



Charles Edwin Ward, Jr

July 29, 1923 - May 6, 2010

Ward

Sergeant Major Charles E. Ward, Jr., retired, went to meet his Lord on Thursday, May 6, 2010. Leaving to mourn him is Jane, his wife of 48 years, two daughters, Patricia Bill Chambers, Janelle Mike Luckey and his half sister, Mary Ann Donald Downs, also his grandchildren, Stephen, Patrick, David, Marcy, "Woody" and Jessica and 22 great grandchildren. He was a Masonic member of the Triune Lodge, Scottish Rite Temple and the Alzafar Shrine. Born in Brooklyn, N.Y. on July 29, 1923, he enlisted in the Army in 1941 and served time in Panama, Japan, Korea and various stateside posts including Ft. Sam Houston. Charlie took up the insurance business after his military retirement and remained active until his untimely death. Being active also included fishing, bowling, golfing and reading. He will be missed by all his friends and family. Our many thanks go to all of the doctors and staff of the Specialty and Transplant Methodist Hospital. Their professionalism and extreme care they administered to Charlie was truly appreciated.

Service

A visitation will be held Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North from 6:00 PM- 8:00 PM . The Funeral Service will be held Thursday, May 13, 2010 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North at 12:00 Noon with Pastor Charlie McCall officiating. The interment will follow at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery with Full Military Honors.

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ I work at the public library in San Antonio and had the great pleasure of ordering books for Mr. Ward. He was genuinely good person and always seemed to be in a great mood. I am sorry for your loss.

Tim Johnson - October 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Charlie was a true friend. I met him in the early sixties in a bowling alley. Soon after my wife and I were buying Insurance from him. Man, what a ball of energy and he never lost it. What a guy. He will forever be missed. Our Condolences and all our love

Stanley & Mary Ann Soultaire - May 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ As a newly retired military starting a new career in insurance, Charlie was my mentor and friend. We enjoyed both a professional and personal friendship for many years. I will miss seeing him and sharing lunch on my infrequent trips back to San Antonio.

Stu Hoag - May 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Charlie sold us our first insurance policy in 1974. Great man and wonderful human being. Always cheerful and just a happy guy. Heaven is all the richer for his going, us all the poorer. He will be missed here.

Jack & Kim Hetherly - May 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Charlie has been my insurance agent forever! I loved him dearly. He was always happy, positive and it was a pleasure to do business with him. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Jackie Bizzelle - May 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ I have only known Charlie for little over a year and the first time I heard him come through the doors of our office here at Principal Financial he was whistling a tune and he had such life to his every step. That is the way he always entered the office a

Pauline Chambless - May 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ I first met Charlie when I began work with what is now Principal Financial Group in 1964. He was an inspiration to me with his work ethic and good humor. We had many a good time over the years and had lots of laughs and shared some dissapointments. He w

Bert McNelly - May 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

FW

“ Charlie and I worked together for 30 years and I will miss him everytime I come to the office. He was a good friend and I will cherish the fond memories I have of our time together. I will keep Jane and the family in my prayers.

Fred Walters - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM