



Charles Marvin "Chuck" Morgan

February 25, 1949 - September 15, 2021

Charles Marvin (Chuck) Morgan died peacefully at his home, with his family beside him on Wednesday, September 15, 2021. His funeral service will be Monday, September 20, 2021, at First Christian Church, Florence at 10:00 am. Due to Covid, there will be no visitation and everyone is asked to please wear a mask to the service. Burial will follow at Florence City Cemetery in Florence, Alabama. Sid Fulford and Reverend Cameron Douglas will officiate the service.

Chuck was predeceased by his parents, Samuel Marvin Morgan and Ellen Gilley Morgan. He is survived by his wife of forty four years, Barbara Muse Morgan, his son, Christopher Paul (Chris) Morgan (Jennifer) of Florence, and his daughter, Mary Ellen Towns (Brandon) of Asheville, North Carolina. He was Papa Chuck and Poppy to his three grandsons, Samuel Gresham Morgan, Henry Silas Morgan, and Charles Christopher (Charlie) Morgan. He is also survived by his sisters, Shirley McCain (Clyde) of Birmingham, Janice Gargis (Roger) of Muscle Shoals, and sisters in law, Betty Oliver (Larry), Paula Spears, Judy Thompson (Tim) and brother in law, Ed Davis, nieces and nephews.

The Morgan family moved to Leighton, Alabama in 1953, where Chuck's dad started a tractor business and then later converted the business to Marvin Morgan Furniture. Chuck grew up in the furniture business and while in high school, he learned all aspects of the business from office operations to sales to management.

While at Colbert County High School, Chuck joined the marching band where he advanced his skills as a drummer. He later played the drums for several local dance bands, including the Vondals, the Dimensions and the Ribbon of Blue. When asked, he never passed up the opportunity to play drums, including stints at the Furniture Conventions, his daughter's wedding, and most recently at his 70th birthday party. Drumming was one of his proudest accomplishments.

After high school, Chuck went to Florence State College, currently the University of North Alabama where he graduated in 1971 as President of his Senior Class. After graduation, he joined the Air Force and as Vietnam was winding down, he transferred to the Air National Guard, and rejoined his family furniture business where he remained until 2007. Most recently, he was a member of the sales staff of Story and Lee Furniture.

He was active in the Southeastern Home Furnishings Association and served as the

President in 1997. He was the Charter President of the Leighton-East Colbert Jaycees in 1974 and was on the Board of Directors of the Colbert County Chamber of Commerce, which later merged to become the Shoals Chamber of Commerce. He served on several boards throughout his career to include the Leighton Library Board for many years and on the Town Council of Leighton.

As a child and as a young adult, he was a member of Leighton Baptist Church and after moving to Florence in 1983, he became a member of First Christian Church of Florence where he served as a Deacon and on several committees. He thoroughly enjoyed good gospel music.

Some of his fondest memories were his outings with his close friends, family gatherings, sailing and boating on Wilson Lake, and playing golf at Florence Country Club, Turtle Point and Robert Trent Jones. He enjoyed his life, his family, and his friends.

Pallbearers will be nephews, Eric McCain, Jonathan McCain, Morgan Gargis, Shaw Gargis, Tyler Thompson, and Kyle Ellis. Honorary pallbearers will be John Schuessler, Max Eady, Ronnie McDonald, Ed Birdwell, Roger Weatherwax, Mike Spiller, Doug Johnson, Robert Porter, Charles Crow, Jim Noles, his long-time Leighton Buddies, and members of the Tyler Calhoun Prayer Group.

Chuck's family would like to thank his doctors at UAB, and Dr. Patrick Daugherty for his years of dedicated care of Chuck, as well as the staff at Northwest Alabama Cancer Center and most recently the Hospice of North Alabama staff.

In lieu of flowers, Chuck's request was that donations be made to St. Jude in honor of Jimmy King, the local St. Francis Project, or the charity of your choice.

Please visit morrisonfuneralhomes.com to leave tributes and condolences for the family.

Cemetery

Florence City Cemetery

705 E College St

Florence, AL, 35630

Events

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Funeral Service

10:00AM

First Christian Church

700 North Wood Avenue, Florence, AL, US, 35630

Comments



“ Our deepest Condolences to the family,
We have Furniture that we purchase over 40 yrs. ago from Chuck. still in good
shape. Chuck was Special.
Joseph and Frankie F. Hogan
Leighton, Al.



Joseph Hogan - September 20, 2021 at 11:21 AM



“ Trudy Craft-Flores lit a candle in memory of Charles Marvin "Chuck" Morgan



Trudy Craft-Flores - September 19, 2021 at 01:43 PM



“ Dear Barbara, Christopher and the entire Morgan family.

Beverly, David and I are sad upon learning about the death of Chuck. Although we have not had much contact with you and Chuck in recent years, we have fond memories of our significant contacts with you in past years. The Morgans were the first to befriend us Bairds when we moved to Florence. We remember Chuck when Christopher and David were in Kilby, Cub Scouts and soccer together during elementary school.

