



Charles Joley

August 6, 1931 - April 24, 2012

Pawleys Island Charles L. Joley, II

Charles L. Joley, II, age 80, died Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at his home.

Born in Pana, IL, he was the son of the late Charles and Elizabeth Ricketts Joley. Dr. Joley was a lifelong educator, beginning as an agricultural education teacher in Toulon, IL. He earned three degrees, including his doctoral degree, at the University of Illinois. He was a leader in vocational education services at Eastern Illinois University, and served there as Dean of the College of Education and Allied Professions for 25 years. He provided statewide leadership in education as well.

Chuck Joley had an impact on the people who were fortunate to know him. His quick wit would first bring a chuckle, and soon win over the hearts of those he met. He had a zest for life, and a wide range of interests. An avid life-long learner and reader, he became an expert on the Civil War. He loved music and playing the piano. His grandchildren enjoy music, and were inspired to play the piano because of him. He and his wife, Gail, enjoyed travel to many parts of the world, especially to France. Boating, sailing, and fishing were other interests. He cherished his Pana roots, and his classmates who have known him for over 60 years. He was a member of the Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church.

Most of all, he loved and relished time with his family, and with friends, enjoying lively conversation, great food and its preparation, and memorable times together.

Survivors include his wife, Gail Joley of Pawleys Island, SC; sons, Charles L. Joley, III (Lisa) of Belleville, IL, David S. Joley of St. Clair Shores, MI; Stepsons, David Wells (Sonia) of Monroe, CT, Bill Huffman (Laura) of Charlotte, NC; stepdaughter, Dina Wells of Pawleys Island, SC; grandchildren, Hailey Crowton-Joley, Charles L. Joley, IV, Nicolas Wells, Oliver Wells, Carter Huffman, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Kathryn Joley, and sisters, Marguerite Ramseur and Norma Anderson.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, April 28, 2012 At Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church with Reverend Frank Holsclaw officiating. Burial will be Sunday, at 2:00 PM in the Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00-7:00 PM Friday, April 27, 2012, at the Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel, 202 Hinnant Lane, Pawleys Island.

An online guestbook is available at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries.

Memorial donations may be made to the Charles and Kathryn Joley Family Scholarship Fund, Office of Philanthropy, 860 West Lincoln Ave., Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL 61920.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel, is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **27**. 5:00 AM - 7:00 AM (ET)

Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel
202 Hinnant Lane
Pawley's Island, SC 29585
(843) 237-1336
info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com
<https://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

Service

APR **28**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church
9967 Ocean Hwy
Pawleys Island, SC 29584-7415

Tribute Wall

AM

“ Gail, Myrna and Al McMahon wish to send you our love and prayers at this time in your life. Please know that we pray for not only Charles in his wonderful resting place, but for you also that you find comfort and fortitude in the Lords love!

Al & Myrna McMahon - May 03, 2012 at 03:44 PM

JN

“ Gail, Chuck, and David,
There are too many memories and too many experiences Chuck and I shared to say anything but rest in peace my good friend, you will be remembered fondly.
John North

John T. North - April 28, 2012 at 06:43 PM

CR

“ Chod was a good friend I grew up with in Pana and I have many fond memories of time spent with him. He will be missed.

Charlie Rogers

Charles Rogers - April 28, 2012 at 02:03 PM

BH

“ Dear Joley Family: Sometimes we think that people in our lives will live on forever - and that is certainly true of Dr. Joley. I will always cherish the years of his support and leadership at Eastern. Working with him was a BLAST! Know that you are in my prayers at this difficult time for you. For David, I am Jennifer Kimball's Mother (a former classmate of yours). We both live in Lubbock, Texas, and enjoy being together...with our families. Love, Bonnie (Kimball) Hill

Bonnie (Kimball) Hill - April 28, 2012 at 11:37 AM

JK

“ *Rest in peace, Uncle Chod. You are greatly missed.*

Janet and John

Janet Anderson & John Kahl - April 27, 2012 at 06:06 PM

SW

“ *Dear Gail,
I was so sorry to hear of Chuck's passing. My thoughts and prayers
are with you during this most difficult time.*

*Shelia Weir
Bayh College of Education*

Shelia Weir - April 27, 2012 at 03:25 PM

BW

“ *Dear Gail,*

*We were so sad to learn of Chuck's passing. His wit, ready smile
and hearty laugh - all things we think about when we think of Chuck
- will live on. May the wonderful times you shared with him provide
you and your family comfort today and always. Our best thoughts to
you,*

Bob and Doris Williams

Bob and Doris Williams - April 27, 2012 at 10:37 AM

GU

*Dear Gail, though we share the sadness of your loss all that was said
about how Chuck lived his life brings a smile to our face. You both
gave fully of your life and time, and brought great happiness to us all.
Greg & Denise Ulm*

Gregory Ulm - April 29, 2012 at 08:00 AM



“ *Jodi Wahl lit a candle in memory of Charles Joley*



Jodi Wahl - April 26, 2012 at 06:41 PM