



## Mr. Charles Ray Tribe

August 19, 1951 - June 24, 2014

Mr. Charles Ray Tribe (Pop), age 62, of Shelbyville, passed away Tuesday, June 24, 2014, at Vanderbilt University Medical Center.

Memorial service will be 7 PM Tuesday, July 1, 2014, at Calvary Baptist Church. Pastor Tom Henry will officiate.

The family will receive visitors Tuesday 5 PM until time of service at the church.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Our Lady of Lords Catholic Church in Erath, Louisiana, at 1 PM Saturday, July 5, 2014, with burial in LeBlanc Cemetery in Erath, Louisiana.

He was born August 19, 1951, in Lafayette, Louisiana, to the late Bonie and Dilta LeBlanc Tribe. He was retired from Cooper Steel and served in Vietnam with the United States Air Force. He held membership in the Knights of Columbus and was a member of St. William Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Gilbert Tribe and Charles Benoit, a sister, Leona Tribe, and foster parents Avia and Ellie Benoit.

Survivors include his wife, Sue Thibodeaux Tribe, of Shelbyville; a daughter,

Brandi Tribe (Corey Rippy), of Shelbyville; two sons, Bryan Tribe, of Shelbyville and Bryce Tribe and his wife Tiffany, of Lebanon, and like a son, Mike Heflin, and his wife Kelly, of Shelbyville; eight grandchildren, Treavor and Izabella Tribe-Rippy, of Shelbyville, Sadie, Mollie, and Josie Tribe, all of Lebanon, Hannah, Krista, and Micah Heflin, all of Shelbyville; three brothers, Russell Rose)Tribe, of Broussard, LA, Earl (Roberta)Tribe, of Erath, LA, Michael Tribe, of Youngsville, LA; four foster brothers, Morris Benoit, of Lawtell, LA, Fred (Dorothy) Benoit, of Opelousas, LA, Marvin (Melba) Benoit, of Leonville, LA, and Paul (Barbara) Benoit, of Maurice, LA; two sisters, Joyce (Norris) Monique, of Lafayette, LA, and Ramona Theall, of Erath, LA, and four foster sisters, Virginia McBride of Church Point, LA, Patricia (Herman) Meche , Veronica (Jerry) McCortney, of San Antonio, TX, and Martha (Elson) Galland, of Duson, LA., and father in law, Alden Thibodeaux, of Church Point, LA.

Memorials may be made to: Hospital Hospitality House of Nashville, 214 Reidhurst Ave., Nashville, TN 37203.

Feldhaus Memorial Chapel is assisting the family with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Charles Ray Tribe.*



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July 01, 2014 at 08:09 PM



“ *Dear Sue & Family:  
Ian and I often speak of the two of you and how much we enjoyed your company at St Williams in Shelbyville, OMG we cannot believe he has gone and for sure it's not easy but one thing you do know and that's that he's in heaven. We many times commented on what a good man he was. Love and prayers to you and your beautiful family.  
Always, Pat & Ian Adderley....Bermuda*



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**Pat & Ian Adderley** - June 29, 2014 at 07:14 AM



“ *Sue and I grew up together and had lots of laughs along the way. Once Charley entered the picture, I recall their smooching passionately in a truck one Sunday outside Ole Pawpaw's house. I knew then that she was entering a new, wonderful phase of life. It seems they were crazy about each other to the end. What a beautiful marriage!  
I love you, Sue.  
Cousin Charmaine*

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**Charmaine Thibodeaux Dupre** - June 28, 2014 at 12:19 PM


RD

“ Our condolences to the Tribe family. We are so sorry for your loss. Charles was a great friend and will be sadly missed. RIP Charles

*Ralph & Heather Dietz  
Vietnam Era Vets*

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**Ralph and Heather Dietz** - June 28, 2014 at 09:31 AM

 Tracey Manuel

“ I will always remember relaxed and enjoyable Thanksgivings at the Tribe's. Wonderful food and friends. You are such generous, kind people. I love you dearly!

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**Tracey Manuel** - June 27, 2014 at 05:05 AM

LM

“ RIP Mr. Charley. You were such a kind and thoughtful man. It was a pleasure to have known you.

*Linda Mercer - Des Moines, Iowa*

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**Linda Mercer** - June 26, 2014 at 06:46 PM

JF

“ I was so sad to read of Charlie's passing. Big hugs to you, Mrs Sue. Thinking of you & praying for your family. Much love to you all!

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**Julie Jones McGee & family** - June 26, 2014 at 12:41 PM