



Charles Ott

October 31, 1946 - August 13, 2024

Charles Richard Ott Jr., born on October 31, 1946, in Yonkers, New York, to Albina and Charles Ott, passed away peacefully on August 13, 2024. A proud alumnus of Sacred Heart High School and Indiana University, Charlie enjoyed a distinguished career in Sales that spanned over 40 years.

Charles honorably served his country during the Vietnam War as a member of the United States Navy. After his service, he spent time in Oahu, Hawaii, before settling in Southern California, where he welcomed his eldest daughter, Alexandra. His journey continued with a move to Chicago, Illinois, where his youngest daughter, Cassandra, was born. Charles and his family eventually made their way across the East Coast, eventually settling in York, PA, and finally Fernandina Beach, FL.

Beyond his professional achievements, Charles was a man of vibrant personality and diverse interests. Known for his quick wit and sharp sarcasm, he could turn any moment into a memorable story or laugh-out-loud experience. His intelligence was matched by a boundless creativity that he poured into his passions. Charles was a creative chef, known especially for his homemade sangria, which became a highlight at family gatherings. He was also an avid photographer and doo-wop enthusiast. As a gifted storyteller, he captivated friends and family alike with tales rich in humor and insight.

Charles will be deeply missed by his daughters, Alexandra (Allix) Ott and Cassandra (Cassie) Crosby; granddaughter, Auden Laine Crosby; son-in-law, Corey Crosby; and sister-in-law, Marilyn Delanoeye. He was preceded in death by his beloved brother, Kenneth J. Ott; his parents, Charles R. Ott Sr. and Albina Mildred Ott (Kasetta); and his fur-ever friend, Frisco "Bear" Ott.

Charles's legacy of humor, creativity, and love will remain in the hearts of all who knew him. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to The Michael J. Fox Foundation.

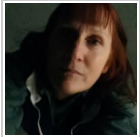
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“ I am saddened to hear of Charlies passing. We had a fishing trip planned nours after meeting and he made the evening so much fun and you cannot beat his Sangria!! Toasted you last night at my wife's birthday with 2 Charlie Tuckers, a signature cocktail at Wilmot Stage Stop! RIP my recent friend and buddy Charles Ott. I wish we had met sooner in this life.

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“ RIP Charlie! You were a great Uncle and supporter when Matt was a little guy, buying him the pets Mom wouldn't, and during his recovery from drug addiction. Always a great meal and conversation with you. I was so grateful that we saw each other last year and you got to meet Matt's son. You will always be someone who made a difference in our lives. Love and Peace.

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