



Charles Ray Allen Jr.

December 23, 1953 - August 7, 2023

Charles Ray Allen Jr., 69 years of age, passed away on Monday, August 7, 2023, at Texoma Medical Center in Denison, Texas. He was known as Charlie Ray to his friends, Papa to his grandkids and as Chop by his mother.

Charlie was an only child, born December 23, 1953, at the Fort Mead military base in Baltimore, Maryland to Delois Coffman Allen Fry of Ravia, Oklahoma and Charles Ray Allen Sr. of Louisville, Kentucky.

Charlie spent his first few years of life in Germany, completed most of his schooling in Dallas, Texas and finished high school in Tishomingo, Oklahoma. He joined the military after high school and honorably served his country in the U.S. Army. Charlie and Lynne Denise French Allen just celebrated 45 years of marriage, they married in Dallas, Texas on June 1, 1978 and made their home in Ravia, Oklahoma. They had two children, Chaz who is a silly goose and Aszra, the favorite child.

Charlie will be remembered as loving and caring son, husband, father and papa by his wife, children, grandchildren, and mother. He had a big heart and was always ready to lend a hand. He loved hot-rods, giant speakers, and would make the entire neighborhood block shake and rattle during the 90's with his fast cars and loud speakers. He and Denise enjoyed putting on big fourth of July celebrations with tons of food, fireworks and music for their entire neighborhood to celebrate together. Charlie was a solid mechanic and

carpenter, and would lend a hand to all friends and family. Everything he did was big and bold and he will be missed terribly.

Charles Ray Allen leaves behind his beloved wife Lynne Denise Allen of Ravia, Oklahoma, son Chaz Allen and his wife Jessica Allen of McMinnville, Tennessee, daughter Aszra Allen-Wingfield and husband Kevin Wingfield of Durant, Oklahoma, granddaughters Deryn Allen and Ryann Allen of McMinnville, Tennessee, granddaughter Zara Wingfield, grandson Zeppelin Wingfield, and granddaughter Zella Wingfield of Durant, Oklahoma, his mother Delois Coffman Allen Fry of Ravia, Oklahoma, step-sister Sharon Faulkner and husband Johnny Faulkner of Dallas, Texas, step-sister Linda Hartley of Ada, Oklahoma and his closest family friend/ honorary brother Billy Grizzle and wife Julia Grizzle of Laguna Park, Texas and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Preceding Charles in death is his father Charles Ray Allen Sr., stepfather Leonard Lee Fry, and step-brother Donald Fry.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, August 12, 2023 at Ravia Cemetery in Ravia, Oklahoma. Officiating is Ernest Coffman. Pallbearers are Kenneth Akins, Dewayne Akins, Billy Grizzle, Aaron Rounsaville, Daniel West, Sam West. Family hour will be held at Clark Funeral Home Friday, August 11, 2023 from 6-8pm. Services are under the direction of Clark Funeral Home, 305 E. Main Street, Tishomingo, Oklahoma 73460. 580-371-2338

Previous Events

Family & Friends

AUG **11.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

DeArman - Clark Funeral Home
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Tishomingo, OK 73460
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Funeral Service

AUG **12.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Ravia Cemetery
Ravia, OK

Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Ray Allen Jr.*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *Charlie you will truly be missed. You were always a good friend. Every time I saw you, you had a smile. About 6 weeks ago you were getting gasoline and I saw you and went to hug your neck and you had your Doberman Pinscher in your little red car and I ask will she bite, you said no she only knows two words, I whispered what, attack and kill? We had a good laugh even though you didn't feel well, I could tell. Love you forever. RIP Willene Beaver*

Willene Malone - August 11, 2023 at 07:00 PM



Charlie, going to miss my Battle Buddy. Was always the competition for Base Piece. Definitely center platoon with me. Served together in Germany. Great times shared with us. Judy always remembers the time you brought a drum set to our quarters and wanted to beat on them at all hours of the day. You will be missed my brother. Rest in peace now

Charles & Judy Moretz - August 12, 2023 at 09:29 AM



“ *The music sounds better and the cars are faster in Heaven. Charlie was the absolute definition of a true friend. He would drop everything to help anyone in need. You will be missed Brother. I can't wait until we get to build another hot rod.*

Sam - August 10, 2023 at 04:55 PM