



## Charles Stewart

August 23, 1930 - January 25, 2012

Conway...Charlie Stewart, age 81, of Coral Court, died Wednesday, January 25, 2012 at Conway Medical Center.

Mr. Stewart was born in Charlotte, NC, a son of the late Charles Fred Stewart and Annie Lorena Merritt. He was a member of Thrift Baptist Church in Charlotte, NC and attended Sweetwater Branch Baptist Church in Conway. Mr. Stewart retired from Bellsouth Telephone in 1980 and then worked as a contractor for the remaining years. He enjoyed coaching kids baseball. Mr. Stewart was preceded in death by a daughter, Kristie Stewart; a grandson, Michael Starnes, Jr.

Surviving are his wife of 58 years, Betty Stewart of Conway; a son, Chuck Stewart and wife Pat of Charlotte, NC; a daughter, Carol Starnes and husband Mike of Polkton, NC; five grandchildren, Lisa Stacks, David Passaly, Derek Rippy, Melissa Stewart, and Gina Stewart; five great-grandchildren, Brandon Stacks, Todd Stacks, Dustin Stacks, Kristie Rippy, and Sally Rippy; and a sister, Betty Griggs of Roanoke, VA.

A memorial service will be held 3:00 PM Saturday at Sweetwater Branch Baptist Church with Pastor Charles C. Mixon officiating.

The family will receive friends after the service at the church.

Memorials may be sent to Sweetwater Branch Baptist Church, 1436 Hwy. 544, Conway, SC 29526 or to Thrift Baptist Church Building Fund, 8415 Moores Chapel Road, Charlotte, NC 28214.

Sign a guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 28. 3:00 PM (ET)

Sweetwater Branch Baptist Church  
1436 Hwy 544  
Conway, SC 29526-8446

# Tribute Wall

CS

“ to Betty, Chuck and the rest of the family....my prayers are with the family, I know it's not easy when one dies, but Charlie was a good man and I will always remember his good sense of humor....I know he is happy to be back with his mom and also my grandmother 'Aunt Hazel'...she held a special place in his heart and he in her's, the last time I seen him was about 2yrs ago at Crackel Barrel, my little girl Jessi got to meet him and she remembers getting to see him, and that is what memories are all about, I will miss him very much...but I do have my memories, I love allll of you very much and I will keep all of you in my prayers.....Betty and Chuck, maybe we can catch up with one another sometime in the future....sorry I didn't make it for the service but Glen was not able to make the trip, but I was there in thoughts....love ya'll very very much!!!!

Cathy Swanger - February 02, 2012 at 02:00 PM

LP

“ Uncle Charlie...I'll always remember discussing our mutual love of Braves baseball and you always checking to to see if this "hillbilly" had one leg shorter than the other!

Lynn Griggs Pollard - January 27, 2012 at 01:47 PM

JA

“ Joey & Lisa Alston lit a candle in memory of Charles Stewart



Joey & Lisa Alston - January 27, 2012 at 08:47 AM

JW

“ Betty, Chuck and Carol,

*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. I have so many fond memories with Charlie and each of you from the times which (because of Charlie) I was lucky enough to be a part of the Baucom Barbershop Little League team. I loved Charlie dearly and have quite often reflected back on the fantastic days we shared at the Allen Hills baseball diamond. I still think back with a big smile on the day we won the championship. and as he had promised, he allowed us to throw him into the creek as a celebration. It was our "dunking the gatorade onto the coach" for us back then. I am extremely thankful that Charlie Stewart made his way into my life and for certain, a better person because of it.*

*Jimmie Ward  
Lawrenceville, GA*

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**Jimmie Ward** - January 26, 2012 at 08:32 PM

KJ

“ Charlie,  
*I will always remember you. You were always very kind and a sweet man to me. I will miss you.*



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**Keisha Johnson** - January 26, 2012 at 04:36 PM

LS

“ Pop you will always be " Old Fart" to me and I will always be your "little fizzle". I have so many good memories with you that I will never forget. I know you are happy right now cutting up with Mom and little Mike. I love you with all my heart and will never forget you!!

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**Lisa Stacks** - January 26, 2012 at 02:04 PM