



Charlotte Boyd Long

January 8, 1920 - December 6, 2005

Funeral services for Mrs. Charlotte Boyd Long are scheduled for 2:30pm, Monday, December 12, 2005 at Oak Grove Methodist Church with Rev. Mark McCaslin officiating. Burial will follow in Oak Grove Methodist Cemetery. Pafford Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Long died early Tuesday in Jackson. She was born January 8, 1920 in Memphis, TN to the late William Fletcher Boyd MD and Anna Lois Pennington Boyd. Mrs. Long was an Honor graduate of Nicholas Blackwell High School in Bartlett. She received her AA from UTM, her BS from University of Memphis at age 19, and later her Masters of Science from Peabody College. She was a member of Phi Mu Sorority. Mrs. Long was a retired teacher and educator in the West Tennessee Area and a retired department head at Milan Ammunitions Depot. She was a devoted teacher and bible scholar, a member of the Retired Teachers Association, and a member of Middleburg Ruritan.

Survivors include her two sons, William Lawrence (Larry) Long MD and his wife Claire of Hopkinsville, KY and John Andrew (Andy) Long II and his wife Becky of Ocala, FL, her sister, Mary Fletcher Swepston of Crawford, AR, five grandchildren, Felicia Farnsworth Long, Fletcher Whaley Long (B. B.), Frederick Michael Long (Dana), Aaron Russell Long, and Aubrey Long Moore (Jeremy), and eight great grandchildren. The family will receive friends Monday, December 12, 2005 starting at 1:00pm at the church. The family request donations be made to Oak Grove Methodist Church.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 12. 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Oak Grove Methodist Church
155 Todd Long Rd
Scotts Hill, TN 38374

Service

DEC 12. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Grandmother, I want you to know you have been the only REAL grandmother in my life and I'm am going to miss you so much here on earth, although you are probably going to be hearing alot from me as I take my journey through life and still need to turn to you for guidance. You have been my angel that has watched over me and led me to God and I can't thank you enough for being there for me. I'm definitely going to miss you calling me on my birthday and being the first one to sing me happy birthday even before my dad could call. I'm coming home for Christmas so I can come and say my goodbyes in person. I love you so much and you will always be in my thoughts, but especially in my heart. Love you always,
Aubrey
P.S. I'll eat enough popcorn for the both of us!##imported-begin##Aubrey Moore##imported-end##

December 13, 2005 at 11:14 PM



“ Andy, Becky & family:

Know that you are in our prayers during this time of loss.

Phil & Sue##imported-begin##Phil Davis##imported-end##

December 12, 2005 at 10:57 AM



“ To Clara and Larry Long
We are so sorry to hear about the passing of Mrs. Long. We know you have so many wonderful memories of her. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely, Nancy and Dick Lutz###imported-begin###Nancy and Dick Lutz###imported-end##

December 12, 2005 at 10:50 AM



“ Our prayers are with all of your family.###imported-begin###Jeff, Suzy, and Belle Buehrle###imported-end##

December 12, 2005 at 10:46 AM



“ I would like to send out my prayers to the Long famliy on the passing of their loved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and family member. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless you in this time of celebration of her life.###imported-begin###Matthew R. Cretul###imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 10:28 PM



“ I would like to send my condolences to all of the family. I wish I was able to be there for everyone. We all know she is in a much better place and experiencing everything she dreamed heaven was. You are in my thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin###Jonathan Cretul###imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 03:30 PM



“ Andy:

We are keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.

