



Charlie Hargrove Jr.

January 1, 1941 - October 2, 2025

On October 2, 2025, Charlie Hargrove passed away at the age of 84 in Leesburg, Florida.

Charlie was born on January 1, 1941, to the late Charlie and Lizzie Hargrove in Manson, North Carolina. He was the second of six children, four of whom preceded him in death.

Charlie migrated with his family to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was educated in the Philadelphia school system. Charlie worked at various restaurants in the Philadelphia area before joining his brother Samuel in Boston, Massachusetts.

Charlie spent several years employed at Boston area restaurants before joining the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA) as a Porter in 1979. He then became a rapid transit Motorman driving trains on the MBTA's Orange Line, retiring after 23 years in 2002. When not in his transit uniform Charlie was always immaculately dressed in one of his many suits, ties, hats, and shoes.

Charlie enjoyed onshore fishing and fishing charters. He also enjoyed cooking, especially for large groups whether a barbecue, dance hall event, wedding, or holiday gathering. Charlie met Portia and they married on October

16, 1989. They moved to Leesburg, Florida in 2006.

Charlie is survived by his devoted wife Portia, his children, Kevin Hargrove, Charlita James (Tim); Stepdaughter Donna Scott (James "Jae"), Stepson Howard Scott (Rhonda); Sister Cynthia Hargrove and many cousins, nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and friends.

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, Florida.

Tribute Wall

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“ This was when Charlie, Sam and I attended Izzy Ruggs retirement party.



Reggie Mayo - October 11, 2025 at 03:18 PM

JJ

Portia my condolences to you and your family God bless you 🌺
Johnny Junior

Johnny Junior - October 12, 2025 at 08:51 PM

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Grandpa

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HP

“ Portia, My sincere condolences to you and your family, I will miss my friend, Kwame

Harold “Kwame” Patton - October 07, 2025 at 03:36 PM

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“ *Portia and family, my sincere condolences. May Charles rest in God's loving arms. I will continue to lift all of you up in prayer. Best regards, Beverly Harris.*

Beverly Harris - October 07, 2025 at 09:07 AM