



Charles L. Crider

April 24, 1959 - September 3, 2023

Charles (Charley) L. Crider of Shannon County, MO who raised his family in Byrnes Mill, MO was born April 24th, 1959 to Austin and Rosita (nee Dorow) Crider and entered into rest on Sunday, September 3rd, 2023.

He is preceded in death by his parents, four sisters (Donna Bilbrey, Rena Tush, Nada Clements and Rhonda Ely); three brothers (Marvin Crider, Leroy Crider and Gernon (Butch) Crider).

He is survived by his loving wife of forty years, Beverly (nee Bruce) Crider, three children, Kirk (Nathan Coleman) Crider, Valerie (Michael) Ecker, and Alicia Crider; three grandchildren, Charlotte, Daxton and Garamond; five siblings, Carol Dizmang, Paul Crider, Keith Crider, Jerry Crider and Shirley Trogdon along with many other beloved nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

For those that really know Charley (although he didn't know a stranger), it's easy to reflect on how he was such a blessing to have in our lives.

Charley loved and appreciated the simple things in life – spending time with his family and enjoying the peace and beauty of nature. His family is fortunate to have countless memories of their time with him camping in Eminence, where his heart was always full; camp cookouts of his grilled chicken (the

BEST!) smothered in beer and Natures Seasoning, that almost never got done until dark; Sundays at home listening to bluegrass on his little outdoor radio.

Charley was easy to be around and always made you feel like you were part of his family. He had an open ear to listen and offered his wise advice when asked.

We are so grateful for the time we had with him. Rest easy and until we meet again, all of our love.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, September 23, 2023 from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP **23**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill

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Tribute Wall



“ Well dad, it's been 2 years, almost to the minute. Miss you. Love you. Nathan and me took a cruise through the Caribbean last year. I got a new car that's holding up well enough that I wouldn't need to call you if something went wrong with it like every other vehicle I've had! We drove to Cedar Point in Ohio a couple weeks ago and rode some wild rides you wouldn't dream of setting foot on. Hope you're doing well out there in the infinite universe.
Love, Kirk

Kirk - September 03, 2025 at 06:49 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles L. Crider.

September 23, 2023 at 02:59 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles L. Crider.



September 23, 2023 at 02:59 AM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles L. Crider.



September 20, 2023 at 07:54 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Charles L. Crider.*



September 18, 2023 at 11:07 AM



“ *Brad Sell and Tammy Nichols purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Charles L. Crider.*



Brad Sell and Tammy Nichols - September 17, 2023 at 02:05 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to Val and her family during this difficult time. May God bless the Crider & Ecker families with strength and love in the days to come.*



Val, you may find yourself feeling scared and alone now that your dad is gone, but the word says, “So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.” (Isaiah 41:10)

Frenchi - September 14, 2023 at 12:22 PM

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“ Deepest sympathy Bev,Kirk, Val and Alicia. Lives were shattered by the loss of Charley. He made the best tomato/ bolgny sandwiches. Have you ever been down one of Charley's good roads? You would bout lose your muffler and would get through with an inch of your life. We were at camp one time. Charlotte was there. Grandpa can we go smell the honeysuckle? Charley would just smile and say it's the 5th time today. They would load up and go one more time. He would do anything for that little girl, for me , for all of us. Every phone call, every note always ended love ya Charley. Charley was love . Charley was family. He was everything to Chuck and me.I don't know what I'm going to do without him. He was my connection to my mother,and one of my favorite people. On a side note, I can hear him saying quit your bawlin.Life goes on . I say maybe, but I'm lost without you. I love you Uncle Charley, until we meet again.

Natalie - September 12, 2023 at 08:15 PM

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“ So sorry to hear this Charlie was a good man spent most of my child hood summers at his house and tons of camping trips at bay creek , haven't spoken in years but the memories of him and his family remain with me ... Carrie Hyde (smalley)

carrie hyde - September 12, 2023 at 12:57 PM

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“ Charlie was a great friend in grade school, he was smart, funny and we always laughed. I think of those days from time to time and he will always be remembered
Till we meet again



Sutton Medley - September 12, 2023 at 11:16 AM

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Charley was a good friend and a distance cousin. One post mentioned his chicken that hits the nail square on the head. Last deer season Charlie invited me to sit in his famous deer stand well we both missed a buck that morning. So back to Charlie's camp pop a tab with Keith and Paul. Well you know what happened next. Love you Charlie and will toast you this season.

randy phelps - September 14, 2023 at 11:29 AM