



SCHLECHTER, Charlie James

(35 year employee of General Motors of Canada)

Peacefully at Lakeridge Health Oshawa with family by his side on Tuesday September 14th, 2021 in his 94th year. Beloved husband of the late Maxine. Devoted and caring dad of Val and her spouse Mike, Kevin and his wife Jennifer. Loving and treasured Gamper of Ben, Annie and Katie. Brother of Frank (late Hilda) and predeceased by Betty (Tony), Leonard (Eva), Joe (Doreen), Margaret, Rynold, Bill (Irene). Brother-in-law of Effie. Charlie will be missed by many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Visitation will be held on Tuesday September 21st, 2021 from 6:00 – 9:00 pm at **McINTOSH-ANDERSON-KELLAM FUNERAL HOME LTD.**, 152 King St. E., Oshawa (905-433-5558). As attendance will be limited, please see the link below to secure a time slot to visit. A Funeral Mass will be held at St Gertrude's Catholic Church (690 King St. E) on Wednesday September 22nd, 2021 at 11:00 am. Donations in memory of Charlie can be made to Canadian Cancer Society or Heart and Stroke Foundation. Online condolences can be shared at **makfuneralhome.com**.

"Charlie was one of the great ones. The sidewalks of Oshawa will never be the same. They will be missing his footsteps"

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Condolences

Sep 17, 2021

Frank Cassano

Charlie was a very special person in our lives when we were in our early 20's. He was like a second father to most of us. One of my many fond memories was he was our number 1 slow pitch fan no matter how bad some of our teams were.

A great man who will be sorely missed.
Rest in Peace Charlie

Sep 17, 2021

Valerie Tanner

Sincere condolences to Val & Mike and family. Val, you took such good care of your Dad. He was a wonderful person and a very special Gamper. Our thoughts are with your family

Valerie & Mike Tanner

Sep 17, 2021
Mark Smegal

Valerie & Kevin,

I am very saddened to hear of your father's passing. He was a very pleasant man who always took the time to chat. He would regularly check in on our mother after our father passed, and we really appreciated it.

Take comfort in knowing that his faith will be rewarded.

Sep 17, 2021
Gail and Don Jordens

Our sincere sympathy to all family members, he truly will be missed!

Sep 17, 2021
Cathy and Clint Hershmillier

Our sympathy to all of you .

Sep 17, 2021
Noel & Karen Ricketts

Saddened to hear of Charlie's passing, he was a kind and lovely man and we were very fortunate to have known him.

Sep 18, 2021
Willy and Diana Barbour

So sad to hear of gampers passing, we were fortunate to have seen him this past Saturday. Our deepest sympathy to the family and especially to Val and Mike whom we know so well. Our hearts and love go out to you.

Sep 19, 2021
Gora Family

Mr.Schlechter was our friendly, kind & wonderful neighbour for 48 years who will be truly missed. Our heartfelt condolences to Kevin, Valerie and family. May the memories bring you comfort and shine a light in your hearts.
-Henia, Jola, Ted

Sep 19, 2021

JoanAnne Dickison

Sincere condolences to Val/Mike, Kevin/Jennifer & family, I always enjoyed visiting with Charlie on Chadburn St. many fond memories of Maxine and Charlie chatting on their porch. Charlie always shared a smile and loved his walks, his family and enjoyed life.

Sep 19, 2021

David & Michelle Ricketts

Charlie was such a kind human being. He will be truly missed by all of those that were fortunate enough to have crossed paths with him. Charlie may be gone from our sight but never from our hearts. Our sincere condolences to Val, Mike, Kevin, Jennifer and family.

Sep 19, 2021

Cheryl, Dean and Emmett

We only met Charlie a few times over the last few years, but he seemed like such a kind man who took the time to chat with us every chance he could, whether it was out front of Vals house or in the backyard. Our deepest condolences to Val and family

Sep 19, 2021

Sophie Ricketts

Gamper loved to tell stories! I liked when he gave me his extra yellow beans and cauliflower that we both enjoy. Gamper and I would laugh alot when he tried to teach me how to whistle. A couple of times I went to the church breakfast with Gamper and Val. I am so happy that I got to see him two weekends ago at Val and Neighbour Mike's house. I will miss you.

Sep 19, 2021

Abbey Morrison

I always enjoyed seeing Gamper and chatting with him when he came to Port Hope. You will be missed by many people. Thinking of you Val and Neighbour Mike.

Sep 19, 2021

Rita+ Stan Graford.

Charlie was a lovely man always a kind word. a great family man. always took the time to chat. he will be missed very much. love and prayers to Val, Michael, Kevin, Jennifer and family and condolences from family in York England. Rest in Peace Charlie.

Sep 20, 2021

Sharon Cassano

How do you say goodbye to the most amazing man, neighbor, and "2nd dad"

From rides in the back of the station wagon to Haagen's Chicken, to spending countless hours in the basement making up plays and dances, Charlie was always there to support us and let us be kids! Charlie was a fantastic role model and True Family Man.

My heartfelt sympathies go out to the Loves in his life, Val & Mike, Kevin & Jennifer, Ben, Annie and Katie.

Will miss you "Charlie Brown"

Love Sharon

Sep 21, 2021

Krista Kernan

Sending my deepest condolences to the Schletcher family. Charlie or better know as Gamper was a dedicated family man who led a great life. He was loved by many and will be missed by all who knew him. It was always a great surprise to see him in the Grocery store shopping with Val. He always stoped by to say hi. Val you were a great daughter to your Dad. I pray the memories you all have of your Dad help heal your broken hearts.

Sincerely Krista

Sep 21, 2021

Lila Miller Smith

Charlie was a very special person to anyone who knew him. He would visit our mom Olga, often chatting for hours about the old days. She was looking forward to a visit with Charlie as she recently moved back to Oshawa. I let her know that he had asked Bernice if she was in Oshawa and if so where. Unfortunately just days later he passed. We're all going to miss your dad and his uplifting spirit. Our deepest sympathies. Olga, Lila, Gerald and Kenny Miller.

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Sep 21, 2021

The Gormley's

Our deepest condolences to the entire family for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Sep 21, 2021

Lisa and Steve Doleman

Val, we were so sorry to hear about the loss of your dad. Our deepest sympathies to you and your family at this difficult time. With love from Lisa, Steve, Ainsley and Mallory

Sep 21, 2021

Anna & Paul Parker

To Valerie & Mike, Kevin, Jennifer and all your family,

Please accept our deepest condolences. Your Dad was one of the gentlest and kindest man we ever knew. Our days of knowing Charlie and Maxine goes back over 60 years when we lived next door to Maxine's parents. They will always be in our thoughts.

Love Anna & Paul Parker

Sep 21, 2021

Marilyn & Dennis Noyes

Val and Family,

We were saddened to hear of your Dads passing. We would like to express our deepest sympathies and will be keeping you all in our thoughts.

Marilyn, Dennis, Jennifer and Brad

Sep 22, 2021

The Leddy Family

Val and Kevin and your families - our condolences - we shared so much over the years - good times and bad times. It is difficult to pick one but I guess it would be Charlie's smile. He was a great fellow, loved and respected by all those he touched.

Sep 22, 2021

Kevin Nelles

Kevin and Family,

Our deepest condolences to the entire family. Our thoughts are with you all. May your memories provide comfort in your journey through this loss.

Kevin and Deb