



Charles A. Stroth

December 15, 1937 - June 16, 2015

Charles August Stroth, 77, Topeka, passed away Tuesday, June 16, 2015, at Midland Hospice House, surrounded by his family.

Charlie was born December 15, 1937, in Topeka, the son of Paul and Marie (Howie) Stroth. He graduated in 1956 from Topeka High School. Charlie married Arlene Patterson on November 16, 1958, in Dover. She preceded his death on October 5, 2010. Charlie served in the Kansas Army National Guard for eight years. He worked at Harry's IGA and finished his career at J.M. Bauersfeld's, where he retired in 2001. Charlie was an avid gardener. He enjoyed antiques, baseball, fast pitch softball, watching the Kansas City Royals and KU Jayhawks, but most of all he loved his family and friends.

Charlie is survived by his children, Debbie (Richard) Klamm, Doug (Patti) Stroth, Shannon Stroth, all of Topeka and Scott (Jeannie) Stroth, Conway AR; 10 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; brother, Robert Stroth and sisters, Sharon Barber and Mary Jo Dilley. He was also preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Susan Arlene Stroth and brother, Paul Stroth.

Visitation will be Monday from 5 to 7 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road Topeka KS 66614. Funeral service will be 10 a.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Penwell-Gabel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to Midland Care Hospice, 200 SW Frazier Circle Topeka KS 66606.

Cemetery Details

Penwell-Gabel Cemetery

3616 SW 6th Street
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

Funeral Service

JUN **23**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles A. Stroth



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - June 19, 2015 at 02:33 PM



“ Charles A. Stroth

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Charles A. Stroth .



June 23, 2015 at 09:54 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles A. Stroth .



June 22, 2015 at 02:59 PM

ME

“ Shannon, I am so glad that you were able to be the best daughter your dad could ask for in his final days, you are an amazing person and I although I know your dad went to heaven way sooner than what we all thought, he is in the most beautiful place imagined! You are so inspirational to me in your understanding of this entire process. Just honored to be your friend. Love you! M & M

melinda - June 21, 2015 at 09:06 AM

SS

Thanks sweet friend. Love you!!!!

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:02 AM

RS

“ Shannon, It was not too long ago when I ran into you at St. Francis Hospital and you shared with me they had just diagnosed your Daddy with his illness. I am deeply sorry for your loss but keep in your heart he suffers no pain now and is blessed to be with his loved ones who welcome with open arms. His and God's Hand will continue to guide you through life in ways you will never know. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.

Rita Smith - June 21, 2015 at 08:55 AM

SS

It was wonderful to see you that day Rita. Thank you for the kind words - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:04 AM

JD

“ To Charlie's Family,

Thank you Charlie, for being a teammate of mine for over 30 years. You were a great softball pitcher. I could never hit your "knuckle ball". I remember once hearing of him pitching 7 games in one day, which is unheard of. You and the " good old days" will be missed!!

"Big Dawg" (John Deedrick)

John Deedrick - June 21, 2015 at 07:43 AM

SS

Thank you John. Thank you for coming to see my dad at St. Francis!!! You made him laugh, smile and tell stories and that is what it's all about! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:05 AM



“ Garden To Go Basket was purchased for the family of Charles A. Stroth .



June 18, 2015 at 06:39 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles A. Stroth .



June 18, 2015 at 02:20 PM

MD

“ *Debbie, Shannon and family,*

My sympathy. It's rough to become an "orphan", regardless the age it happens. Knowing that Charlie and Arlene are together again, that they can watch over you is a comfort. But darned if you won't want to talk to them and actually hear them answer. Bless you all and know that others understand your loss, loved your parents and care dearly for you.

MaryKay Droge

Mary Kay Droge - June 18, 2015 at 08:51 AM

SS

Thank you Mary Kay! My mama just loved you!! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:36 AM

CE

“ *To all the Stroth family, our Deepest Sympathy! Charles was such a good person and, though we only knew him briefly, it was so obvious that he cared deeply about his family. We will miss his presence here but, know he is in a better place.*

Cousins: Carol Edmond & Dennis Elliott

Carol Edmon - June 17, 2015 at 10:09 PM

SS

Thank you Carol! I would love to meet you. - Shannon Stroth

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:39 AM

GH

“ Shannon, Debbie, Blake and the rest of the Stroth family. I am so sorry for your loss. I know this is so hard and you will miss him terribly. He now is reunited with your mom in a much better place than the rest of us. He is rejoicing and pain free and watching over all of his loved ones You will be with him again one day May God wrap his arms around each and everyone of you and give you comfort Please know I am praying for all of you.

Gina Herman - June 17, 2015 at 06:21 PM

SS

Thank you Gina. - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:41 AM

CB

“ Doug, Debbie, Scott, Shannon, Bryan, Blake and all of the Stroth family. My deepest condolences during your time of grief. You are in our prayers.

*Love,
Chris, Kelli, Annie and Conner Beurman*

Chris Beurman - June 17, 2015 at 01:39 PM

SS

Thank you Beurmans! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:48 AM

SS

“ These past few months have been an amazing journey for myself and my family. We took good care of my dad and tried to make sure he had all he needed. In the end all he needed was his kids, friends and family to be together, to love each other, to laugh and to reminisce. Special thanks to his best friends - Dave Haugland, Jerry Warner, & Harold Patterson. Without you three, the journey would not have been as awesome! A shout out to St. Francis to EVERY PERSON WE WORKED WITH!!! From St. Francis Family Practice - William Kincaid, Danielle and Kris to Dr. C and his very kind and caring staff to the amazing nurses to the awesome people that brought his meals and cleaned his room. I thank each and every one of you from the bottom of my heart for making my dad feel like a king!! A very very special thanks to Midland Care. It's truly Heaven on Earth and I will be back to volunteer!! I love you to the moon and back dad and I will see you later Dad!!! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 17, 2015 at 01:37 PM

AM

“ Charlie was a wonderful neighbor, and enjoyed our talks when we would catch each other outside. He took meticulous care of his lawn and flowers, and you could tell he enjoyed his time outside. We will keep your family in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless, The Malmstrom family

Allison Malmstrom - June 17, 2015 at 10:22 AM

SS

Thank you Allison! He always said you guys are a beautiful family and he loved your sweet dog, Charlie! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:51 AM

CM

“ Played alot of softball against Charlie, he was a great guy, sorry for your loss.

Chuck Miller

Chuck Miller - June 17, 2015 at 09:52 AM

VW

“ Saddened to hear the news of our neighbor Charlie. Will always remember his delicate care of his yard and home. Prayers to his family.. Sincerely, the Wiksten's

Veronica Wiksten - June 17, 2015 at 09:15 AM

SS

Veronica - my parents loved you and your beautiful family. I found pictures of your adorable girls getting on the bus for what may have been the first day of school. Hope the cruise was amazing! Thank you for the bagels! They were great! - Shannon

Shannon Stroth - June 21, 2015 at 10:59 AM

LM

“ So sorry to hear about your Dad. Keeping your family in my thoughts and prayers.

Linda Swalwell Martin

Linda Martin - June 17, 2015 at 08:25 AM