



Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell

August 18, 1924 - May 9, 2016

Born in Princeton, NC, he was a son of the late Doctor D. and Lois D. Braswell. Charles attended North Carolina State University prior to enrolling in the Naval ROTC Program at the University of South Carolina and playing nose guard for the Gamecock football team. He left school to serve the country he loved during WWII on an LST in the South Pacific. After the war he returned to North Carolina State University and earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering. Charlie was a fanatical Gamecock and football season ticket holder until such time as his health prevented him from attending the games. He was preceded in death by a sister, Ruth Jones. Survivors include his wife of 66 years, Susanne Braswell of Murrells Inlet, SC; a daughter, Susan Cordoni of Columbia, SC; sons, Chip (Diane) Braswell of Clayton, NC and John (Dee) Braswell of Murrells Inlet, SC; grandchildren, Chris (Vic), John, Leah Cordoni and Lewis (Izah) Braswell. A memorial service will be held at 3:00 PM Thursday, May 12, 2016 at Belin Memorial United Methodist Church with Reverend Dr. B. Mike Alexander, Jr. officiating. The family will receive friends after the service at the church. In lieu of flowers the family request memorial contributions be made to: Belin Memorial United Methodist Church, PO Box 528 Murrells Inlet, SC 29576. Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **12**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Belin Memorial United Methodist Church
4182 Hwy. 17 Bus.
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576
(843) 651-5099

Tribute Wall

SK

“ *Shirley Keeley lit a candle in memory of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell*



Shirley Keeley - May 12, 2016 at 03:18 PM

SK

We are so sorry for your loss. Charlie was a wonderful person to know, and I am sure we will miss him. May you find comfort in the memories you shared with him,

Shirley Keeley - May 12, 2016 at 03:21 PM

BF

“ *Dee and John, Steve and I just want you to know how sorry we are for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Steve and Bitsy Farmer*

Bitsy Farmer - May 10, 2016 at 08:32 PM

PM

“ *Dee and John please know that I am thinking of you all during this difficult time. Your family is in my prayers. Phillip Moore*

Phillip Moore - May 10, 2016 at 05:02 PM

GB

“ Susan, Chris, John, and Leah we are so sorry for the loss of your Dad and Grandfather. He was a true gentleman in every sense of the word. I will never forget how much fun my boys had fishing with him at the beach. What a wonderful man, heaven just became more beautiful, kinder, and loving. Our deepest sympathy, Glenda and Bill

Glenda Browning - May 10, 2016 at 02:43 PM

TK

“ Dee and John, please know that we are thinking of you. Sincere sympathies on the loss of your father, John. Although we didn't really know him we do know that you shared a wonderful relationship and that you were a devoted son. We hope you will find comfort in your happy memories. Our condolences to your mom. God's peace.

Tootsie and Sol Kline

Tootsie Dennis Kline - May 10, 2016 at 12:17 PM

DD

“ Susan, LaraBeth, Trey, and I were very sorry to hear about the passing of your Dad. We had a lot of good memories over the years and we know you'll miss him. John and Dee, please give your Mom a hug and a kiss from us. We are sorry that we'll be unable to make it to the funeral but you and your family will be in our thought and prayers. Davey

David Dennis - May 10, 2016 at 12:08 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell.*



May 10, 2016 at 09:50 AM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell.*



May 10, 2016 at 09:44 AM



“ *RIP Sailor !!!!
Wayne Williams
United States Marine Corps*



Wayne Williams - USMC - May 10, 2016 at 07:32 AM



Thank you sir. You brought a tear to my mother's eye. Thank you for your service.

John Braswell - May 11, 2016 at 07:40 AM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell.*



May 09, 2016 at 08:39 PM



“ *Charles And Lavonde Smith lit a candle in memory of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell*



Charles and Lavonde Smith - May 09, 2016 at 08:08 PM



“ *A-Team Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell.*



A-Team Novo Nordisk Pharmaceuticals - May 09, 2016 at 03:56 PM



“ *The Ruffins lit a candle in memory of Charles L. "Charlie" Braswell*



The Ruffins - May 09, 2016 at 02:00 PM