) Hendrix of Scottsdale, AZ, 5 grandchildren Ian & Nora Short, Mikayla Hendrix, Alana & Truman Hendrix. He is also survived by 4 sisters Carmelita Siler of Branson, MO; Jackie Kail of Clearwater, FL; Cecelia (Morton) Weir of Champaign, IL; Jeanette McCloskey of Washington, IL and 1 brother Rod (Linda J.) Rumler of Walls, MS. Also surviving is his former wife, Sondra Rumler of Canton, IL. He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Margaret Rusnak.

Charles attended Canton High School and later spent 6 yrs. In the Marine Corps, ranking Corporal E-4 in Intelligence. After Honorable Discharge in 1966, he worked days at Farmington Locker Plant and nights at Keystone Steel and Wire. In 1969 he began working at CIPS on the tree crew and later as a lineman. He ended his 30 years with the company as the utility man servicing Mason City area, including New Holland, Middletown and Easton. He was a long-time member of Farmington American Legion.

Charlie's best friend willed him a faded red 1969 Chevy step-side truck. It became his passion to restore "Lil Red", proudly winning trophies at car shows

around the country. Another passion was making candy in his garage kitchen. Rummy's fudge and caramels were in popular demand during the holidays. Every task that Charlie started was done to perfection.

Cremation has been accorded. Per Charlie's wishes, there will be no visitation or funeral service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to one of the following:

Sisters of St. Francis (2408 W. Heading Ave., West Peoria, IL 61604)

Mason City Area Nursing Home

Kindred Hospice

Cards may be sent to the Rumler Home, BOX 62, Mason City, IL 62664

Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City, IL is assisting the family with arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ Charles F. "Charlie" Rumler

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ There were so many memories of my little brother so where do I began from the time when he was very young and teased all of hi young nieces who adored him he was handsome was a cocky young marine and would surprised his older sister and take her out to dinner and would dance with his wheelchair bound sibling at birthday parties and love dancing with all of the young nieces of us ever forget How he adored his Mom even when they disagreed my younger sister and I help raised our sibling during the war years and he was just as determined not to follows the rules Charlie Always did his way all of his life no matter what and he always made our parties and reunions special How the nuns love him and he made my Aunt Margaret Jubilee a special time and he love his family and was there to give us advice whether we wanted it or not he and his brother used to set pins at the local bowling alley in West Frankfort, Illinois he wasn't always right but he was a challenge and no one could cook breakfast like he did and above all he loved his ife dearly and As he told me she was the best wife ever. And he left this world closed to her and so what else can a man want. Yes he was one of a kind and will never be forgotten He chose to live his life his way and that is what he did so no one could ever forget him and the impact he made on all of his families lives Yes he was one of a kind and no one could forget that espe his family There will be a special Mass said at St.Frances of Asissi at Nixa Missouri for him my deepest sympathy to his wife Linda and daughters Alysia and Andrea He will be missed and I will miss those phone calls Aunt Carm

Carmelita Siler - September 09, 2019 at 07:35 PM



“ Linda & family, on behalf of all of the sisters, we would like to extend our prayers and sympathy on the passing of Charlie. Oh, how we remember him and his sense of humor, and this brings back so many good memories of your visits with Sister Mary Virginia! Thank you so much for remembering us with his memorials. We keep you in prayer. May God give you the strength you need at this time.  
Sister Irene & all of the Heading Avenue Franciscans

Srlrene Fritch - September 03, 2019 at 04:01 PM

WE

“ Wanda Eaton lit a candle in memory of Charles F. "Charlie" Rumler



wanda Eaton - September 03, 2019 at 12:06 PM

TL

“ sorry for your loss. I remember Charlie as a good neighbor back in my old neighborhood.  
Prayers for the family.  
IToni Duncan Leamon

Toni Duncan Leamon - September 03, 2019 at 10:42 AM

RB

“ So sorry to hear of Charlie passing away. Ray and Charlie spent many hours working odd jobs after leaving the job at CIPS. He was a great guy and friend to many. You have our deep sympathy at this time. Ray and Judy Brown, Canton.



Ray and Judy Brown - September 02, 2019 at 10:52 PM



“ Andrea, we are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. We will all be keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Your CHS classmates "WE ARE THE CLASS OF 87"

Brenda Sue - September 02, 2019 at 08:57 PM

PW

“ Pamela Walsh lit a candle in memory of Charles F. "Charlie" Rumler



Pamela Walsh - September 02, 2019 at 08:49 PM

PW

“ So sorry for your loss. Have many memories of Charlie and he and my Dad had fun together. Hugs to all 🙏

Pamela Walsh - September 02, 2019 at 08:48 PM

LM

“ *L Minor lit a candle in memory of Charles F.  
"Charlie" Rumler*



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**L Minor** - September 02, 2019 at 04:55 PM