



## Charles E. Holmes, Sr.

March 9, 1949 - December 14, 2008

View Chuck's Video Tribute Charles E. Holmes, Sr. "Chuck" on December 14, 2008 of Deptford. Age 59. Beloved husband of Mary Ellen Holmes "Meg" (nee Gartland). Father of Charles E. Holmes, Jr. (Elizabeth) of Hackettstown, NJ and James P. Holmes of Gloucester City. Brother of Hubert W. Holmes, Jr. of Langhorne, Pa, Jane Segletes of Newmanstown, Pa, and George Holmes of Woodway, Texas. Chuck was a 1971 graduate of Grove City College and a member of NJBUA and NJSIAA. Relatives and friends are invited to visit with the family Thursday 10am to 11am at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Dr., Deptford. Memorial service 11am at the funeral home. Interment private. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Gift of Life Family House, 401 N. Third St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19123.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Charles E. Holmes, Sr.*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Chuck, I can't believe it has been more than 3 weeks already since you have left us. Jimmy and I miss you more than words could ever express. But I hope you know how much your family truly loved you, and now that includes me too! You were so good to me and accepted me into your family so easily and I can't thank you enough for that. I wish you could have been there to see your son ask for my hand in marriage but I know that you were watching down on us. Now we can only hope to create a family and home like you and Meg had. We miss you and love you so much. Hope you and Jack are behaving up there! Love, Lauren*

**Lauren Beatty** - January 07, 2009 at 02:02 PM



“ *One of the best parts of my life was to be Chuck's mother-in-law. He was my friend and a really great person. His family meant everything to him and always came first with him. May God rest his soul and bring him home with him. I love you Chuck--Anne*

**Anne Gartland** - December 20, 2008 at 10:54 PM

DH

“ My moment with Chuck came as a handball doubles partner a few years back. His enthusiasm, skill and passion for the sport was remarkable. If he was in any way the gentleman and sportsman on the court then he must have been a super guy off the court. I am so saddened to hear of his passing and am even further saddened that I will not be able to cross his path again. Please accept my sincerest condolences. Chuck you are already missed.

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**Dan Ho** - December 20, 2008 at 08:13 PM

PG

“ Meg, I am so sorry for your loss. If there is anything I can do, please let me know.

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**Pat Goggin** - December 19, 2008 at 10:39 AM

RW

“ Sincere sympathy and condolences to the family. Chuck played in many handball tournaments at our home club. He was always a great competitor, & referee. Nicknamed "Captain Hook" for his great hands and shots. Well known for socializing and sense of humor on and off the court. Reading Handball Club.

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**Randy Wolfe** - December 19, 2008 at 09:36 AM

JK

“ Charlie, please accept my thoughts and prayers on the loss of your father, my regards to your mom and brother too. I am so sorry, Joan Klinger ( Kara's mom)

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**Joan Klinger** - December 18, 2008 at 04:43 PM

HF

“ *Our most sincere condolences and sympathies to the family.*

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**Herman Family** - December 18, 2008 at 08:34 AM

JR

“ *Maryellen...words escape me at this moment to fully express my deepest sadness in the loss of your "wonderful Chuck". Your old friends love you dearly...we will always remember the good times we have shared with you and Chuck. Love, Joan*

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**Joan T. Riggan** - December 17, 2008 at 10:59 PM

PG

“ *Dear Meg, What a shock to read of your terrible loss. I'm sure that you and the family are devastated. It's been a long time since we talked but I remember Chuck was such a wonderful fellow. We will keep all of you in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless you with wonderful memories and peace. Love to each of you, Peg & Rich Geiger*

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**Peg Geiger** - December 17, 2008 at 10:27 PM

TL

“ Dear Meg, Charlie, and Jimmy: Please accept our deepest condolences on the death of Chuck. Know that he loved all of you, and enjoyed all of your events. We all have fond memories of the kids in HS and sporting events. My pleasure was to formally meet him as a Formula Rep. while working at UMH. "It's a small world" is what I said! Our children knew one another, and later Adrienne and Jimmy dated!:-) His good nature and sweet smile will always be remembered. May the Good Lord look upon you, and help ease your pain at this difficult time. We will be praying for you. (Feel free to call at any time!) MEMORIES LAST FOREVER..... Blessings to you and yours.  
Terry and Bill

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**Terry & Bill LuBrant** - December 17, 2008 at 09:55 PM

BB

“ Dear Meg, Jimmy, Charlie and Elizabeth,  
We are so deeply saddened by your loss. Chuck had such a great smile and wonderful nature. He will be dearly missed.  
Love, Barbara, Bob and Dawn

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**Barbara and Bob** - December 17, 2008 at 09:37 PM

PM

“ Meg, Charlie & Jim  
Words are not sufficient to tell you how much I cared for Chuck. I was blessed to spend the last couple of years in Ocean Sands....sharing good times around a fire, playing LRC..enjoying beautiful sunny days..laughing at his fantastic sense of humor. We created many memories which I will cherish forever. He will be missed.

