



Charles Morris Hatcher, Jr.

December 17, 1946 - January 27, 2012

Charles Morris Hatcher Jr., 65, of Huntington, WV, passed away at Cabell Huntington Hospital on Friday, January 27, 2012 after battling cancer. Charlie was born on December 17, 1946 in Baltimore, MD to the late Charles M. and Mary Ellis Hatcher. He was a graduate of Huntington East High School, Marshall University, and West Virginia University College of Law. In 1974, Charlie headed the first West Virginia Legal Services office (now Legal Aid of West Virginia) in Huntington. He proudly served as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney for Cabell County for approximately 20 years, and opened his own legal practice in 1978. His son Chad Hatcher joined Hatcher Law Office in 1995, and they practiced together up until Charlie's passing. Charlie will be remembered for his advocacy on behalf of people in need. He is survived by his wife, Sue Hatcher; their two children, Molly Hatcher (Casey Shelton), and Chad Hatcher; his granddaughter, Amelia Lucy Dew Hatcher; two brothers, Steve Hatcher (Ellen Hatcher) and Dave Hatcher (Melanie Hatcher); one sister, Judy Surprise; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles. The Right Reverend Daniel Keller of Our Lady of Walsingham Orthodox Christian Church will deliver a memorial service at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 31, at the City Hall Auditorium, Huntington, with visitation beginning at 3:00 p.m. Because of Charlie's dedication to the many animals that he rescued over the years, donations may be made to Little Victories Animal Rescue in lieu of flowers (littlevictories.org, 3589 Wire Branch Road, Ona, WV 25545). Henson Mortuary, Barboursville, WV is caring for the family. Online condolences may

also be extended to the family by visiting www.hensonmortuary.com .

Tribute Wall

LS

“ I remember learning from Charlie . He was my best friend and I miss him. I did not know when he passed . Charlie taught me how to garden how to care for animals how to work and do a good job. Bless him Lord bless his family. Thank you Charlie for being there for me .

levi smith - August 02, 2024 at 10:38 PM



“ Charles Morris Hatcher, Jr.

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM

PH

“ To the Hatcher Family,
I am sorry for your loss. I had the privilege of working in the prosecutor's office along side Charlie in the very beginning of my CJ career. It was a pleasure to watch him work & help others. I pray God gives you peace in the weeks to come.

Patty Traylor Hoskins - February 04, 2012 at 04:39 PM

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Patty Traylor Hoskins of Charlotte, NC - February 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Sue, please know that you, Chad, and Molly are in our prayers and thoughts. So very sorry

Charles and Anne Ferguson - February 03, 2012 at 09:43 PM

KT

“ My deepest sympathy to the whole Hatcher family. I first met Charlie when I started working at the Prosecutor’s Office in 1982. I really enjoyed working with him for the six years that I was there and also knowing him for the past 30 years. Charlie was one of kind! I always enjoyed listening to Charlie when would tell one of his “stories” from things that happened from years ago! He will certainly be remembered and missed by so many.

Karen Teach - February 01, 2012 at 08:48 AM

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Karen Teach of Huntington, WV - February 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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Claude Watters - January 31, 2012 at 04:39 PM

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“ Chad, I am so very sorry about your Dad. I only knew him professionally, but will miss working with him. He was always so committed to his clients/cases and I always admired that about him. He was a great Attorney and he will be missed.
Jennifer Compton Ransbottom Law Office

Jennifer Compton - January 31, 2012 at 03:13 PM

PJ

“ Deepest sympathy to the family. It seems like yesterday that we were in high school. Thanks Charlie for all the memories, we did have some great times. I will cherish them forever. You will be missed by many.

Peggy (Lovett) Jarrell - January 31, 2012 at 09:03 AM

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Jennifer Compton of Huntington, WV - January 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I will remember Charels Hatcher as brilliant lawyer, but also has a caring man. I'm glad I got the opportunity to know him, and work for him.
Sincerely, Stephanie

Stephanie Dawn Murray - January 30, 2012 at 07:44 PM

LF

“ Chad & Family, we are so very sorry for your loss. Charlie was a great man and will be missed by any and all who knew him. Huntington has lost a great man and Attorney. Your in our thoughts and prayers now and always.

Larry H. & Family - January 30, 2012 at 06:56 PM

JM

“ Sue, family and friends please accept our deepest sympathies. Charles will be sadly missed by all of us.

Joe and Marjorie Martorella - January 30, 2012 at 05:43 PM

LB

“ Chad So sorry to hear about your dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time. Deepest sympathies!

Leslie and Dewey Ballengee - January 30, 2012 at 04:30 PM

JD

“ Kindest regards and sympathy...

Jack Dennis - January 30, 2012 at 03:40 PM

AC

“ Amy Crossan, Neil Bouchillon and the entire firm of Bouchillon, Crossan & Colburn sends our deepest sympathies to you. We always enjoyed working with Charlie together on cases, and will greatly miss him. Our thoughts are with you all at this time.

Amy Crossan - January 30, 2012 at 01:57 PM

SR

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Charles family. I will never forget him from our fun days at Huntington East and Marshall.He was a wonderful person.

Sharon Elliott Roach - January 30, 2012 at 01:31 PM

TM

“ Our deepest sympathies to the family and friends of Charlie Hatcher. He has been a very important part of our lives and will be missed. Though we can never really know how each of you feel we do understand. God Bless you in your time of sorrow and God Bless Charlie!

Tim & Diana Millne - January 30, 2012 at 01:21 PM

CB

“ Charlie, an all around nice guy and fellow Highlander. Rest in peace.

Cathy Brandt - January 30, 2012 at 01:16 PM

PL

“ Chad and Sue, very sorry to hear about Charlie. He was very well liked. My condolences and prayers to you. May God ease your pain.

Patrice Lambert - January 30, 2012 at 12:16 PM

BG

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Billie Sue Graybeal - January 30, 2012 at 11:33 AM

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Tom Lovins of State College, PA - January 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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Shawn Hurt Hess - January 29, 2012 at 09:16 PM

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Sharon Henry Malcom - January 29, 2012 at 08:47 PM

BK

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Butch & Darlene Goodpaster Kyle - January 29, 2012 at 07:49 PM

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Dawn Miller Flaughner Jenkins - January 29, 2012 at 06:53 PM

JS

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Sincerely,
J. Spurlock

Jeff Spurlock - January 29, 2012 at 06:22 PM

JT

“ With deepest sympathy for Charlie and his family he will surely be missed .

JoAnn Turner - January 29, 2012 at 04:24 PM

RI

“ We just wanted to send our deepest condolences. Mr Hatcher will truly be missed. He was a very wonderful man. We are so sorry for the family's loss. May God be with you during this hard time. Jessica, Joey, Tabby, and Trevor Richman (Virginia Apts #12)

richmans - January 29, 2012 at 01:33 PM

CB

“ So very sad to hear about Charles.
With great sympathy,
Cheryl Blankenship

Cheryl (Petty) Blankenship - January 29, 2012 at 01:06 PM

MM

“ Chad, I am so very sorry to hear about your Dad. My sympathy and may God bless you and your family.

Mickey Meadows - January 29, 2012 at 11:38 AM

TI

“ My thoughts & prayers are with the Hatcher family. May God comfort you and hold you close during this difficult time.

tim - January 29, 2012 at 11:19 AM

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Jan Hite - January 29, 2012 at 08:18 AM

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CV

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Cheryl (Petry) Blankenship of Virginia Beach, VA - January 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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Paul and Joyce Jordan - January 28, 2012 at 11:38 PM

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