



Charles W. Foster

November 17, 1954 - May 18, 2022

It is with the deepest sadness that we inform you of the passing of Charles "Charlie" William Foster.

Charlie is survived by his children, Elizabeth and Chase (Sarah); beloved grandson, Nathan; sister, Janet Foster; sister-in-law, Adele (Lynn) Sheftel; brother-in-law Steve Ehrlich; as well as many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. Charlie was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Laura, his brother Howard, sister-in-law Debbie, and his parents, Mary Helen & Glenn Foster, all of blessed memory.

Born on November 17, 1954 in Indianapolis, IN, Charlie was a loving friend and a bright personality. Like his family he was deeply musical. He was an active member of his local Boy Scout troop and the Crossroads of America Scout Band, and played piano and organ for his church and other functions throughout his life.

He moved to Cincinnati, OH to attend the University of Cincinnati, where he joined Phi Kappa Theta. One of his brothers set him up on a blind date where he met his life partner, Laura, and they made their home in Cincinnati.

Charlie spent his life teaching and serving his community. He was a real estate agent and an active member of many organizations. He was a National

President of the Real Estate Educators Association, the Ohio Network President of the Women's Council of Realtors, the current Treasurer of the Cincinnati Board of Realtors, and a Director of the Ohio Association of Realtors. He served his local community as a member of the Madisonville Community Council, and he made his spiritual home at First Church of Christ, Scientist where he was active in leadership in a variety of roles.

A memorial service will be held at Weil Kahn, located at 8350 Cornell Road, Cincinnati, OH 45249, on Sunday, May 22 at 4:00pm. The family will receive guests before the service, beginning at 2:00pm. The memorial service can be viewed online at <https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/viewer/73721>.

A shiva minyan will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 pm at Desha's Restaurant, in the Nicholson Room, 11320 Montgomery Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45249. Minyan will be led by Rabbi Karen Thomashow. Chase will sit shiva Wednesday evening at his home in Cleveland, Ohio.

The family requests that masks be worn indoors.

Donations in his memory can be made to: First Church of Christ, Scientist, 3035 Erie Ave Cincinnati, OH; Crossroads of America Scout Band 5423 Mark Lane Indianapolis, IN 46226; Phi Kappa Theta Fraternity 8909 Purdue Rd, Ste 130 Indianapolis, IN 46268.

Please join us in extending condolences to the Foster family during this difficult time.

May Charlie's memory endure among us as a blessing.

Previous Events

Visitation before Memorial Service

MAY **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Weil Kahn Funeral Home
8350 Cornell Road
Cincinnati, OH 45249

Memorial Service

MAY **22**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Weil Kahn Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Charles W. Foster



Weil Kahn Funeral Home - May 18, 2022 at 03:08 PM



“ Charlie was an awesome leader, a real estate champion for fellow Realtors for many many years. He had a big appetite for serving his community and profession. We miss him dearly. Thanks for your service Charlie.

Sham Reddy Crs - May 21, 2022 at 07:38 PM



“ It was a pleasure working with Charlie In organizing the first successful Ohio CRS Chapter. Good

Tom Wright - May 21, 2022 at 02:26 PM



“ What a sad loss for us all! Charlie was a wonderful man and a delight. He will be so very missed. Thanks Charlie!!❤️

Zola Makrauer - May 21, 2022 at 08:13 AM

TF

“ I remember the 10 hour drive to and from Virginia Beach sitting in the box truck with Charlie. Our sons were playing in the Steel Band, and we were transporting the drums. He was such a jovial person with always a kind and/or funny thing to say. We laughed a lot on that trip, and it enhanced my perception of what an awesome person he was. Later I found out that my neighbor growing up (Pat Duffy) was a mentor of his in real estate. He and Laura are remembered with fondness and a smile.....Tom Frank

Tom Q Frank - May 20, 2022 at 10:29 AM



“ Charlie was a true gentleman and will be missed by all who knew him. He was such a sincere kind and loving person and always willing to help anyone that needed it. A Life Well Lived!

Dennis King

Dennis King - May 19, 2022 at 09:47 PM

DG

“ Charlie gave so much of himself to others and he always had a smile. He will be greatly missed. Deepest sympathy and prayers for his family.

Dori Gehling - May 19, 2022 at 05:38 PM

SB

“ Charlie was such a kind, warm, and wonderful man. It was my honor to work with him on Committees at Ohio REALTORS. He will be dearly missed. Peace and love to his family and all who are feeling the deep sadness of this sorrowful time.
-Shauna Brown, Ohio REALTORS staff

Shauna Brown - May 19, 2022 at 05:05 PM



“ I really liked Charlie and everything for the real estate industry!

Cindy Massey - May 19, 2022 at 02:12 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Bonnie Michele Louis - May 19, 2022 at 11:06 AM



“ Sending my condolences to the family. Charlie will be greatly missed. I had the pleasure of meeting him when he taught at Hondo's College. He was like a walking encyclopedia when it came to Real Estate.

My prayer goes out to the family and I pray for God's peace to be with you!

*T. Maria Rucker
Sibcy Cline Realtor*

T. Maria Rucker - May 19, 2022 at 10:58 AM



“ Charlie was a wealth of Information. Always willing to extend a helping hand!!! He loved realestate and Women's Council. He will be missed 😞



Africa Wallace - May 19, 2022 at 10:54 AM

GB

“ Charles, I will miss you and your kind words. May your soul rest in peace.

Geoff Barnes - May 19, 2022 at 10:52 AM

RH

“ Charlie was a force. He always made me feel like a life long friend even though we had only known each other for a short time. As years passed it became obvious he was very special. He will be missed.



Ruth Helton - May 18, 2022 at 09:48 PM

SC

“ Charlie was an amazing man. He helped me many times in the real estate world. He was a wealth of knowledge but was very humble and willing to help anyone. You will truly be missed.



Sherry L Courtney - May 18, 2022 at 09:37 PM

MM

“ My sincerest condolences to all of Charlie's family. Sending heartfelt prayers.

MaryAnn Mills - May 18, 2022 at 09:05 PM

TL

“ I am a fraternity brother whose friendship goes back to the 1970's. Charlie was a good man who gave of himself often to help others. My condolences to his friends and family.

ted

Ted Light - May 18, 2022 at 06:50 PM

DC

“ Oh, Charlie you will surely be missed!! Had just read about Laura recently and certainly didn't expect this to happen to you! We shared many blessed times together and as always you were the perfect gentlemen.

Prayers for your family and well wishes for all of them! Such a blessing to know you and love you..... Dereda Cunningham



Dereda Cunningham - May 18, 2022 at 05:36 PM

JS

My sincerest condolences to you. Charlie just brought a light into the room when he walked in! Prayers for all.

Joyce Sterling - May 18, 2022 at 07:12 PM

BJ

I have known Charlie for decades. He always exuded care and love for everyone around him. His intelligence and humor were constantly entertaining. These qualities live on in the memories he shares with all of us! What a blessing it is to know him!

Bill Sharp, Jr.
Indianapolis

Bill Sharp, Jr. - May 23, 2022 at 05:59 PM