Chuck and I worked together doing Cub Scouts, it took at least two Dads to conduct the meetings or activities. One Dad would run the meeting or activity and the other Dad would try to maintain some level of discipline. Let me hasten to say that Christophe and David were not usually the source of the chaos.

Also, we remember being with Chuck as Christopher and David played soccer games in the mud at a Ft. Payne tournament. Of course, there were numerous Kilby School activities where we remember Chuck being present.

We will be thinking about you during this difficult time and wishing you the very best as you move forward without Chuck.

Paul Baird

Paul Baird - September 19, 2021 at 11:10 AM



“ Mr Morgan was a shining example as a husband, father, and grandfather. You can see this in the character and decency of his son and daughter in law and his precious grandchildren, as well as his daughter and son in law. Barbara, I'm very sorry for your loss and am keeping you in my heart. In this sadness I give gratitude to God for the love and influence that Mr Morgan passes down through Chris and Jenn and their three boys. His life will go on through them and I pray your heart will feel comfort as you look in those shining eyes. May God bless you and hold you during this difficult time.
... Jenn & Chris's Aunt Lisa

Lisa Underdown - September 18, 2021 at 07:50 PM



“ Chuck Morgan was a dear friend of mine at Florence State University (UNA). We were on the same floor in Rivers Hall from the fall of 1967 to May of 1970 when I graduated. He was always a fun guy to be around and he was easy to like. As I recall, Chuck and I had some civil but spirited discussions over politics - probably the fall of 1968 during the presidential election. But mostly we just had fun hanging out. I loved the band he played drums with - The Dimensions/Ribbon of Blue with Max Eady, Ed Birdwell, Ronnie McDonald. They were a great band and provided many nights of great music to the student body at FSU. I believe we were both members of the CIRCLE-K CLUB (college version of the KIWANIS CLUB). I was also friends with Barbara Muse whom Chuck married and I was really happy to those two get hitched cause I liked them both a lot - and they have had a long married life together. And Barbara, I am so sorry for your great loss and I will be praying for you and your family that God will comfort and see you thru this time. It seems like only yesterday we were learning how to live life as a college student and enjoying campus life in a lot simpler time. I will always cherish the memories of those days and my friendships with chuck and so many others that made my time at Florence State University very special. God bless you.

CHARLES FREDERICK - September 18, 2021 at 04:46 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles Marvin "Chuck" Morgan.



September 17, 2021 at 09:40 PM



“ You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.



Johnny and Melissa Underdown - September 17, 2021 at 07:47 PM



“ With deepest sympathies...



brenda chapman - September 17, 2021 at 06:30 PM



“ Barbara, we will surely miss Chuck. He never missed a family reunion and we all loved him. We will carry many wonderful memories of growing up together and playing with all the cousins. May God bless you, Barbara and take away your tears as you remember all the good times.
Judy (Carnell) Floyd and Walt Floyd

Julia Floyd - September 17, 2021 at 04:17 PM



“ Barbara and family, so sorrow to hear of your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Linda Rorex Eckl and Jerry

Linda Eckl - September 17, 2021 at 03:33 PM



“ Chuck was a good dad, loving husband, model citizen and dedicated to his church. We need more like him. Our prayers are with his family.

Gene Hamby - September 17, 2021 at 03:09 PM



“ I met Chuck in college. He was quite a character. My condolences to the family. Jan, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Love, Anne Tanner Johns

Anne T Johns - September 17, 2021 at 01:56 PM



“ With Love, Cousin Sheila Adams & Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Charles Marvin "Chuck" Morgan.



With Love, Cousin Sheila Adams & Family - September 17, 2021 at 01:37 PM



“ Barbara, I am so sorry to learn about your loss. I didn't know your husband but my brother, C.W. Hunter, thought so much of him. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Much love, Faye Hunter Torstrick

Faye Torstrick - September 17, 2021 at 12:53 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Chuck, I have known him since the 70,s when I became acquainted with him at his dad,s furniture store, he was a really nice person who will greatly be missed. My condolences go out to the family.

Donnie Smith - September 19, 2021 at 11:01 AM



“ So sorry to learn of Chuck's passing. My condolences to the family. Sherry Strickland Kalte

Sherry Strickland Kalte - September 17, 2021 at 11:49 AM



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September 17, 2021 at 09:21 AM



“ I am saddened to learn of Chuck’s passing. Y’all have my sympathy.

Ernie Fite - September 17, 2021 at 07:17 AM



“ SO SORRY..... I HAVE KNOWN AND LOVED CHUCK FOR SO MANY YEARS. I HAVE REALLY MISSED HIM AT WORK....THE FURNITURE WORLD THAT WE BOTH LOVED SO MUCH... MY LOVE TO BARBARA AND FAMILY.
CHIP POSEY

CHIP POSEY - September 16, 2021 at 05:01 PM



“ Barbara and family,
I am so sorry for the loss of Chuck. May God bless and comfort all of you!!!
I love ya'll.
Susan

Susan Barnett - September 16, 2021 at 05:00 PM



“ Barbara and sweet family, we are so very sorry for your loss. You are in our hearts and prayers. Tim and Teresa Barnett.

Teresa Barnett - September 16, 2021 at 04:55 PM