



Charles Rathbone

December 13, 1942 - February 1, 2020

Charles Rathbone, age 77, of Newport, passed away Saturday, February 1, 2020 at his home. Charles Rathbone was an Army veteran who served honorably from 1965-1967, earning a National Defense Service Medal for good conduct as a sharpshooter. He worked for many years in the construction industry in Detroit, where he rose to become the National Supervisor of HH Robertson Construction, managing high rise construction jobs across the United States. He returned to Newport in 1995 and where he worked for Mason Realty for 25 years and served his community as a member of the Newport Planning Commission. He was a long-time member of the Newport Church of Christ. He was preceded in death by his parents Raymond and Lola Rathbone; brothers Cleophas Rathbone, Tom Dewey Rathbone, Lee Otis Rathbone; sisters Charlene Brown, Vina Cates; Brothers-in-Law Ray Laws, David Brown; and nephew David Brown Jr. He is survived by his loving wife of 51 years Diana Rathbone; sons Shon (Lisa) Rathbone of Frisco, TX, Steven (Yovana) Rathbone of Chicago; sisters Judy Rathbone of Newport, Dora Brown of Newport; Sisters-in-Law Imogene Rathbone of Newport, Judy Ball of Parrotsville; Brothers-in-Law Rick (Teresa) Laws of Newport, Randy Laws of Grassy Fork; grandchildren Cade Rathbone of Frisco, TX, Caitlyn Rathbone of Frisco, TX, Lola Rathbone of Chicago; niece Carolyn Cline of Newport and several other special nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 5, 2020 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Tommy Golman officiating. The family will receive friends from

5:00 – 7:00 p.m. prior to the funeral service. Burial will be held 11:00 am Thursday, February 6, 2020 in Union Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Eric Baxter, Jonathan Laws, Dre Owenby, Jeremy Owenby, Dewey Cameron and Mike Sutton. Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **5**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral service

FEB **5**. 7:00 PM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Burial

FEB **6**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Cemetery
Newport, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Manes Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles Rathbone*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - February 04, 2020 at 02:34 PM



“ *Charles Rathbone*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Our deepest and sincerest sympathy!*

Bettye & Carl Jay Carver - February 08, 2020 at 04:35 PM



“ *Condolences to the family. Rest in Peace Charley.*



Friends at Kyker's Auto Service - February 07, 2020 at 12:32 AM

CW

“ So sorry for your loss.

*With deepest sympathy
John F Frazier*

cindy wise - February 06, 2020 at 02:52 PM

RH

“ *Randy Hemminger*

Randy Hemminger - February 06, 2020 at 10:18 AM

SF

“ *Charles was a good man, always the same every time you seen him and I dealt with him for 24 years. Always so very nice. Prayers for all the family during this sad time.*

*Sandy Freshour
Sales Rep
Newport Plain Talk*

Sandy Freshour - February 05, 2020 at 04:38 PM

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“ *89TH Military Police Brigade Staff purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Charles Rathbone.*



89TH Military Police Brigade Staff - February 05, 2020 at 03:24 PM

KP

“ *A great and accomplished citizen, a great man, and a dear friend.*
Ken Porter

Ken Porter - February 05, 2020 at 09:48 AM



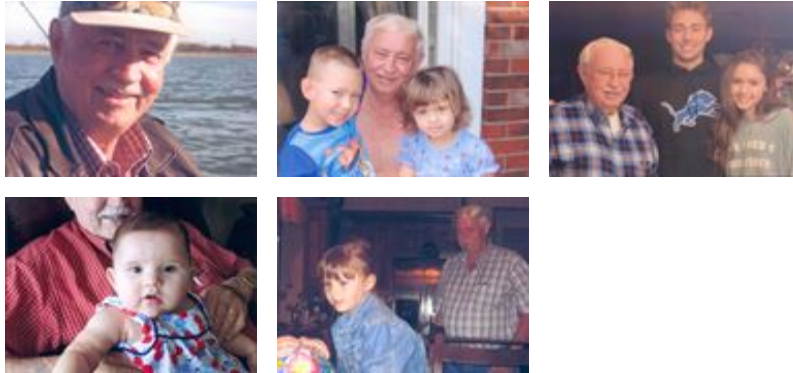
“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Charles Rathbone.*



February 04, 2020 at 08:13 PM



“ *49 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Manes Funeral Home, Inc. - February 04, 2020 at 02:31 PM

RB

“ *Thank you for your service to our Nation Uncle Charlie. And for being the coach and teacher that all nephews hope they have in an Uncle.*

Colonel & Mrs. Richard & Leigh & Alexander Ball

Richard Ball - February 04, 2020 at 10:43 AM

RF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. With deepest sympathy,

Randall and Connie Frisbee - February 03, 2020 at 08:52 PM

TF

“ We are praying you'll take comfort in knowing that God is your Fortress, surrounding you with His care...."Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matt 5:4
With Heartfelt Deepest Sympathy,
Jabo & Tammy Francis

Tammy Francis - February 03, 2020 at 02:52 PM

MW

With deepest sympathy to the family. He was a great gentleman to all that knew him. Prayers for all his family 🙏🙏.

Marie Wood - February 05, 2020 at 12:58 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Rathbone.



February 03, 2020 at 02:51 PM

LB

“ On several occasions I worked with Charles and he was a good man with character and ethics. My sympathy to his family and loved ones.

Larry Butler - February 03, 2020 at 12:52 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Rathbone.



February 03, 2020 at 12:24 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Charles Rathbone.



February 03, 2020 at 11:00 AM



“ We are very sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family at this difficult time.

Jay H. & Mary Ann Chrisman

Mary Chrisman - February 03, 2020 at 08:16 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Rathbone.



February 02, 2020 at 08:31 PM

SH

“ So sorry for your loss ,Charlie was a Good man, always the same every time you seen him.Praying God will give you strength.



Sue Mooneyham, Henderson - February 02, 2020 at 08:13 PM

CB

“ Condolences to Diane & family. Charlie was a very kind man and will be missed by many. Prayers for you all

Connie & Marsha Ball - February 02, 2020 at 05:41 PM

WW

“ Praying for Diana, children and grandchildren.
You are in our thoughts and prayers ❤️
Love,
Wesley and Marci White



Wesley and Marci White - February 02, 2020 at 03:46 PM

JF

“ We were very sorry to learn of Charles passing. We will be keeping all the family in our thoughts and prayers .May God comfort all of you . Love ,James and Gail Frisbee

James and Gail Frisbee - February 02, 2020 at 03:30 PM