



## Charles Turner Graham, Jr.

April 7, 1955 - March 4, 2013

Mr. Charles Turner Graham, Jr., 57, of Claremont, NC passed away, Monday, March 4, 2013 at Catawba Valley Medical Center in Hickory, NC.

Born April 7, 1955 in Rowan County, he was the son of Kathryn Smith Graham and the late Charles Turner Graham, Sr.

Mr. Graham was a graduate of West Rowan High School; he also attended Catawba College and North Carolina State University. Mr. Graham worked as a dairy farmer at Third Creek Dairy for several years and then for Freightliner as an electrical technician. He grew up in the Third Creek Presbyterian Church. Mr. Graham loved his dog Sadie and riding motorcycles with his friend, Brad Markle.

Along with his mother, those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Julia Sigmon Graham; daughters, Jessica Graham Green and Whitney Kathryn Graham; son, Scott Graham; step-son, DJ McBee; and sister, Kathy Graham Pulliam.

Visitation will be held Thursday, March 7, 2013 from 6-8PM at Summersett Funeral Home. Funeral service will be conducted Friday, March 8, 2013 at 2PM in the Summersett Memorial Chapel with Rev. Jim Dunkin of First Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial will follow at Cleveland Town Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1901 Brunswick Ave. Suite 100, Charlotte, NC 28207.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Graham family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).



# Tribute Wall



“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Cheryl H. Lippard##imported-end##

March 10, 2013 at 08:57 PM



“ Whitney and family

*Sorry for your loss, prayers with you and family*

*Brenda Bledsoe*

*Tom Wilkinson##imported-begin##Brenda Bledsoe##imported-end##*

March 08, 2013 at 06:38 PM



“ My husband worked with Charlie at Freightliner. He said he enjoyed working with him and was sad to hear of his passing. Also, he said Charlie was a good man. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. We are so sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##James & Chrystal Earnhardt##imported-end##

March 07, 2013 at 06:14 PM



“ Julie, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray for peace and comfort for you in the coming days. God Bless you!

*Love,*

*Wanda Greene Coffin##imported-begin##WANDA COFFIN##imported-end##*

March 06, 2013 at 08:47 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Charlie will be greatly missed by all of us. Looking forward to seeing Him again on golden streets.

*Jim##imported-begin##Jim Bryant##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2013 at 07:54 PM



“ My sincere condolences to the family and friends. May God be with you during this difficult time!##imported-begin##Jamie Gant Garner##imported-end##

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March 06, 2013 at 06:49 PM



“ We will miss seeing Charlie walking Sadie in the neighborhood. He always made us laugh, especially when I would drive down the road and he would move way out of the roadway. He always made fun of my driving skills.

*Your family is in our prayers.*

*Vince & Melissa Parker##imported-begin##Melissa and Vince Parker##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2013 at 03:34 PM



“ Charlie was a good friend and co-worker he will be dearly missed.##imported-begin##Tony Knight##imported-end##

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March 06, 2013 at 01:19 PM



“ Julie,  
*My thoughts and prayers are with you and his family!!! I was saddened by the news. I always though very highly of Charlie.and loved his smile. If there is anything I can do for you, please let me know.##imported-begin##Kim Clontz##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2013 at 11:21 AM



“ Dear Mrs. Graham and Kathy,  
  
*I was so sorry to read of Charles's death. May your memories of him comfort you. Rest assured that he and his Dad are having a big reunion up in Heaven.*  
  
*Sincerely,  
Edith Boland Eubanks##imported-begin##Edith Boland Eubanks##imported-end##*

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March 06, 2013 at 06:45 AM



“ Dear Julia and family we will miss seeing Charles walking Sadie in the neighborhood. Our prayers are with you during this difficult time in your lives. May God Bless you.  
*Byron & Sharon Repass##imported-begin##Byron & Sharon Repass##imported-end##*

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March 05, 2013 at 08:46 PM



“ All our Love and Prayers to your family and my nieces Jessica and Whitney. May God give you strength and courage through this time of sorrow.

Uncle Mike, Aunt Kathy and Cousin Brian##imported-begin##Mike Herring##imported-end##

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March 05, 2013 at 07:05 PM



“ Julie and family, we are so sorry for the loss of Charlie. Its so hard to believe that he is no longer with us. He was always good our family and loved daddy (Brad) like a brother. Charlie will be truly missed but always loved!!!##imported-begin##Darren & Ashley Love##imported-end##

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March 05, 2013 at 03:41 PM