



## Charles A. Chuck Piper

February 25, 1933 - April 1, 2006

Charles Andrew Chuck/Charlie Piper, a longtime resident of Elmendorf, Texas lost his battle with Acute Myelogenous Leukemia AML on April 1, 2006. He was born on February 25, 1933 in Woodland, Michigan. He was preceded in death by his parents George Henry and Alice M. Piper and brother Vern Piper all of Michigan. He served his country in the Air Force from 1951 - 1955. Stationed at Laughlin, A.F.B, Del Rio, TX., as a Jet engine mechanic and retired from Kelly A.F.B. in 1990. Charles Andrew Piper and Virginia Casanova were married June 18, 1955 at St. Philips of Jesus Catholic church, San Antonio, TX. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Virginia Casanova Piper, children Darlene P. Hicks and husband Thomas, Ronald P. Piper, Randal C. Piper and wife Ellen, and Cindy V. Shields and husband Jerry, brothers Howard, Raymond, Glenn and John, sisters Pearl Shade, Vivian Yarger all of Michigan and Mary Heacock of Florida, grandchildren Thomas and Travis Hicks; Eric and Staci Eichman, Brandi Shields; Nicholas and Joshua Piper; Christi Piper Craig and Brandi Nicole Piper and three great-grandchildren. He was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Elmendorf, TX; member of National Rifle Association, member of American Legion Post # 39, Saint Hedwig, TX and a member of Masonic Lodge #490

# Tribute Wall

SD

“ Sorry to hear about Chucks passing. God bless you and your family.  
Love Rick and Sue Duarte

Susan Duarte - April 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Vicki: you have my sympathy. I considered Charley a good friend  
and a good person. I regret not keeping in contact with yall.

john stephens - April 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

YM

“ Cindy,  
I am so sorry I cannot be with you today. I am now working as an  
Investigator for Child Protective Services and I am on call tonight  
and tomorrow I am in court. I understand the pain of losing your  
father. I lost my Dad to cancer many years ago bu

Yogi and Lisa Moore - April 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Darlene,  
I as well as Laurie offer our sincere condolences to you and your  
family. We have kept a special place in our thoughts and hearts and  
our prayers are offered for all of you.  
God Bless, ybiC,  
Bernie -- P.U.S.H.  
Matthew 25:21 or 25:23  
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BERNIE J. BALL - April 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Dear Cindy, I am so very sorry to hear of your fathers passing. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are going out to you and all of your family. God bless you.

*Samantha Britz and Family*

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**Samantha Britz** - April 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Dear Aunt Vicki,  
It's been a long time it seems since we've seen each other. Wish I could have seen you all more, but with the distance and day to day things it was not possible. Seeing uncle Chuck and you were always bright spots in my memories, and lo

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**Stephen Piper** - April 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Had enjoyed working with Chuck, who was always a good person to be associated with, one that will always be remembered, and truley missed.

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**Joseph and Josefa Mannix** - April 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ Dear Vicky and Family,

We were truly sorry to hear about Chuck's passing. I really enjoyed knowing and working with both Chuck and you. Our deepest sympathy goes to you and all of your family.

*Herb and Cacilie Bannwolf*

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**Herb Bannwolf** - April 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ Dear Darlene: We were so sorry to read of your Father's passing. Our sincere condolences to you and your family.  
Ardath and Jimmy Nowlin

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**Ardath & Jimmy Nowlin** - April 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Cindy,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time. May God bless you with His strength and peace.  
With His love, Jamie

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**Jamie Beesley** - April 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Cindy: I'm so sorry to hear about your dad. I know this is a difficult time for you and your family, however I'm so glad you lived close by and were able to be with him as often as you were. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. "Those

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**Mary Lynn Baker** - April 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM