



Charles Henry F. Goodman

December 26, 1940 - November 16, 2023

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Born December 26, 1940, called home by God November 16, 2023. Charlie was a 1959 graduate of Campion Jesuit High School and attended DePauw University. He was in appliance sales with Sears Roebuck & Co. for many years, retiring in 1992. In his spare time, he was a lobbyist for the citizens of Indiana.

Charlie is survived by brother, William Goodman of Arizona; brother-in-law, Dr. Richard Knowles of Minnesota; many nieces, nephews and cherished friends. God Bless those friends for their care and kindness. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Geraldine Cahill and Regina Knowles.

Inurnment will take place at Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Hillside, Illinois. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at a later date at Little Flower Catholic Church, Indianapolis. Final arrangements and care are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Queen of Heaven Cemetery

1400 South Wolf Road
Hillside, IL 60162

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Cathy, William and family,*

My wife Peg and I met Charlie several years ago at church. He was usually brought to Sunday mass at 9;30 A.M. by one or another church members when he felt he should be escorted because of health issues he was experiencing. On many Sundays he would drive himself to attend Mass. We often saw him sitting alone so, one Sunday, I went over to him and asked him if he wanted to join us during mass. He did. For years following he became a companion and friend. I visited with him at his home and visited him when was hospitalized and often in rehab for various reasons.

He was a very social, kind and outgoing person with a subtle joking demeanor. He complimented and thanked all that supported him; many other church members and a few of his neighbors who made it a point to check on him daily, take him to doctor appointments and to stores.

Over the years, everyone who catered to his needs or spent time with him, could see that month by month he appeared to be going down bit by bit. He often told me he was afraid he would not go to heaven. Reassurance that he would be with his God was all one could give him. I visited him at the Abby Hunt Bryce Home at midday on 11-16 and could not awake him and I was sure he had decided to leave earth. He will be missed and will continue to remembered in prayer. We are confident he is a saint in heaven.

Dick Kramer

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