Stuart & Robbi Liddell###imported-begin###Robbi Liddell###imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 03:20 PM



“ *I am remembering you prayer. What an exceptional, Southern Lady!###imported-begin###Betty Slay Bradley###imported-end##*

December 11, 2005 at 01:34 PM



“ *Our prayers are with you during this time of sadness.###imported-begin###Fred Rehders###imported-end##*

December 11, 2005 at 01:18 PM



“ *Dear Claire & Larry,*

We are thinking of your family and you are always in our prayers. We know that your mother is at peace with Our Lord. You were very fortunate to spend time with her at Thanksgiving and we know you will treasure those moments.###imported-begin###Tom & Kathy Buehrle###imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 12:15 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Fondly

Mary Carolyn##imported-begin##*Mary Carolyn Trent*##imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 10:38 AM



“ *Dear Larry and Claire,*

My heartfelt sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your dear mother. From reading her obituary, it is obvious that she had a life well lived and that she is now rejoicing in the presence of God, having received her crown for a race well run. I know that her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren will have wonderful memories of her.

May God bless you all and give you peace during this time of loss.

Love and prayers,

Sharon##imported-begin##*Sharon Withers*##imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 10:11 AM



“ *Clair, Larry & Family:*

Our condolences to all. Mrs. Long must have been a special person and one that will be greatly missed by her family and friends. It is wonderful to have treasured memories and know that she is now at peace with Our Lord.##imported-begin##*Jessieanne & Danny Wells*##imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 09:48 AM



“ *Ms. Charlotte was a very special Lady. She touched so many lives, including mine. She didn't hide her faith in Jesus Christ but she shared it with everyone. As I drove down to her house each day delivering her mail it was comforting to know she was there. When I needed prayer, she would always lay her hands on me and pray for me. She would call me at home to pray for me if she knew I was sick. She was my prayer warrior. We are sad because of our great loss but Heaven must be rejoicing because our sweet angel is there now.##imported-begin##Janie Rogers ##imported-end##*

December 11, 2005 at 07:06 AM



“ *CLAIRE AND IARRY,
THE KENTUCKY DAR DAUGHTERS' THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS
ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY AT THIS TIME.*

IN DAR LOVE AND FRIENDSHIP

BARBARA##imported-begin##BARBARA C. PUGH##imported-end##

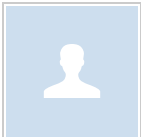
December 11, 2005 at 01:09 AM



“ ..but they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength: They shall mount up on wings of eagles, they will run and not be weary and they shall walk and not be faint. ISAIAH 40:31+

As Richard comforted me with these words after his passing so I pass them along to you to say...Death is not the end, rather it is the beginning. She will be near...I know this all too well. Our loved ones are closer than we appear to understand. Love does not die nor the memories of those who go home to be with our Lord. She is safe and well and sees His face... What a joy to know she's home...safely home. Love, Carole and Duane Cornell##imported-begin##Carole and Duane Cornell##imported-end##

December 11, 2005 at 12:13 AM



“ Grandmother:

It was truly a blessing to have our relationship and your love and support. As always, you are teaching as you open up conversations with my children on loss, but mainly love and eternal life through Christ. We will miss you but always know that you are in our thoughts, prayers, and mostly in our hearts.##imported-begin##Mickey, Dana, Ethan, Jackson, and Isabel##imported-end##

December 10, 2005 at 06:06 PM



“ As I am unable to attend the services in person, I am there in spirit and soul. If there ever was a woman more deserving to join the kingdom of heaven, it was my grandmother. The relationship she nurtured with everyone around her will forever be the legacy that echoes through the hearts and minds of all that were fortunate to know and love her. To say she will be missed is an understatement, to say she will be remembered and rejoiced for the life that she led will be the recurring theme in everyone's memories. I regret nothing of the relationship we shared, she lived a long and fruitful life and I know she has joined the ranks of the cherubim that continually guide and protect me in my times of peace and prosperity, tribulation and suffering... "I will always smile in my heart when I think of you grandmother, you always loved me and never judged me. You guided me down paths of righteousness, you were my spiritual advisor, my prayer support channel. Through the good times and the bad I could always count on words of encouragement from you. I always looked forward to your voice singing happy birthday to me early in the morning on October 21st." We shed tears for you grandmother because we will miss your guiding light in these hours of darkness, watch over this family and keep us ever faithful and vigilant in waiting for the coming of his Kingdom. Peace be to your spirit and soul, we all love you grandmother, rest in peace from here to eternity in the kingdom of Yahweh.

p.s. thank you for believing in me and never giving up faith

Russell Long##imported-begin##Russell Aaron Long##imported-end##

December 10, 2005 at 02:56 PM



“ To Claire, Larry, Children and the rest of the family...

