



## Charles F. Averitt

August 18, 1933 - June 25, 2021

Charles Franklin Averitt, age 87 years, a resident of rural Vienna, passed away Friday evening, June 25, 2021, at 9:04 PM at Herrin Hospital.

Charlie, as he was known to his family and friends, was born August 18, 1933 near Vienna. He was the son of William Thomas Averitt and Alice (Harris) Averitt.

Charlie is survived by: a brother – Clarence Edward Averitt and a sister – Alice Rose Harris both of Vienna; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Charlie was preceded in death by: his parents; 2 sisters – Bonnie Streetman and Blanche McBride; 4 brothers – William B. “Bill” Averitt, Sr., Earl David Averitt, Stephen Daniel Averitt, and James Eugene Averitt; 2 sisters-in-law – Mary Abner Averitt and Louise Davis Averitt; and 3 brothers-in-law – Clarence Streetman, Henry McBride, and Darrell Harris.

Charlie is fondly remembered for being a gentle soul. He never complained and was always willing to work hard and go the extra mile. He dearly loved his family and church. Charlie enjoyed listening to gospel and country music. He also enjoyed watching old western movies and was a faithful fan of the St. Louis Cardinals baseball team.

Charlie wore many hats through the years. In his youth, he worked in corn fields, orchards, and hayfields. Charlie worked as the gardener for Joe and Mayme Throgmorton for many years and helped look after their son, Sam, when he was a young child. Charlie also did yardwork for Robbie Simmons and worked as a flagger for the Johnson County Highway Department work crews. Charlie enjoyed children and babysat for nieces and nephews and was a care giver for family and friends as needed.

Charlie was a lifelong member of Faith Harvest Assembly Church in Vienna.

A service honoring the life of Charlie Averitt will be conducted Tuesday afternoon, June 29, 2021, at 3 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Pastor Richard Swiney will officiate.

Burial will be in the Berea Cemetery, southeast of Vienna.

Visitation will be held Tuesday afternoon, June 29, 2021, from 1 PM – 3 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to Faith Harvest Assembly, P.O. Box 565, Vienna, Illinois 62995 or to the Heather Harper Treat Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 98, Vienna, Illinois 62995.

# Cemetery Details

## Berea Cemetery

Berea Church Road  
Vienna, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 29.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
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## Service

**JUN 29.** 3:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Charles F. Averitt*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Linda And Jeff Mathis lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



**Linda and Jeff Mathis** - June 28, 2021 at 03:29 PM



“ *James And Diane Rainbolt lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



**James and Diane Rainbolt** - June 27, 2021 at 02:22 PM



“ *Teresa Anderson lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



**Teresa Anderson** - June 27, 2021 at 09:24 AM

BB

“ Charlie was a good friend As was all his family to me and i cut his hair for many years i he will be missed by everyone may he rest in peace our thoughts and prayers are with his family



**Billy & Nancy Belford** - June 27, 2021 at 09:24 AM

TH

“ Tricia Hartline lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt



**Tricia Hartline** - June 27, 2021 at 07:56 AM

TR

“ Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt



**Teresa Richerson** - June 27, 2021 at 07:06 AM

DP

“ Davis And Pat Prewitt lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt



**Davis and Pat Prewitt** - June 27, 2021 at 01:11 AM

KA

*So sorry to hear that my great uncle passed away I just heard about him passing away I send my my prayers and thoughts thoughts to all my family members Of mine in these precious times and memories of my great uncle passing away I loved my uncle so much may you rest in peace peace my great uncle*

**Kay Jameson maiden name averitt** - June 27, 2021 at 09:23 AM

BR

“ *Bobby Rentfro lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



**Bobby Rentfro** - June 27, 2021 at 01:02 AM

RM

“ *Roger McBride lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



**Roger McBride** - June 26, 2021 at 07:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Charles F. Averitt.*



June 26, 2021 at 06:47 PM

KM

“ *Kathy McHugh sent a virtual gift in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



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**Kathy McHugh** - June 26, 2021 at 04:37 PM

DB

“ *Dorothy Bacon lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



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**Dorothy Bacon** - June 26, 2021 at 04:37 PM

RS

“ *ROLAND STUDER lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



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**ROLAND STUDER** - June 26, 2021 at 04:32 PM

RS

“ *Rev. Richard & Vickey Swiney lit a candle in memory of Charles F. Averitt*



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**Rev. Richard & Vickey Swiney** - June 26, 2021 at 04:19 PM