



## Charles O. Riegel

December 21, 1949 - December 3, 2014

Charles "Chuck" O. Riegel, 64, of Hudson, passed away Wednesday, December 3, 2014 at Columbia Memorial Hospital.

Chuck was born in Hudson on December 21, 1949 to the late Roland and Elizabeth Riegel.

He served in the US Army during the Vietnam War. He was a certified welder for over 27 years at WB McGuire's. He was a life member of the NRA and the North American Hunt Club, an avid hunter and fisherman, and was a certified gun smith X2.

Chuck is survived by his devoted wife, Theresa (Rogers) Riegel of Hudson; his loving siblings, William Riegel, Sr., Rosemarie Coons, Betty Lou Meltz, and David Riegel, Sr.; many nieces and nephews, several Godchildren, and his special dog, Theodore.

Calling hours are 1:30 - 3:00 pm Saturday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Services will follow at 3:00 pm at the funeral home. Everyone is invited to the American Legion after the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans, Leo O'Brien Building, Albany, NY, 12207 518 472-3638.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Theresa, sorry I couldn't make the service, want you to know that Lisa and I are thinking about you at this very sad time. Marilyn*

**Marilyn Jones** - December 06, 2014 at 01:09 PM



“ *Sending our condolences. Ginny and Lloyd Tipple*



**LOYD TIPPLE** - December 06, 2014 at 12:11 PM



“ *Theresa, We are so sorry for you loss and you are in our thoughts Frank & Vera*

**Vera Bedell** - December 06, 2014 at 11:45 AM



“ *Vera Bedell lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel*



**Vera Bedell** - December 06, 2014 at 11:36 AM



*Frank & Vera Bedell lit a candle for Chuck*

**Vera Bedell** - December 06, 2014 at 11:40 AM

AL

“ Amanda L. Laurse lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel



Amanda L. Laurse - December 06, 2014 at 10:13 AM

TB

“ Words can not explain the pain and sorrow that fills our hearts to loose such a great man. He filled many voids in all of our lives. He will remain forever in our hearts til we meet again. Chuck, my cousin, brother and friend...Love you and will miss you terribly. RIP <3 Tina and Family



tina bordeaux - December 06, 2014 at 10:03 AM

MB

“ Theresa, so sorry for your loss ,our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time if you need anything at all just let us know, we care about you ,love Leo & michele

michele bower - December 05, 2014 at 08:03 PM

LT

“ Sending our condolences. Lloyd and Virginia Tipple



Lloyd and Virginia Tipple - December 05, 2014 at 07:12 PM

KK

“ Theresa- so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts & prayers.

*Kathy (Melnyk) Keyser*

Kathy (Melnyk) Keyser - December 05, 2014 at 06:11 PM



CY

“ Lite a candle for chuck I remember when we were kids in anaram with all the picnics the family had families were together then then as u grow up u just lose contact but u always loved each other rip chuckie met u again some day an T eresa we will always be in my heart live u. Cousin charlene yorck

charlene yorck - December 05, 2014 at 05:52 PM



DG

“ Dean and I are so sorry Theresa please know that if there is anything at all we can do to help you please let us know we are only down the street. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family

Dean and Leeann Grau - December 05, 2014 at 05:35 PM

DE

*“ T, you were blessed to have shared your life with chuck for many years and i am sure you will shed many tears, but please know that even though he has left his physical body, his spirit will always be with you. Take it one day at a time. With time and hope memories will never be forgotten, you will obtain peace and comfort if you allow all of your family and friends to help you through this time of pain and sorrow. RIP CHUCK, and we are praying for peace and hope to fill your heart. We are here to help in any way we can. Love Denise and Jim.*



denisecottewhitbeck - December 05, 2014 at 05:19 PM

LJ

*“ T, although I have never met your husband, I knew him through you. It broke my heart Wednesday morning seeing what was posted. Love you T. Anything you need for you or your family, please let me know! Stay strong! I've got your back ;)*

Loni Jo - December 05, 2014 at 03:06 PM

LC

*“ Lisa Coons lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel*



Lisa Coons - December 05, 2014 at 02:51 PM

LC

*in my thoughts and heart T....*

Lisa Coons - December 05, 2014 at 02:52 PM



“ Alice Fuller lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel



Alice Fuller - December 05, 2014 at 02:30 PM



We love you T and are here if you need anything.

Alice n Tom

Alice Fuller - December 05, 2014 at 02:30 PM



“ Theresa I'm so sorry to here about Chuck my prayers are with you. How are you doing and Theodore? So sorry! Terri Hover

Terri Hover - December 05, 2014 at 02:12 PM



“ Chuck was a great man loved by so many, he will be forever missed by us all. Theresa all our love. we love you, Duck and Brenda



Brenda Hodges - December 05, 2014 at 10:58 AM



“ Frank Yannone lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel



Frank Yannone - December 05, 2014 at 09:32 AM

DC

“ While I did not know Chuck, I know he had to have a great guy with great taste as he chose you, Teresa, Your sorrow is our sorrow, hopefully in that way we can ease your burden through the hard days ahead.



debbie coons - December 05, 2014 at 09:10 AM

LC

“ Lori Collins lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel



lori collins - December 05, 2014 at 06:42 AM

LC

“ Theresa, I am so sorry.

lori collins - December 05, 2014 at 06:41 AM

BI

“ chucky i know u would say i dont want know fucking candle but u dont have a choice in this one this is 4 u from bigspin i love u like a big brother and we always had fun times together may it be camping partys ice fishing or just setting around bullshitting like we always did so what im trying 2 say is i love u and i am gonna miss u and dont u worry about thresa we will take good care of her so until me meet again my friend good bye bigspin



bigspin - December 04, 2014 at 06:16 PM

WE

“ Uncle you will be missed by so many, you are like a second father to me and many others . Are hearts are heavy , we love you forever, may you rest in peace. And why your up there keep An eye on my mom, she is sure can get in trouble, I will miss you both so very much! We will keep a eye on aunt ther,!! Watch over us, as we will be thinking of you always ! Love you Wendy

wenriegel@aol.com - December 04, 2014 at 02:17 PM

TT

“ We all miss you so much chuck.



Tyler Tuthill - December 04, 2014 at 01:34 PM

William Riegel

“ William Riegel lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel



William Riegel - December 04, 2014 at 12:21 PM



“ You will be missed Chuck.



Adam Bordeaux - December 04, 2014 at 12:11 PM

FM

“ *Frances Medins lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel*



frances medins - December 04, 2014 at 10:57 AM

BE

“ *Bobbie Erlichman lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel*



Bobbie Erlichman - December 04, 2014 at 10:25 AM

LT

“ *Lynn And Betty Talarico lit a candle in memory of Charles O. Riegel*



Lynn and Betty Talarico - December 04, 2014 at 08:06 AM

MM

“ *One of mt favorite memories of Chucky was when my son Shawn was 2. We were at a cookout and Shawn grabbed Chucky's hand and dragged him over to a little hill, and had him sit on the ground with him. They talked and shared chips. . A soft side of Chucky that I saw for the first time, one of many that continued throughout our friendship. Rip my friend. Thanks for all the great memories. And Tre, so sorry for your loss.*

Mare Mare Moore - December 04, 2014 at 07:39 AM

DO

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Chuck's passing and we offer our heartfelt condolences to all of his family.*



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**Dan and Wanda Oakes** - December 04, 2014 at 06:07 AM

EL

“ *Our deepest sympathies and prayers to the family. He was well loved and will be deeply missed. Love Dawn and family*

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**ellen** - December 03, 2014 at 05:11 PM