



Charles W. Johnson

November 12, 1927 - October 25, 2015

Obituary of Charles Johnson

Charles W. Johnson, 87, The Villages, FL, passed away October 25, 2015 in The Villages. Charles was born Nov. 12, 1927 in Tomah, WI to Ethelwyn and Charles O. Johnson. He graduated from Waukesha High School and joined the Army, where he was an MP. He later joined the Waukesha County Sheriff's Dept. as a deputy sheriff and later became a detective for 18 yrs. In 1969 he became Chief of Police in Jefferson, WI; where he retired after 16 yrs. and moved to Florida in 1985. He served as interim Chief of Police for Lady Lake in 1987. Charles attended several colleges and universities on his way to earning his master degree and taught part-time, criminal justice and sociology. Charles was preceded in death by his wife Ellen in 2013. Survivors include his children Kay Hoff (Tom) Littleton, CO, Carol Renz (Bill) Ocala, FL, Paula Brick (Ed); grand-children Bryan and Gina Hoff, Brandon Renz, Tyler and Adam Brick, as well as one great-granddaughter.

Visitation will be held at Hope Lutheran Church, The Villages on Thursday, Oct. 29 from 9-10AM, funeral service at 10:00 AM followed by a luncheon. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with full military honors. The Family asks in lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Hope Lutheran Church, 250 Avenida Los Angeles, The Villages, FL 32162.

Online condolences may be left at www.beyersfuneralhome.com

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake,
FL

Tribute Wall

TS

“ I remember Charles in Waukesha. He use to come in on Saturdays when I worked t Heriksson & Compton I read where he was Chief of Police in Jefferson. I live in miton now. Had I known he was Chief I ouuld have stopped to see him. I was searching outas I wanted to send a photo to his family He came to our wedding out in Eagle in 1964.I read the obituary back in about 201 an i think I remember he had aplace in the Villages, in Fl. I have a phone book for the Villages anl would have tried to look him up. Tom Sherman 3112 E Thoma St. Milton, Wi, 53563 Near the Buckhorn Supper Club on Lake Koshkonong. 608-3144267 lk-kosh@outlook.com

Thomas G Sherman - February 09, 2025 at 10:58 AM

MK

“ Kay, Carol & Paula, Just looked at the Daily Union online and saw that your dad passed, you all have our most sincere sympathy. He was so kind and caring when my dad passed so unexpectedly, he not only lost his lieutenant for his police department, he lost a friend and made sure I was ok. I pray that all of you and your families are doing ok and as the days to come you find peace. Always, Mary & Gary Haag

Mary Kriederman-Haag - October 31, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ My sincere sympathy in the loss of your father/grandfather. I worked with Chuck on the Cab Rides for the Elderly program in Jefferson, WI and he was such a great man. He was also so kind to my mom who was also on the committee after dad died and she wasn't able to get around. Her door stayed unlocked so people could get in to help and a number of times unwanted people walked in to see if she wanted to "sell" any of he antiques. Chuck understood and would send a squad car over whenever she needed help. I was so grateful for his kindness to her. He was a wonderful man! May he now rest in peace! Marlene (Walk) Zick, Jefferson, WI

Marlene (Walk) Zick, Jefferson, WI - October 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ Dear Carol, I don't know if you remember me, but we went to grade school and high school together. I just wanted to tell you how sorry I am to hear of your Dad's passing. He was a wonderful man and a great Chief of Police fr the city of Jefferson. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Christine Wilson Kexel - October 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Hi everyone. We are so sorry to hear about uncle Charlie. Our prayers are with you. We have lots of good memories.

Charles & Ann Hartman - October 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ My condolences to the family from the Laesch and Gleisner andLange families.

Denise (Gleisner) Lange - October 29, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HF

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Hervey Forward - October 28, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“*For to short a time I became acquainted with Charlie while working at Community Watch. I have found memories of stopping in and talking with Charlie while he worked various Gates. I considered him a mentor and true gentleman and was saddened to read of his passing. My condolences to his family and friends. He will be greatly missed.*”

Hervey Forward - October 28, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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October 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM



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October 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM