



## Charles "Charlie" William Hewett

January 30, 1940 - April 2, 2017

Charles "Charlie" William Hewett, 77, of Tallahassee, Florida, passed away peacefully, Sunday, April 2, 2017 at the Big Bend Hospice House.

A celebration of life service will be held Sunday, April 23 from 2:00-4:00 at the Tallahassee Elks Lodge #937, Reverend Greg Roberts will be officiating. His family will take his ashes to his hometown of Altha, Florida at a later date.

Family and friends are welcomed to wear casual dress and to share stories or fond memories they have at the memorial.

Charlie was born January 30, 1940 in Altha, Florida to J.L. and Ada Maudell (Grant) Hewett. He graduated from Altha High School in 1958. On November 3, 1961 he eloped to Bainbridge, GA to marry Mamie "Ruth" Smith. Charlie retired from the Department of Corrections after 38 years of service. He was an avid member of both the Tallahassee Elks Lodge and Tallahassee Loyal Order of the Moose. Charlie was a member of the Moose for 44 years and served on the Moose and Legion Ritual Teams for 40 of those years. He earned many 1st place awards in state and international competitions. Charlie spent 10 years helping run Bingo activities at the Elks Lodge. Charlie loved spending time with his family, enjoyed working in his yard, was a die hard Seminole, and every Tuesday and Thursday you could find him at BW3's, or as he would refer to it "The Hen House".

Charlie is survived by his wife of 55 years, Ruth Hewett, their daughter, Sheila Day (Bruce), two sons: Paul Hewett (Kathy) and Benny Hewett (LeeAnn), two grandsons: Grant and Brantley Hewett. He is also survived his twin sister Beth

Powell of Pineview, GA, niece Jaime McGlamory, great niece Hailey Davis (Chad) and great-great-nephew Reed Davis, his baby sister Willie Mae Lamar of LaBelle, Florida, and nephew Alan Lamar. Charlie was preceded in death by his parents J.L. and Maudell Hewett and his brother James "Jimmy" Benjamin Hewett. Todd Wahlquist with Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the Hewett family with their arrangements. 850-385-2193, [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com)

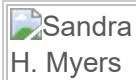
# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Elks Lodge  
276 N. Magnolia Drive  
Tallahassee, FL 32301

# Tribute Wall

 Sandra  
H. Myers

“ *Mamie Ruth & Children, Beth and Willie Mae,*

*So sorry to hear about this. I think I must be going crazy though, because I think I always called Charlie by Bill, and always knew him as that?? Is that just because I have known him since I was a child so many years ago and that is what he was called then, or am I in fact going nuts???*

*Many fond memories with the O'Bryan and Hewitt families, Adeline & Maudell and families were the best!! Peggy & JC married when I was in the fourth grade and it all started then. And of course I reconnected with Mamie Ruth and Bill back in the 80's at the Moose Lodge. Mamie Ruth sure could dance.*

*Love the photo Shiela posted of the current Bill, so handsome with his grey hair. I did not know he had been sick. I hope he did not suffer too long. He was most definitely a fine gentleman and a good man and I know he will be missed terribly.*

*With Sympathy,  
Sandra H. Myers*

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**Sandra H. Myers** - April 23, 2017 at 12:55 PM

 DM

“ *Prayers to the family! I will always remember his greeting of 'hey partner' at the lodge.*

*He will be missed up at the Elks.*

*'TO OUR ABSENT MEMBER'*

*Danny McElroy*

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**danny mcelroy** - April 08, 2017 at 08:35 PM

EH

“ Ruth - We are so sorry to hear about Charlie's passing. We had some great times together many, many years ago. I know he will be missed - just wish we had stayed in touch over the years. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and the family. Earl & Kay Harder

Earl & Kay Harder - April 07, 2017 at 05:49 PM

WL

“ Mamie Ruth,  
Shelia, PAul, Benny, Grant, Brantley, LeeAnn  
and  
Kathy my heart is also broken by your loss.  
Having him as a brother for all these years  
And now as you having to say long till  
We meet again is not easy.  
May God give us strength to get through the  
Days ahead .  
Love you all  
Aunt Willie Mae. Aka as "Little Sister) to my brother



willie mae lamar - April 07, 2017 at 09:53 AM



“ It's still hard to believe my daddy is gone. He fought a big journey for over 6 weeks. So glad to call you my daddy. Until we meet again. I love you to the moon and back.

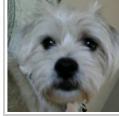


Sheila Day - April 06, 2017 at 03:50 PM

LH

Sheila, so very sorry to hear of your daddy's passing. I lost my father this week as well on the very next day. prayers for strength my friend.

Lynn Singleton Helton - April 06, 2017 at 04:41 PM



*So sorry for your loss Lynn. Praying for you and your family.*

**Sheila Day** - April 07, 2017 at 01:09 PM



*Hugs girl, tell Paul Scott said he will definitely see him on the 23rd.*

**Lynn Helton** - April 11, 2017 at 11:00 AM



*Just learned of Charlie's death and I am so sadden. I met him at DC and he quickly became a friend. We work together on many FCCD projects through the years and he stepped forward to help me with numerous events involving my children and their school....he was a fine person...one I will always have fond memories. I am so sorry for your loss, please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless you all.*

**Faye Lawrence** - April 17, 2017 at 03:41 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



**LeeAnn** - April 05, 2017 at 10:34 AM



“ *I will miss my old Calhoun Co "running buddy." Shared many a happy memory about my time in and out of Calhoun, Liberty, Jackson, Franklin and Gulf Counties.*

**Bill Woolley** - April 04, 2017 at 06:20 PM

JM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. May God bring you comfort now and always 🌹 I love y'all*



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**Jamie Stewart McGlamry** - April 03, 2017 at 08:33 PM

HD

“ *Hailey Davis lit a candle in memory of Charles "Charlie" William Hewett*



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**Hailey Davis** - April 03, 2017 at 08:31 PM