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**Pat Morris** - December 17, 2008 at 09:00 PM

JL

“ Meg, words cannot express how sorry we are about Chuck. We will always remember his smiling face and how nice we were always treated in your home. We hope you know how many thoughts and prayers are with you now and always!

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**John, Bern, Jess & Joe Lauriello** - December 17, 2008 at 12:04 PM

JW

“ Charlie,  
My thoughts are prayers are with you during your time of sorrow.  
Please let me know if I can help.  
Regards,  
JoAnn

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**JoAnn Weitzman** - December 17, 2008 at 11:06 AM

JR

“ I am truly sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Joan Reid

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**Joan Reid** - December 17, 2008 at 06:59 AM

CG

“ Dear Meg and family, I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers at this very difficult time.  
love, Cindi

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**Cindi Garlit** - December 16, 2008 at 09:34 PM

AM

“ Our memories of one another are the treasures we keep with us always.  
We will always remember our get-togethers.

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**Al and Anna Marie** - December 16, 2008 at 09:03 PM

JM

“ Uncle Chuck, you were an amazing human being. We all miss you so much. If there was ever a time I needed help learning something new or help putting something together, I knew you'd be there. You always had a kind word too. I will pray, Aunt Maryellen, Jimmy, Charlie. I miss you already Uncle Chuck, we all do. We love you.

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**James McCusker** - December 16, 2008 at 07:39 PM

DD

“ So sorry for your loss

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**Donna Davis** - December 16, 2008 at 04:00 PM

TD

“ Meg Chuck was so much Fun to be with always a Good Time. He will always be Mr Halloween to us. Oh the Blarney Stone. Joan & I send our deepest sympathies to You and the Boys Tom & Joan Dannenfesler

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**TOM A DANNENFELSER** - December 16, 2008 at 12:29 PM

TG

“ We will miss Uncle Chuck deeply!! Our thoughts are with you Aunt MaryEllen, Charlie and Jimmy.

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**Tom and Heather Gartland** - December 16, 2008 at 11:37 AM

DL

“ To Charlie and Family, We are so sorry to hear of your father. You and your family are in our prayers.

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**Deb and Rich Lynam** - December 16, 2008 at 11:00 AM

AB

“ Charles E. Holmes, Sr.

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**Anne & Jim Burns** - December 16, 2008 at 07:28 AM

LJ

“ Hi Meg there are no words just sad tear filled eyes.He knows how much he is loved,and you know every body loves you. He will forever be "my man Chuck" Well our nights will be a little brighter with that new star, we'll call it "Chuck" Love ya Larry

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**larry Janusky** - December 15, 2008 at 10:31 PM

DM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We will miss Chuck with all of our hearts. He was fun loving, intelligent, and extremely sincere. We will never forget all of the great times and laughter he shared with us and our children. There is no one else like him! We are always here for you. Love you! Danielle and Bill

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**Danielle and Bill Morris** - December 15, 2008 at 09:00 PM

RF

“ Chuck, Your good nature has touched the lives of my children and I thank you for the memories they have of you. It means so very much to me. You will be missed.

Love,  
The Morris Family

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**Robert Morris & Family** - December 15, 2008 at 06:06 PM

EM

“ We will always remember Chuck as a blessing-what a pleasure to have known him and be his friend

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**Eileen M. McCusker** - December 15, 2008 at 05:55 PM

HH

“ *If tears could build a stairway and memories were a lane We would walk right up to heaven And bring you back again. No farewell words were spoken No time to say goodbye You were gone before we knew it And only God knows why Our hearts still ache in sadness and secret tears still flow What it meant to lose you No one will ever know But now we know you want us To mourn for you no more To remember all the happy times Life still has much in store Since you'll never be forgotten We pledge to you today A cherished place within our heart Is where you'll always stay.*

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**Henry & Molli Hufnagle** - December 15, 2008 at 05:26 PM

TF

“ *Meg- I wish I had the words to tell you just how sorry Clare and I are. You know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and the boys. With Love- Morgan and Clare Meehan*

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**The Meehan Family** - December 15, 2008 at 05:16 PM

JM

“ *So sorry for the loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Love, Jessie and Michael*

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**Jessie & Michael** - December 15, 2008 at 04:57 PM