Please accept my deepest sympathy.

Love to all,

Christine##imported-begin##Christine Porter Coleman##imported-end##

December 10, 2005 at 12:59 PM



“ Dear Grandmother- My heart aches I miss you so much. I would give anything to have one more conversation with you. You were my buddy and I will always treasure our relationship. Thank you for all your prayers and faith in me. I know you are fully healed now.

Devotedly, Felicia##imported-begin##Felicia Farnsworth Long##imported-end##

December 10, 2005 at 11:39 AM



“ This summer we said our goodbyes
With a hug, a smile and dry eyes
Many years on earth you had before me
And now our Master you get to see
I can hear you clapping as was your way
When you felt His Spirit on earthly clay
He has your future, we had your past
God's greatest cheerleader is home at last!!!!##imported-begin##Linda Houston Steiger##imported-end##

December 10, 2005 at 02:02 AM



“ Larry, Claire, and family,
We just wanted to let you know that we are thinking about you at this time. Wasn't it wonderful that you were able to spend that special time with your mother during Thanksgiving. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.
Love, Bonnie and Mike##imported-begin##Mr. & Mrs. Michale Haney##imported-end##

December 09, 2005 at 06:59 PM



“ My family and I are sorry for your loss. May God bless and comfort you in this difficult time. Our prayers and thoughts are with you all.
David, Tonya, Kelly, Kristen, Nicholas, and Macy True##imported-begin##Tonya True##imported-end##

December 09, 2005 at 01:40 AM



“ On behalf of my dear friend Andy, I offer my prayers to the Long family.##imported-begin##David Werner##imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 10:28 PM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Greg & Carrie King##imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 07:33 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your loved ones during this difficult time. With sincere sympathy, Ed & Patti Stewart##imported-begin##Patti Stewart##imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 07:08 PM



“ *Andy and family, It was a real treat to read the biographical sketch of your mother. She must have been a remarkable lady. Please know that you are all in our prayers at this difficult time. Ed and Patti Stewart*###imported-begin##Ed Stewart###imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 02:57 PM



“ *Our condolences to you and your family. We will keep you all in our prayers. Tom Jr.*###imported-begin##Tom Buehrle Jr. and Family###imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 12:41 PM



“ *My dad wrote these words to my mother.*

Imprinted deep within my mind and stamped upon my heart the vision of your face I find that never will depart.

With sympathy and love###imported-begin##Sally Hines###imported-end##

December 08, 2005 at 09:41 AM



“ Momee,

Your life was an inspiration for any believer in Christ. Your great grandson William, when we were with you in the hospital in Jackson said his Momee had gone to be with Jesus at Jesus' house. I have no doubt that is the case. Thank you for all the unconditional love that comes with being a grandmother.

Fletcher, BeBe, Sarah-Catherine, William Lawrence, II, and Caroline Elizabeth Long###imported-begin##Fletcher W. Long###imported-end##

December 07, 2005 at 01:52 PM



“ *Ms. Charlotte has been an inspiration to generations of children and adults at Oak Grove. We will miss the passion she showed for her beloved Savior. Her job on earth is complete now but up until the very end she knew she had a mission and used all of her energy to share the good news and lead everyone she could to Christ. She will have many stars in her crown.*

We are never ready to say goodbye to our loved ones. Know that Jesus Christ can give you comfort and will give you the care that Ms Charlotte gave so many while she was with us.###imported-begin##Denise Joyner###imported-end##

December 06, 2005 at 11:25 PM