



Charise Darcell Hughey

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Charise D. Hughey, 57, of Chattanooga, passed away Tuesday, May 18, 2021 in a local hospital. She was a 1981 graduate of Riverside High School. She attended ECPC and Chattanooga State Community College. Charise was employed by the City of Chattanooga. She was preceded in death by her parents, Franklin and Barbara Holloway; brother, Arnold Allen; in-laws, Winfred and Betty Hughey. Survivors include her husband of 20 years, Merlin Hughey; son, Rico Madden; daughter, Brandi Madden; grandchildren, Malik Davis, Rion Madden, and Cali Madden, all of Chattanooga; brothers, Jeff (Allison) Holloway of Smithfield, VA and James (Yvonne) Holloway of Florida; sisters, Cheryl Holloway of Chattanooga, Gwen (Aaron) Kelly of Alabama, and Carolyn Collier of Texas; several uncles; aunts; nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friends. Pastor Chris Sands will be the eulogist. Directions for Live Stream: 1. Go to your Facebook Page 2. Type: [taylorfuneralhomeofchattanooga](#) 3. Click 'Like' 4. Scroll down to view the service at 12 noon.





Events


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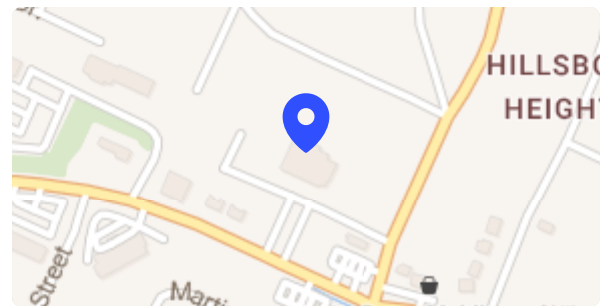
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Lie-In-State

 **Tuesday**, May 25, 2021

 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM ET


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3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411

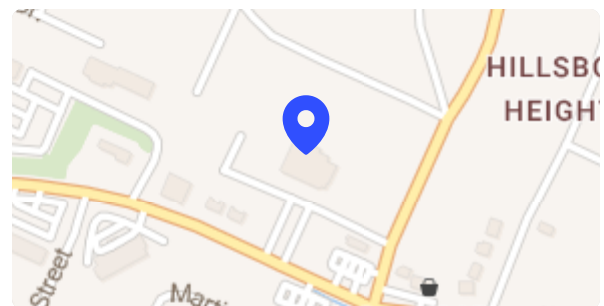


Family Service


 **Wednesday**, May 26, 2021

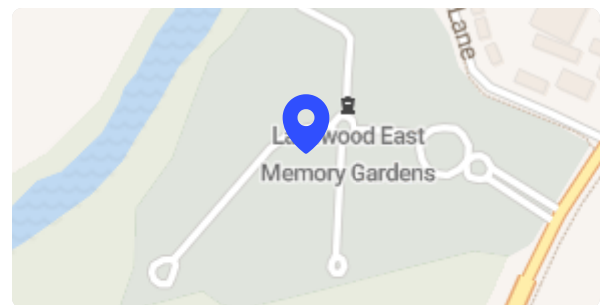
 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM ET

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Cemetery Details

 **Lakewood Memory Gardens East**
4621 Shallowford Road, Chattanooga TN 37411





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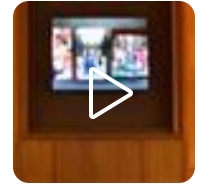
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May 31 at 11:13 AM



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Barbara Williams sent a virtual gift in honor of Charise.



May 28 at 8:15 AM



Renisha lit a candle in honor of Charise.



May 28 at 5:34 AM



LaFrederick Thirkill posted:

Charise and I worked together at Lens Crafters. She was always a joy to work with and she kept you laughing. She will be missed.LaFrederick Thirkill

May 25 at 10:48 AM



Jennifer Rydell posted:

Stunned by the news of her passing. She was always someone I looked forward to seeing. To all her family-I am so sorry for your loss.

May 25 at 10:39 AM



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NF

Nicole Fryar lit a candle in honor of Charise.

I was one of Charise's coworkers and friends. She always brought joy and laughter to the workday and helped us stay motivated even the going got a little rough. I'm blessed to have known her and she often gave good advice and encouragement to help me through some of my tougher days. She is very much missed and I will be praying for comfort for her family. Words can't express how sorry I am for your loss.

May 25 at 6:43 AM



SK

Sophie Satterwhite King lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 25 at 6:38 AM



SK

Sophie Satterwhite King May 25 at 6:39 AM

Condolences to the family RIP went to junior high school with her.



Anonymous sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Hughey family.

May 25 at 6:25 AM



Anonymous sent a Sweet Solace Spray to the Hughey family.

May 24 at 5:23 PM



JH

James & Yvonne Holloway sent a Rose Garden Heart to the Hughey family.

May 24 at 5:07 PM





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Love Your 311 Work Family! sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Hughey family.

May 24 at 12:44 PM



Angela Benning Mckibben lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 23 at 7:30 PM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Hughey family.

