



Mr. Charles Paige

June 8, 1949 - May 26, 2025

Charles was born June 8, 1949 in Natchez, the son of Carlotta Claiborne and Eddie Lee Lewis. He was a 1967 graduate from Concord High School. He later attended Grambling State University. Charles was a truck driver for F. R. Blankenstein for over 42 years. He was a member of the Greater Mt. Carmel Missionary Baptist Church. In his spare time, he enjoyed playing the guitar and fishing.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Mae Ella Paige; daughter, Tonia Paige; brothers, Eddie Ray Lewis and Adrain Lewis; and sisters, Linda Faye Lewis, Barbara Anne Lewis, Mary Anne Phillips, Hannah Claiborne, and Melissa Claiborne.

Charles leaves to cherish his memories: daughters, LouKisha Jenkins (Malcolm) and Charlis Paige; brothers, John Lee Lewis and Earl Irving; sisters, Beverly Sue Harris (Clarence), Augustine Reed, and Geraldine Lewis; grandchildren, Edward James, Malcolm Jenkins, Jr., Latonya Smith, Marcus Smith, and Marlon Smith; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Vidalia City Cemetery

704 Demby Street
Vidalia, LA 71373

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Greater Mt. Carmel Missionary Baptist Church
2 Concordia Ave
Vidalia, LA 71373

Funeral

JUN 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

JUN 6 (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AG

“ *Alfredia Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Paige*



Alfredia Green - June 04, 2025 at 07:27 PM

AG

Rest on uncle Charles. We love you. I know God has gain a true solider. I know my mother Barbara Ann was smiling when she saw you. I can imagine her saying, lol what are you doing here? I can imagine the Lord telling you, come on up my faithful servant. You serve very well on earth, now you can receive all of these awrds that has been stored up for you.

Alfredia Green - June 04, 2025 at 07:32 PM

HL

“ To the Family,
Charles and I were high school classmates
graduating from Concord High School in 1967.
We both went on to attend Grambling College
(now GSU).



I was surprised to see another side of Charles when he was a member of the “Soul Brothers Band” at Grambling. Who new? I thought, go homey...way to represent little ole Vidalia!

Decades passed before Charles and I spoke after leaving Grambling. Again, he surprised and amazed me. He spoke of many of our classmates in detail, recalling stories and descriptions about each of them, myself included, that I had long since forgotten or just plain didn't remember. What a memory he had!

*I take solace in knowing that Charles is now happy in his soul, playing music before the Lord.
When one thinks of Charles, you can't help but smile and say
“Yeah, I remember him!”*

*May God's comfort and peace be with you all.
Helen Green Lewis
Houston, Tx*

Helen Lewis - May 31, 2025 at 09:25 PM

BM

“ So very sad that Charles has past.
His friendship I cherished through the 26 years we worked together,
the fishing trips we shared, and the more recent visits.
Charles was a special soul who possessed a wonderful sense of
humor along with a unique laugh that brightened the moment. I
regret not seeing more of Charles in recent years, but hold him
dearly in my heart.
Rest well my friend in the presence of Our Lord.
With love, Bill Murray

Bill Murray - May 31, 2025 at 09:29 AM



“ Daddy, my heart is so broken. The only comfort I have is knowing
you're in the presence of God and you're back with your love of 55
years. I will miss you both greatly. You are wonderful parents. I
thank God for giving me the best he had to offer. Tell Tonia hello.
Rest well!

Loukisha Paige Jenkins - May 31, 2025 at 02:11 AM

FM

“ Florence Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Charles Paige



Florence Mitchell - May 29, 2025 at 02:00 PM

YB

“ My prayers and my deepest sympathy goes out to Mr Charles Paige and family. A Virtual Gift



Yvonne Blanton Bell - May 28, 2025 at 06:40 PM

DB

“ May God Bless and Comfort all the family and friends of this fine man. For 42 years of his life Charles dedicated to working with us at F. R. Blankenstein Co. where covered a 60 mile radius sales route. He made many friends along the way and Never met a stranger! He had many stories to tell and always with a smile and laugh showing his beautiful spirit!

God speed my friend and know that you were loved by many! Rest joyfully in the arms of our Saviour Jesus!! Till we meet again.

Don, Loretta and Julia Blankenstein and all the coworkers over the years here at Blankenstein's. ❤️🙏

Don Blankenstein - May 27, 2025 at 10:46 AM

GG

“ Georgia Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Paige



Georgia Green - May 27, 2025 at 07:36 AM

WH

“The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.” – Psalm 34:18

During this time of loss, we lift your family in prayer. May God's grace uphold you and His promises bring you comfort. Mr. Charles Paige has exchanged time for eternity, and we rejoice in the hope that we shall meet again in that land where every tear is wiped away.

West Gate Funeral Home - May 26, 2025 at 12:20 PM