



Charlie "Chuck" Murphy

May 12, 1938 - May 29, 2015

Charlie (Chuck) Murphy, 77, died at Cooper University Medical Center in Camden after a lengthy struggle with cancer. He was surrounded by his loving family as he departed this life.

Chuck was born in Manhattan, NY and raised at the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin at Mount Lorreto, Staten Island, NY. Upon graduation from the Mount, he went on to join the US Air Force where he served for 31 years. During his career, Murphy was chosen to become a commando in a Special Forces unit which was part of President Kennedy's elite force answering directly to the White House. Completing that assignment, he transferred into the Military Air Lift Command at McGuire AFB where he served for 22 more years as a flight engineer for heavy lift aircraft. Chuck completed two tours of duty in Vietnam and achieved the rank of Chief Master Sergeant.

After completing his Air Force career, he worked for several companies, before serving 15 years as a civilian in the US Army, Dept. of Defense, CCOM, Fort Monmouth as a Logistics Manager Specialist. He graduated from Southern Illinois University with a Bachelor's Degree in Vocational Education and earned a Master of Science Degree from Central Michigan University. In total, Chuck completed 46 years of service to the federal government. In his spare time he flew small aircraft, did some skydiving, and spent years golfing with military buddies.

Chuck is survived by his beloved daughter, Lisa Murphy Solarski (Art); three grandchildren, Joseph Furio, Paige, and Gabrielle Solarski. Chuck is also

survived by his loving companion of many years, Alice Davidson and her family.

Funeral service will be held 10 am, Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church of Moorestown, 446 Camden Ave., Moorestown, NJ 08057. Visitation with the family will be held from 9 am until time of service. Interment will be held 10 am, Thursday at the Brig. Gen. William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the church designated for Youth Activities, or Wounded Warrior Project, PO Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church of Moorestown
446 Camden Ave.
Moorestown, NJ

Service

JUN 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

JUN 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

BGWCD Veteran's Memorial Cemetery
350 Provinceline Rd.,
Wrightstown, NJ

Tribute Wall



“ Charlie "Chuck" Murphy

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



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October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *I remember attending baseball games and going fishing with my Pop Pop as a kid. I had just saw him 2 weekends ago and was planning to come visit him this past weekend, but he had unfortunately passed the day before I could head up to NJ to see him. I hope he rests in peace. He was a good man, worthy of respect and he will be greatly missed. I love you Pop Pop. I'm happy your suffering has ended, at least.*

Joseph Furio - June 01, 2015 at 03:02 PM