May 23 at 5:22 AM



Pam Carpenter lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 23 at 5:01 AM



PC Pam Carpenter May 23 at 5:04 AM
Resa was a bright light with family & friends. She always had a smile. She'll be missed.



Kathy Tiller lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 22 at 6:03 PM





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Dan J Tolliver posted:

Praying for the Family , Charise was a good friend and one of my Computer Technician at the City of Chattanooga, she will be miss dearly, her laughs and jokes kelp us going for days, the memories will cherish forever, a dear friend indeed.

May 22 at 4:24 PM



Donna Garner lit a candle in honor of Charise.



May 21 at 4:19 PM



Tennie Lindsey May 24 at 9:47 AM

Praying for God to give strength and peace to the family. Charise was very patient and kind. As an IT Technician, she was always there to assist no matter how many times she was called for the same problem. Of course, she would make a sorcastic comment always with kindness followed by one of her usual tales on what to do to prevent calling IT. Charise was a kindred spirit and I was bless to have known her.



Felicia Carter May 22 at 6:36 AM

My Condolences and Prayers to the family from a close friend of the Hugheys



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Hughey family.



May 21 at 2:48 PM



San Drake Brown posted:

My prayers go out to Cheryl and the rest of Charise's loved ones. I've known Charise since elementary school. I have nothing but good memories about our relationship. I am very saddened to hear of her passing. Running into her through years brought joy and brought back school memories. I always think about her fitness and athleticism. I will miss her. I am a Christian no doubt and I truly believe God knows best. However, in this flesh, seeing her smiling face brings tears to my eyes. You have my condolences.San Drake Brown

May 21 at 11:19 AM



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May 21 at 9:39 AM



Sonya Shannon lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 21 at 6:22 AM



Frances Beasley lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 20 at 7:48 AM



Darryl Sheppard posted:

Just in the last few years, I have had the pleasure to work with my cousin Charice at the City of Chattanooga. Laughing, joking, work family. She could drive me up the wall sometime, and she knew how to get you. I am at a loss that she is gone. Will miss you Cuz. As we never know where our lives will lead, I am glad for a time, you stopped by in my life and kept me laughing. Lord Bless and kept her family, her friends, her loved ones. Give them shelter, strength, understanding and comfort in the remembrance. Darryl Sheppard

May 20 at 6:16 AM



Shirley Hilt lit a candle in honor of Charise.

May 20 at 5:53 AM





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SH

Shannon Heftka lit a candle in honor of Charise.



May 20 at 5:19 AM

LE

Lisa Edwards October 23 at 9:43 AM

I'm so sorry to hear of Charise passing. We had some good times back in the day! My heart is so heavy for the family. Praying for strength! Lisa Edwards

RD

Regina Dendy May 22 at 6:25 AM

Just seeing that beautiful smile, brings back memories, Charise was funny and smart, so God has a plan for you. Praying for your family. Regina Dendy Carter

RW

Roshonda Woods May 21 at 1:25 PM

Sending my prayers out to the family of Charise and to the City of Chattanooga employees that loved her like myself. My heart is sad to learn of your passing. I'm still in shock. However, I know that we serve a mighty God that doesn't make any mistakes. Take your rest Charise, for you are at peace now. Until we meet again. Love, Roshonda Woods

CK

Christie Kucinski May 21 at 9:07 AM

Sending my sincere condolences to Charise's family and friends. She was a very sweet lady as well as funny. I didn't work closely with her but saw her in passing quite often. She was so nice and very fashionable! I always commented on how cute she looked. She will be greatly missed. Peace be with you all.

SS

Sonya Shannon May 21 at 6:22 AM

To the family, know that there are others that share your grief. My heart is saddened. We came to know each other when she was hired on at the City. When I took a new position with the County, Charise kept in touch and we became good friends. Charise and I would meet at Herman's nearly every Wednesday. She would get her oxtails, broccoli casserole, mac/cheese, white beans, and cornbread. Every now and then she'd get some peach cobbler. To walk off that soulfood, we'd go walking (in the mall, Walmart, Lowe's, Home Depot)... Her smile, laughter and long phone conversations will be truly missed.... Praying God's comfort and peace for the family. You'll be missed "Reecie cup" -- Sonya Shannon

KC

Karen Murphy Cannon May 20 at 3:01 PM

So saddened to hear about the passing of Charise. We were co-workers and had many conversations about gardening and where to go downtown for the best burger with bacon jam and best fish. I will think of her often and especially when I look at colorful crepe myrtle trees. Sending peace and prayers to her family. Farewell friend.

NN

Nancy Nason May 20 at 10:11 AM



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I am so sad to learn that Charise is gone. She was a good friend at work and really good at what she did. We shared stories about our kids and grandkids. She will surely be missed. Praying for comfort and peace for her family.-Nancy Nason



Shirley Hilt May 20 at 5:55 AM

As a city employee, I will miss Charise's smiling face. She always very helpful and a joy to work with.



Shannon Heftka May 20 at 5:21 AM

I am so sorry for your loss. May God give you peace.



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Join us in honoring Charise by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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