



Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers

February 27, 1948 - September 20, 2025

Charles Stanton "Charlie" Ayers, 77 of Port Tobacco Maryland, passed away peacefully on September 20, 2025, Surrounded by his loving wife and children.

Born February 27, 1948, in Notomine, West Virginia, Charlie was one of nine children of the late Wilbur Vivian Ayers and Opal Lucille Ayers.

Charlie retired after many years as a truck driver with Bob Hall Inc, and later worked as the manager of Colonial Liquors in La Plata Maryland. Known For his humor and his heart, he was especially loved for dressing up as Barney Fife every Halloween- a tradition that brought joy and laughter to everyone that knew him.

He loved fishing, camping, cheering on his favorite Washington Redskins football team, and enjoyed a cold 10-ounce Budweiser. He also loved watching western movies. More than anything, he cherished time with his family. Whether laughing with him or laughing at him, Charlie's greatest wish was to see those around him smile.... Or aggravated.

Charlie is survived by his devoted wife, Maryann Ayers; his children, Chuck Ayers (wife Michelle), Bill Ayers (wife Debbie), Lori Crouse (husband Freddie), and Jenny Goedel; and many grandchildren, great- grandchildren, siblings, nieces, nephews, and friends who will carry his memory in their hearts.

A celebration of Charlie's life will be held on Saturday September 27, 2025 at Raymond Funeral Service P.A 5635 Washington Ave, La Plata Maryland 20646. Visitation will be held from 10:00 am until the service at 12:00pm.

Memorial contributions can be made to; Charles County Animal Shelter 6707
Animal Shelter Rd.

Hughesville, MD 20637 or University of Maryland Charles Regional Medical
Center ICU Dept. 5 Garrett Avenue, La Plata, MD 20646-5930 in Charlie's
memory.

Charlie's humor, kindness, and love for family will never be forgotten

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Service
5635 Washington Avenue
La Plata, MD 20646
(301) 934-2920
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<https://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel
5635 Washington Ave.
La Plata, MD
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Tribute Wall

MA

“ Mary Ann my heart goes out to you and the family. So sorry for the loss of someone as special as Charlie. He was one of a kind. Always a jokester so full of life. Have a lot of good memories with the both of two great people.
All my love Mary Helen (Adams) Ayers.

mary helen ayers - September 27, 2025 at 09:14 PM

JA

“ John Abell and Amanda purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Charles "Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



John Abell and Amanda - September 25, 2025 at 08:12 PM

CR

“ Carol Rife lit a candle in memory of Charles "Charlie" Stanton Ayers



Carol Rife - September 25, 2025 at 05:19 PM

CR

“ I met Charlie when I worked at the States Attorney's Office in La Plata. I was "bad check Carol" and Charlie would bring in all the bad checks written to Colonial Liquors and I would attempt to get Colonial's money back. Charlie was the nicest, friendliest, man and it was a pleasure to work with him. Carol Rife

Carol Rife - September 25, 2025 at 05:18 PM

TF

“ The Colonial Liquors Family purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



The Colonial Liquors Family - September 24, 2025 at 08:44 AM

TF

“ The Colonial Liquors Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.

The Colonial Liquors Family - September 24, 2025 at 08:44 AM

SA

“ Sam and Andrea purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



Sam and Andrea - September 24, 2025 at 07:21 AM

MC

“ Mike and Maria Zenda Cantrell purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



Mike and Maria Zenda Cantrell - September 23, 2025 at 10:58 PM

MC

“ Mike and Maria Zenda Cantrell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.

Mike and Maria Zenda Cantrell - September 23, 2025 at 10:58 PM

FB

“ From Sisters and Brother purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



From Sisters and Brother - September 23, 2025 at 05:38 PM

CI

“ CMI General Contractors, Inc. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.

CMI General Contractors, Inc. - September 23, 2025 at 01:44 PM

CI

“ CMI General Contractors, Inc. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



CMI General Contractors, Inc. - September 23, 2025 at 01:44 PM

CP

“ *Cathy Pickeral lit a candle in memory of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers*



Cathy Pickeral - September 23, 2025 at 11:29 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.

September 22, 2025 at 09:18 PM



“ *Truly Beloved Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.*



September 22, 2025 at 09:18 PM

MC

“ Dear Aunt Maryann and family. I was deeply saddened to hear of Uncle Charlie's passing. Uncle Charlie was more than family to me growing up as a kid. He was a steady presence and someone I truly admired. His laughter was genuine and it will remain with me forever. I was treated to Disney World by Uncle Charlie and Aunt Maryann when I was just 12 or 13. Uncle Charlie took me to my very first McDonalds, and he got me into a theater which was showing an R rated police movie, I was underage. I know how deeply he loved his family because he told me many times. I hope you can find comfort in the knowledge that his life touched so many. I loved Uncle Charlie and his memories will be with me forever. With Love and Sympathy, Mike and Zenda Cantrell

Michael Cantrell - September 22, 2025 at 07:06 PM

JK

“ Jennifer Kim & Susan (Woogie's kids) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Charles " Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



Jennifer Kim & Susan (Woogie's kids) - September 22, 2025 at 04:54 PM

SD

“ I never met Maryann's husband, but I know Maryann, along with some of the others in the family. So sorry for your loss and I would like to send prayers to everyone. Sharon and Ernie Dennison

Sharon West Dennison - September 22, 2025 at 04:39 PM

RC

So sorry to hear about Charlie. I remember Charlie and his brothers and sisters from my childhood. We lived down the street from them. We all had some great times together. RIP Charlie. Ruth Ann Pilkerton Campbell

Ruth Ann Campbell - October 26, 2025 at 03:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles "Charlie" Stanton Ayers.

September 22, 2025 at 04:19 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles "Charlie" Stanton Ayers.



September 22, 2025 at 04:19 PM