



Charles H. Hudson

June 9, 1940 - March 20, 2024

Charles H. Hudson, 83, of Greenport passed away March 20, 2024 peacefully at his home. He was born in Hudson, NY on June 9, 1940. He was the son of the late Frank and Elsie Hudson. He was predeceased by his wife of 58 years Cheryl Griffith Hudson. He graduated from Hudson High School in 1958 and from the Albany College of Pharmacy in 1962. He also served in the US Army for 6 years. Charles worked as a pharmacist in many pharmacies through Columbia County until he bought McKinstry's in Hudson. Where he retired in 1996 and then worked part time at the Adventist Home for 7 years.

Charlie was a member of the Hudson Rotary Club where he served as treasurer. He also served on the board of the Columbia Greene Humane Society, the Greenport Historical Society, and 10 years on the Town of Greenport Planning Board. He was an active member of Christ Church Episcopal where he served as Usher. Additionally, he was an avid Red Socks fan.

Charles is survived by his brother David Hudson, of Montana. His nephews' Ross Hudson, of Maryland and Joel Hudson, of New Hampshire. His brother in law, Arthur (Nancy) Griffith, and Scott and Larry Clark. He also leaves behind his very close friend and caregiver Connie Brandley. Also, many close friends whom he loved spending time with. From having picnics and parties at his and Cheryl's home to dining out at many of his favorite restaurants.

Visitation hours at the Bates & Anderson-Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home will be Monday March 25, from 3:00-6:00pm. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Tuesday March 26, at 10:00am from Christ Church Episcopal Hudson. Interment will follow in Cedar Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation in Charlie's memory to the Columbia Greene Humane Society.

Previous Events

Visitation Hours

MAR **25**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler
110 Green Street
Hudson, NY 12534
(518) 828-3371
<http://batesandersonredmondkeeler.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR **26**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Christ Church Episcopal
Hudson, NY

Tribute Wall

JC

“ Charlie was one in a million! An authentic ten commandment guy. He loved his neighbor and followed the rotary directive of service above self! During the thirty years of our friendship, I never heard him utter a critical or unkind word about anyone. He loved and adored his wife Cherie and was faithful until the very end. May he rest in peace!

jay Carlusle - March 25, 2024 at 02:08 PM

HS

“ I will miss your greetings at the door of Christ Church on Sundays and how you always asked about Garry.. rest in peace my friend💕

Hope Stevenson - March 23, 2024 at 07:48 PM

DK

“ My condolences to the family. A very dear friend and fellow Episcopalian at peace now
Donna Klose

Donna Klose - March 22, 2024 at 07:06 PM

KB

“ This hurts my heart. Charlie (and Cheri) were very dear friends and neighbors. They completed the close circle of friends of my parents. He and my dad (who's welcoming you with a heavenly cocktail) were two Rotary peas in a pod. Charlie would stop by and say hi on his walks around the block. He loved dessert. The last time I stopped (last fall?), he was in good spirits and seemingly good health, so this comes as quite a shock. Charlie was the nicest guy. Quiet, reserved, but quick to laugh. He will be missed.

Karrie Allen Buratto - March 22, 2024 at 03:46 PM

DS

“ To Charlie’s family, Sorry for your loss. I remember Charlie at Christ Church always greeting me with a smile and kind words. I liked telling him that his mother was one of my favorite teachers!

Diane Sacco - March 22, 2024 at 07:01 AM