



Charles Baker Wilson

April 14, 1940 - August 12, 2015

Charles Baker Wilson of Chester, MD, passed away on August 12, 2015, at Anne Arundel Medical Center. He was 75.

Born on April 14, 1940, in Washington, DC, he was the son of the late John N. and Pearl E. Baker Wilson, he grew up in Landover, MD, on the Wilson Dairy Farm. He enlisted in the Army with the 82nd Airborne and spent time in the Dominican Republic. After being honorably discharged he returned to the Wilson Farm in Landover and began working for Pepco. Charlie learned to fly when he was 16 years old, and later became a flight instructor, which he did for 40 years. He began working in Delaware as a crop duster until he joined the Capital Police in 1972.

In 1986 he moved to Chester, MD. Charlie retired from the Capital Police in 1994 and worked for the National Archives in Greenbelt, MD, after retiring. He was a member of the US Capital Police Retired Officers Association. Charlie enjoyed bowling and being a flight instructor, flying out of Freeway, College Park, Lee, and Bay Bridge airports. He was a member of St. Christopher's Catholic Church.

Charles is survived by his wife, Kay Wilson; son, David Wilson of Shenandoah Junction, WV; daughter, Caren Bushee of Dover, DE; daughter, Carla Matthews of Severn, MD; sister, Carol Petralia; brothers, Danny, Neil, Wayne

and Mark Wilson; nine grandchildren, Ashley, Charlie, Bradley, Caitlin, Tyler, Reece, Zachary, Jarrett, and Chase; and two great-grandchildren, Oakley and Onalee. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his two brothers, Jerry and Kent Wilson.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, August 18, from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A in Chester, MD.

Services will be held on Wednesday, August 19, at 11 a.m. at St.

Christopher's Catholic Church in Chester, MD. Burial will be in Eastern Shore Veteran's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Charlie's memory to GBS/CIDP Foundation International, The Holly Building – 104 1/2 Forrest Avenue – Narberth, PA 19072 or online at <https://www.gbs-cidp.org/donate/in-memory-of-contribution/>

Cemetery Details

Eastern Shore Veterans Cemetery

Hurlock, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Visitation

AUG 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

AUG **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Christopher's Catholic Church
1861 Harbor Drive
Chester, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles Baker Wilson*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 14, 2015 at 02:59 PM

TM

What a great tribute to a great Man. R.I.P old Friend.

Tarry McGovern - August 17, 2015 at 11:58 AM



“ *Charles Baker Wilson*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Charles Baker Wilson*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Chuck was a great man and excellent flight instructor. He had much patience and kindness. I have not seen him in several years but have many fond memories of him. I wish his family the best.*

Kammi Tisdale

Kammi Tisdale - August 20, 2015 at 09:00 AM

JF

“ Jane & Ernie Forrest purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.



Jane & Ernie Forrest - August 17, 2015 at 03:35 PM

EC

“ Emily J Caine purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.



Emily J Caine - August 17, 2015 at 02:22 PM

JC

“ John and Carol purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.



John and Carol - August 17, 2015 at 12:29 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.



August 17, 2015 at 12:06 PM

TM

“ I had the privilege of working with C.B. On the U.S. Capitol police for many years. He was a fun guy to work with. I never once saw him in a bad mood. He will be missed by all who knew him. R.I.P. Old Friend.

Tarry McGovern - August 17, 2015 at 12:03 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.



August 17, 2015 at 08:45 AM

MW

“ RIP my cousin. May the Lord keep you in his arms and comfort your family. Mike Wilson

Mike Wilson - August 16, 2015 at 06:23 PM

JP

“ So sorry for you David and your family, for your loss of a great man! He is in a better place forever, so it really is not a loss, but a spiritual gain. God bless all the family in dealing with this change your lives had brought you! You have the memories that never will end until you meet him again.

Jim (JJ) Pickett - August 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JU

“ Dave,

I'm so sorry for your loss. May your dad RIP.

Julia Eldridge

Julia - August 15, 2015 at 09:08 AM

RB

“ Dave-

So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers with you and your family.

Rani Brooks

Rani Brooks - August 15, 2015 at 06:29 AM

RM

“ Charles, "CB", "Closet", no matter what you called him, he will always be so fondly remembered as a soft spoken, kind, funny, easy going man whom we were so fortunate to have known and call our friend. We will miss him.

To Kay and the entire Wilsom family, you have our deepest sympathy. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

I know he is walking tall and flying high in the sky again.

Robert and Sandy Meicht.

robert and sandy meicht - August 14, 2015 at 08:52 PM

LM

On the fourth floor of the RSOB closet #47 , the second door on the right when exiting the Delaware Ave. elevator. Dave , I don't know if anyone ever shared the story of how your Dad got the name "Closet", but it might be nice to put a red rose in the door jamb as a memorial. He spent a lot of down time there.

Kay, Dave, and girls, we'll all miss "CB", and cherish the time we had with him.

Ret. Det. Leon Myers and Cherie

Leon Myers - August 16, 2015 at 11:16 AM

CA

I know every time I talked to him he was in the famous "closet"

Carol - August 16, 2015 at 03:23 PM

DO

I well remember "C.B." from our bygone days on the U.S. Capitol Police. We met again at a 2003 reunion where I was introduced to his lovely wife Kay. He was an open-herted person and a good officer. My sincere condolences to Kay and the complete Wilson family.

David A Oxford - August 18, 2015 at 01:43 PM

TT

“ *Sending love and prayets.
Love,
Tracy Tabor*

tracy Tabor - August 14, 2015 at 08:26 PM

TB

“ *The Bushees purchased the Ringed by Love for the family of Charles Baker Wilson.*



The Bushees - August 14, 2015 at 03:30 PM

JC

“ CB--Enjoyed our time together at Capitol Police and also our impromptu luncheons at Annie's. We'll miss you so much and we'll remember you always in our prayers!!

Love,
John and Jane Caine



John and Jane Caine - August 14, 2015 at 02:17 PM

DM

“ My deepest sympathy.



Debbie Masset - August 14, 2015 at 11:15 AM

 David
Wilson

“ 1 file added to the album Dad



David Wilson - August 14, 2015 at 05:35 AM

RP

Jerry or Kent Wilson I attended Bladensburg high with them . Good People Very Kind

Ron Perillo - May 24, 2024 at 05:24 PM