



Charles A. Bonney Jr.

February 14, 1941 - March 7, 2014

Dateline: Alton

Charles A. Bonney Jr., 73, went to meet his maker on Friday, March 7, 2014. Born February 14, 1941 in Fall River, Massachusetts, he was the son of Charles A. Bonney Sr. and Evelyn P. (Kanuse) Bonney Wickham. Mr. Bonney served in the U.S. Navy as a medical officer stationed in the Antarctica with Operation Deep Freeze. He retired from Alton Memorial Hospital as a nurse anesthetist after 38 years of service. Charles was a great humanitarian. He was a caring person and would help anyone in need. He enjoyed remodeling homes and fixing things and loved to listen to the wind and thunderstorms. Surviving are his four children; Christopher Scott Bonney and his wife Dona of Godfrey, Melissa Sanders of Alton, Matthew Charles Bonney of Marion, IL, and Shane Michael Bonney of Johnston City, IL, five grandchildren; Christopher Scott Bonney Jr. of Alton, Stefanie Bonney of Godfrey, Chelsea Bonney of Marion, Ashley Nicole DeVerger and her husband Zachary of Jerseyville, and Julia Marie Bradshaw of Godfrey, one great grandson, Landen DeVerger, and two brothers, George Bonney of Port Orange, FL, and David Bonney of North Dartmouth, Massachusetts. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Kaylynn Bonney. Private family services were held at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Shane Bonney officiated. Memorials may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, TN.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Charles A. Bonney Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *I am so sad to learn of Charlie's death. I searched for his name because our nursing school, Memorial Hospital of (Pawtucket) RI, is having a reunion and Charlie graduated with our class. He was a popular and much loved classmate. He broke barriers and was among the first men to graduate from our school in the 1960s. Farewell, Mr. Bonney!*

Judy Tripler Katz - April 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ So sorry to hear about Charlie's passing.

Charlie and I both went to Central Falls High School (he in the class of 1960, me 1961).

We both served in the Antarctic in Operation Deep Freeze (1962-1963) in the same Squadron (VX-6). That was so unusual to have both of us there at the same time. Also there was another classmate (Dan Horsfield).

I have photos of us in the Antarctic which I can e-mail to you if you so desire.

Again, my condolences to the family.

V. Edward Fayan - March 27, 2014 at 12:00 AM

J(

“ So sorry for your loss. My father (Bill Manns Sr. Would also like to send his regards.

Joy Fullagar (Manns) - March 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I so enjoyed our business dealings together, Charles was a repeat customer who I was always happy to hear from. I so enjoyed spending time with him, listening to him talk and hearing all about his children, you were all special to him. He will be missed and you have my sympathy. Deb Higgins.

DEB HIGGINS - March 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

J(

“ What nice man, He was alway good to me.. He a sweet man.. Will be missed by all who care about him..

prays with your family

judy

Judy Bock (lewis) - March 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ So sorry for your loss..I worked with Charlie for about 5 years....he was so fun to work with...even had donuts with him couple of times at mr donut...he will be missedagain so sorry...Laura bock

Laura bock - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ To all Charlie's family - I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with him for many years in the OR at AMH. He was a good guy and fun to work with.

Charla Hazen - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM