



Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr.

May 4, 1974 - December 12, 2025

Charles "Chuck" Reynolds Jr. died unexpectedly at his home on December 12, 2025. He was born May 4, 1974 in Pontiac, Michigan. He grew up in Highland, Michigan until his family moved to Lake George in 1986. While attending Farwell High School, Chuck was taught the skills to be an auto mechanic by his father, Charlie, and his grandfather, Pete. He graduated from high school in 1992. Chuck was a gifted and generous mechanic, and ran a successful business, Evergreen Garage, with his father until he became a Chevrolet service manager in 2023. Chuck took his automotive talents to the next level as a drag racer: He was a two-time winner of the National Hot Rod Association's ultimate achievement, the "Wally," along with countless other trips to the winner's circle. Chuck spent 22 years with wife Shari Lewis after their marriage in 2003, they had countless adventures together. After a near-death experience in 2012, Chuck struggled with post-traumatic stress and alcohol abuse. He found family, and his "higher power," in Alcoholics Anonymous groups, which he attended almost nightly. He was able to stop drinking in July of 2022 and remain sober for three years. This was amazing to witness, and we continue to be proud of that strength. Chuck was blessed to be loved by many friends, and he made his mark on many hearts. His family would like to thank his friends, Toby, Aaron, Klint and Kristie, Gail, Dustin, Dan, Steve, and Gary, for never wavering.

Chuck is survived by his parents, Charlie and Dianne Reynolds of Lake

George, wife for the past 22 years, Shari Reynolds, his sister, Connie (Douglas) Lance and their daughters, Mayson and Marlee of Clare, and his half-brother Richard (Audrey) Reynolds and their children, Alyssa and Richie, of Atlanta, Michigan, his brother-in-law Tommy (Sara) Lewis and nephew Thomas. Chuck was preceded in death by his grandparents Pete and Peg Taylor and mother-in-law Kay Lewis.

A memorial service in honor of Chuck will take place on Saturday, January 3, 2026, at 1:00 P.M. at the Farwell Chapel of the Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home with Chaplain Kelly Morley officiating. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Saturday the 3rd from 11:00 A.M. to the time of service at 1:00 P.M. Memorial contributions in honor of Chuck may be directed to either his family to help with final expenses or to the Healing Hideaway—408 E. Railway St., Coleman, MI. 48618. For those unable to attend services, online condolences may be shared on Chuck's tribute page at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN 3. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Stephenson - Wyman Funeral Home (Farwell)

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ *Rest in peace Chuck.*

David Hampton - January 27 at 07:40 PM

RF

“ *Rob Joyce and family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr..*



Rob Joyce and family - January 02 at 02:42 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr..*



January 01 at 05:50 PM

PF

“ *Patty Taylor and family purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr..*



Patty Taylor and family - December 18, 2025 at 09:44 PM

PF

“ *Patty Taylor and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr..*

Patty Taylor and family - December 18, 2025 at 09:44 PM

RR

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Rich Reynolds - December 18, 2025 at 09:57 AM

CL

“ *Shari, I'm so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers to you and his family.*

Charlene Long - December 17, 2025 at 08:47 PM

RC

“ *Diane, i am so very sorry to hear this sad news. My heart and prayers go out to you and Charlie I know how very special he was to you and all who were blessed to know him. May you be blessed with peace knowing he is in God's gentle loving hands*

Ruth Colegrove - December 17, 2025 at 07:33 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles "Chuck" R. Reynolds Jr..



December 17, 2025 at 09:39 AM



“ My brother will be so deeply missed. I am going to try and just remember how much I enjoyed being his older brother. He had his own way of just touching your life by simply being him. Love you chuckie. Rich

Rich Reynolds - December 16, 2025 at 08:15 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Chucks passing. Thinking of his family and friends. Hugs, Stacy Zelinski (Randy Mayfield's daughter)

Stacy Zelinski - December 16, 2025 at 03:32 PM



Chuck was a good , Honest man. Once I got to know him , I respected who he was, and enjoyed his company. There is a vacant spot in the universe, now that he is no longer here

Jim Samples - December 16, 2025 at 09:21 PM