



Charles Edward Adams

May 16, 1934 - December 19, 2023

Charles Edward “Chuck” Adams, husband, father, friend and mentor, peacefully passed away on Tuesday, December 19, 2023, at the age of 89. Chuck is a veteran of the Korean War. For his service, he earned a Purple Heart. He served honorably in the Army, achieving the rank of Sargent. Past Emperor of the Corps de Napoleon carnival club.

His career and love for broadcasting led him from making short station announcements during his time in the Army to becoming a local celebrity and icon as a very popular morning DJ on one of the top-rated radio stations for many years. He is now listed in the Radio Announcers Hall of Fame in Oklahoma. As years went by and he settled in New Orleans, he purchased a company that reported the local traffic. He made it his own by buying an airplane, changing the name to TrafficCenter and once again became a very popular icon in the city. “Mr Fun”, as he was known to many, left a lasting impression on all he met. He will be truly missed.

He was preceded in death by his son, Johnathon Charles “J.C.” Adams and both parents Charles and Nina Adams.

Chuck is survived by his beloved wife Valerie Mumphrey Adams and his daughters, Donna Adams Kelsoe (Rob) Aguis and Carol Adams. Grandfather of Brittani Kelsoe (Nick) Norgate, Stephanie Kelsoe and Kayla Adams (Dylan) Sass. Great grandfather of Nicholas Norgate, Emma Norgate, Mavis Sass and Railand Sass.

He was loved by his Mumphrey family and many cousins.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Visitation and Memorial Service on January 19, 2024 at L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner, LA 70062. Visitation will be from 9:00 AM-11:00 AM. The Memorial Service will be at 11:00 AM followed by inurnment at SELA. To share memories or condolences, please visit www.muhleisen.com.

Cemetery Details

Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery

34888 Grantham College Rd.
Slidell, LA 70460

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home
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Kenner, LA 70062
(504) 466-8577
info@muhleisen.com

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Charles Edward Adams*



L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home - January 12, 2024 at 09:24 AM

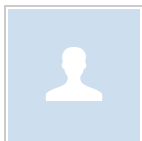


“ *Valerie,*

Wayne and I send our love, thoughts and prayers. We cherish the memories and fun times we had with you both! We will miss him dearly. God bless.

Audrey and Wayne

Audrey - January 19, 2024 at 04:08 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles Edward Adams.*



January 16, 2024 at 10:31 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Charles Edward Adams.*



January 08, 2024 at 09:41 AM



“ *Val, I am so sorry to hear this about Chuck. I know you will feel lost but Chuck would want you to stay positive and remember the incredible life you two shared. I adored Chuck and he will so be missed. Love you and my thoughts and prayers are with you ! Love Sandy*

Sandy Brown - December 22, 2023 at 08:07 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Charles Edward Adams.*



December 22, 2023 at 04:53 PM



“ *Ron lafrate planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Edward Adams.*

Ron lafrate - December 22, 2023 at 04:53 PM