



Charles M. Granoski,

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Charles M. Granoski, Sr., died peacefully on September 10, 2002. Born April 12, 1920, Chuck was born to Leunora and Frank Granoski in Brooklyn, New York and raised in Wilkes-Barre, PA, where he entered the US Army in 1941 during WWII to serve in the Panama Canal and Europe. He was discharged honorably in 1945. Chuck met his wife to be, Anne, while stationed in Tacoma. Together they raised their family until Anne's death in 1979. Through mutual friends, Chuck met, and later married, Marie Giovengo in 1980. Together until his death, he helped Marie raise her three beautiful children, they worked together in their business, and tended their beautiful home and yard. Chuck worked for many years in the woodworking business, where he retired from Pickering Industries, at age 65. Thereafter, he and Marie owned and operated Jimmy's Tavern in Tacoma, where they made many lasting friends. Chuck had a natural aptitude and love for baseball and golf. Chuck is survived by his wife, Marie; children Carol Ann Drysdale (Oscar), Patricia Copeland (Dale), and Charles Granoski, Jr. (Candace Cragg); grandchildren Richard Drysdale, David Drysdale, Larry Westholm, Leigh Westholm, and Lucky Alexis Rowen-Granoski; stepchildren Mike, Mark and Anthony Giovengo; siblings Ann and Joey of Wilkes-Barre, PA; and his dog, Princess. He loved them all, and they him. He will always be remembered as a wonderful husband and father, a kind and selfless man, with a great sense of humor. A Viewing will be held on Friday, September 13, 2002 from 11:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. at Mountain View Funeral Home. Services will be held on Saturday, September 14, 2002 at 10:00 a.m. in the Mountain View Garden Chapel.



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous posted:

I knew Chuck while growing up as a childhood friend of Carol, Butch, and Patty. I remember him as a friendly, happy, caring man. I treasure that memory. My thoughts are with the entire family during this difficult time. Please take comfort in your own special memories and the caring of friends.##imported-begin##Wallace Tweden##imported-end##

September 20 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I'm a Lincoln High School friend of his daughter, Carol Drysdale. My sincere sympathy is sent to you in the recent loss of your father. Card to follow in the mail.##imported-begin##Carolyn (Lynne Collett) Morgavi##imported-end##

September 19 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Pat and Chuck, I am so very sorry. May the love of those around you and your many good memories help you through this difficult time. You are in my heart and prayers. Penny##imported-begin##Penny Drost##imported-end##

September 13 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Marie and family.... I was so sorry to hear that Chuck was sick and that he past on. I loved Chuck, funny as hell and could always make me laugh, he could liven up any party or social gathering. God must of needed some REAL company and so call Chuck to him to be eternally happy and well. I'm so sorry I couldn't be there for the funeral. I send my love, Always, Leanne & Family##imported-begin##Leanne Headley##imported-end##

September 13 at 6:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Having Tony Giovengo as one of my best friends has allowed me the pleasure of getting to know and love both Chuck and Marie. I have always felt welcome stopping in at their home with or without Tony. I will very much miss the way Chuck could make me laugh, feel special, make fun of me and go to the basement to bring up more rainier beer after we had a couple, he was a great man! Marie I will see you soon, and I know where the fridge is. Trent Kleven##imported-begin##trent kleven##imported-end##

September 13 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I will never forget Chuck asking me if he could marry my best friend!!! We will all miss his smile and laughter.##imported-begin##Ron and Karen Hiott##imported-end##

September 12 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Chuck: Please know that we are thinking of you during this difficult time. Your father was a special person and he raised a special son.##imported-begin##Jan McHugh-Smith##imported-end##

September 12 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Patty and I have great memories of times spent with Chuck and Marie. We will miss Chucks smile and his love for life--and his polka!!!##imported-begin##Dan & Patty Smith##imported-end##

September 12 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Many years ago, I bowled in the HBA league with Chuck. A great and friendly man with an easygoing attitude which I greatly admired. I met Chuck Jr. and eventually hired him for legal matters. I now play softball with Mark Giovengo. I can see how all of us were influenced in a positive way because of a little bit of Chuck left behind in all of us. My sincere condolences on your loss. OJ Moe##imported-begin##OJ Moe##imported-end##

September 12 at 6:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

To know Chuck was to love him. A remarkable man with a warm and giving heart, a great story to tell and a smile on his face. He will be forever in our memories and hearts.##imported-begin##Mark & Peggy Giovengo##imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Chuck was the best friend and neighbor a person could have .He will be greatly missed.We will miss our poker games we had with him every time Dave got home.He really livened up the game.He may be gone but never forgotten for he will always be in our hearts & thoughts.We miss you Chuck##imported-begin##Carol & Dave Wilson##imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Chuck and Anne were like second parents to me while I was growing up, and they will always hold a special place in my heart. I know that Chuck was loved by everyone who knew him and will be greatly missed by all. My heart goes out to the family.##imported-begin##Pamela (Lane) Dollarhide##imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Chuck was a wonderful and gentle man who loved and touched our lives.A loved one from us is gone, a voice we knew is still, a place is empty in our hearts that never can be filled.Thank you Chuck for the many wonderful memories and love you gave us over the years. We will miss you.##imported-begin##Mike and Melinda Giovengo##imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Chuck came into our lives about 22 years ago by way of marriage. He has filled my aunts life with love and strength. Thank you Chuck for your kindness and your laughter. Here's a hug for your journey ahead. Be sure to tell our Daddy hi and to save us a place right next to you. Marie, draw strength from the knowledge that Chuck showed you that you can do it. You are stronger than you think. I love you. Kat###imported-begin##Kathy Thomason and family###imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

To a great neighbor to my parents and me when I was growing up. I will never forget him. My kids always enjoyed visiting their grand parents because they knew Chuck would be coming over to visit with them. Best regards to Granoski family.###imported-begin##Dennis Wakin###imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Remembering your Dad's smile brings a grin to my face. I remember him as one of the Moore kids' surrogate dads, after our father passed in '62. I remember his love for baseball, his clowning, his meticulous lawn care, & his getting me hired at Harmon Cabinets, where I spent 4-1/2 years. May your faith, love, & memories comfort you & your families.###imported-begin##Bill 'Butch' Moore###imported-end##

September 11 at 6:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Charles by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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