



Charles "Chucky" Lee Byars

October 23, 1956 - November 14, 2022

Charles "Chucky" Lee Byars, 66, passed away Nov. 14, 2022.

Chucky was born in Bartow on Oct. 23, 1956, and remained a lifelong resident of the Highland City area. He was a member of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, and Forgers and Helpers. Chucky enjoyed baseball, football, NASCAR, fishing, billiards and knife throwing. He was of the Baptist faith.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Dorothy J. Byars; father, Charles Lee Byars; brothers, Donald W. Byars, Sr. and Jerry Henslee; aunt, Dean Sides; uncles, Larry, Frank and Dalton Harris; cousin, Ronald Sides. He is survived by his son, Darrel Edwards; nieces, Shauna Willis, Donna S. Byars and Dana A. Byars; nephew, Donald "Scooter" W. Byars, Jr.; great nieces and nephews, Jay Jay Willis, Promyse Willis, Jordan Willis, Lilly Willis, Bryson Byars, Brooke Byars, Bodin Byars, Joseph Sanders and Mason Babb; aunts, Lorene Gullet and Jo Voyles; cousins, Vicki Powell, Kim Green, Susan Ivey, Pam Gay, Terry Carrol, Sandy Andrews, Lana Thomas, Wendell Harris, Franky Harris, Deborah Harris and Jennifer Harris.

A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, Dec. 3rd at 5 pm at Cleveland Heights Baptist Church.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

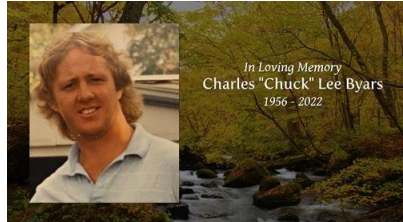
DEC 3. 5:00 PM (ET)

Cleveland Heights Baptist Church
3120 Cleveland Heights Blvd.
Lakeland, FL 33803

Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles "Chuck" Lee Byars*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - December 04, 2022 at 10:19 AM



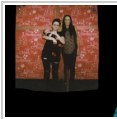
“ *I started looking for you to tell you something and found this. God bless you and keep you. Sorry I never said a thing.*

Judy p Wilson - July 29, 2023 at 02:37 PM

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“ I loved my cousin Chucky. My mom and his mom were sisters. He was always so nice to me when I was little and my memories of him was him being so sweet and soft spoken and well mannered. When I was little I would spend the night at their house to help Aunt Dorothy with yard sales and clean house. Even though he was a bit older than me and we didn't see each other much over the years family is always family! The last time I saw him before he was in the hospital me and mom picked him up and brought him to moms house for dinner and to sit by the fire that we had in the field. When we visited him in the hospital Susan and I asked him if he wanted us to sing to him and even though he could not speak he winked his eye so we took that as a yes and he clearly looked back and forth to us. We sang a few gospel songs to him. I am so glad we got to see him before he went to be with our Lord and Savior! Praise the Lord we will see him and other family members that are already in Heaven again one day! I hope anyone reading this that may not know Jesus as Savior will believe in Jesus, that he died on the cross for our sins and arose after three days. It is so easy, just believe this with your heart and repent of your sin and asks Jesus to be your Lord and Savior and come into your heart. If you believe this and pray this tell someone! You will for sure have a home in Heaven one day also. Good bye for now Chucky! See you again one day!

Kim Green - November 30, 2022 at 12:04 AM



I will always cherish the good times we had back in the day.. R.I.P.
Chucky

Suzanne Ritter - December 01, 2022 at 11:46 PM