



Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton

December 22, 1940 - January 22, 2020

2 Timothy 4:7-8

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.

Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton, 79 years old, entered into the presence of our Holy God on Wednesday, January 22, 2020 at Johnson City Medical Center with his wife Janet by his side. Dr. Charlton was born December 22, 1940 in Radford, Va. To Lawrence Edward, Sr. and Ollie Ruth Charlton. He was the youngest of four sons. He was preceded in death by his parents, Brother Tyron M. Charlton, favorite Aunt Viola M. Charlton, Father-in-law Aldean S. Lewis and Mother-in-law Mildred V. Lewis.

On July 22, 1960, Dr. Charlton married the love of his life, Janet Lewis, who he lovingly referred to as "Honey". To this union one son was born, Charles Melvin Charlton.

Dr. Charlton leaves to celebrate his life, his loving wife of 59 years, Mrs. Janet Lewis Charlton; son Charles Melvin Charlton of Johnson City, TN, grandchildren, Charles Edward Charlton, Jarred Hayes Charlton, great grandchildren, Tybree Hayes Charlton, Taiylor Crabtree, Brothers Lawrence Edward Charlton, Jr. of Palm Beach, Fl., Byron W. Charlton (Carolyn) of Reston, Va. Sister-in-laws Ellen Brown of Fredericksburg, Va., Rita Lewis of

Radford, Va., a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, his Friendship Baptist Church family and many loving friends.

Dr. Charlton attended Christiansburg Institute in Cambria, VA. He graduated from East Tennessee State University with a B.S. in Philosophy and a M.Ed. in Literacy Studies. He also has a Th.D. from Emmaus Bible Institute and Seminary, a Ph.D. in Clinical Christian Counseling from Cornerstone University and a Doctor of Divinity from the Tennessee School of Religion in Memphis, TN.

Dr. Charlton was the first African-American Board of Education member in Radford, VA and the first African-American Mayor in Southwest, VA., serving as Mayor of Radford, VA. He is the former pastor of Big Hill Baptist Church in Salem, VA, First Baptist Church in Elliston, VA and First Baptist Church in Blacksburg, VA. He has been a preacher for 59 years and a pastor for 58 years. He served as the Pastor of Friendship Baptist Church in Johnson City, TN for 42 years. He retired as Pastor in November of 2018 and was named Pastor Emeritus. In addition, he served a 5-year term on the Johnson City Board of Education; six years on the Johnson City Regional Planning Commission with one year as chairman and two years as Vice-Mayor of Johnson City as part of a four-year term on its City Commission. He was also a member of the inaugural admissions committee for the ETSU Pharmacy School.

Dr. Charlton has served his denomination as moderator of two associations: The Schaeffer Memorial Baptist Association in VA and the Bethel District Baptist Missionary and Educational Association in TN. In addition, he served as the Director of the Pastor's Conference of the Baptist Missionary & Educational Association for the State of Tennessee.

He has served as lecturer on Black Psychology and Marriage and Family Dynamics with the Southern Baptist Convention in Ridgecrest, NC and Glorietta, NM.

Dr. Charlton also was an Associate Professor at Northeast State Technical Community College, Blountville, TN, where he taught Reading, Learning Strategies, Comparative Religions, Humanities, Black Studies and Speed Reading. Dr. Charlton taught at Northeast State Technical Community College for 23 years and was involved in education for 25 years. In the 2006-2007 academic year, he conducted a seminar entitled, "Reaching, Teaching and Retaining Our Students" for the state and national conferences for Developmental Studies instructors.

The Virginia Historical Society also recognized Dr. Charlton as a Virginian who contributed significantly to the history of his state. Consequently, his photograph and biographical information are exhibited in the Virginia Historical Society Museum in Richmond, VA to emphasize his service to the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Dr. Charlton is the author of *The Agony and the Ecstasy of the Ministry*; *The Key to My Heart*; *God Give Us Some Real Men*; *Love is the Key* (an African-American History Presentation); *Making the Fundamentals Fun* (A study skills handbook); *From "Rev" With Love*; *As The Twig Is Bent*; and *Thoughts For Quiet Moments*.

Dr. Charlton said "That the most important moment in his life was when he became a Christian. The second was marrying his beautiful wife, Janet, who has walked with him in both challenge and triumph. He believes service to God is the greatest privilege that he has been afforded in his life and being a minister of the Gospel is the most important thing that he has been blessed to do throughout his life."

Dr. Charlton also said, "He is grateful to God for opportunities to serve;

however, his greatest joy is knowing God and serving Him as best he can, while looking with great anticipation to going to Heaven when he leaves this world.”

A “Celebration of Life” service will be held Monday January 27, 2020 at the Friendship Baptist Church – 522 West Main St., Johnson City, TN with the Rev. Lester D. Lattany, Pastor officiating.

The family will receive friends at the church at 5:00pm until 7:00pm. The celebration of Dr. Charlton’s life will begin from 7:00pm. Interment will be held at 11:00am Tuesday January 28, 2020 at Washington County Memory Gardens.

**Dr. Charlton will lie in respect at Friendship Baptist Church from 12:00pm until 5:00pm prior to the receiving of friends.

The Charlton family is being served by Birchette Mortuary, Inc.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
522 W. Main St
Johnson City, TN 37601

Service

JAN 27. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
522 W. Main St
Johnson City, TN 37601

Interment

JAN 28. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Washington County Memory Gardens
113 Memory Gardens Rd.
Johnson City, TN 37615

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*

January 29, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *Maria Regalado lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Maria Regalado - March 23, 2020 at 02:15 PM



“ *Charles Buford lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Charles Buford - February 21, 2020 at 03:40 PM



“ *Condolences 🙏 for the family*



Mary Rollins - February 17, 2020 at 07:49 AM

EB

“ *Elaine Brady sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Elaine Brady - January 28, 2020 at 06:31 PM

VS

“ *Virginia Salmon lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Virginia Salmon - January 28, 2020 at 03:17 PM

VS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the Charlton family. I knew "Rev." through Northeast State. He was always so kind and upbeat and his students loved him. I learned a lot from him in casual conversations. Heaven gained a powerful angel.*

Virginia Salmon - January 28, 2020 at 03:16 PM

EJ

“ *Edith Riley Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Edith Riley Johnson - January 28, 2020 at 11:21 AM

LR

“ I want to express my condolences to the Charlton family. Dr Charlton was a wonderful man. I attended many of his services with my good friends Marva and Allen Conley. He actually baptized our grandchild, Shai Marie Perry. I will remember his kindness always.

Linda Raines - January 27, 2020 at 10:34 PM

JB

“ Jacqueline Bowers lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Jacqueline Bowers - January 27, 2020 at 10:13 PM



“ Illona Mack lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Illona Mack - January 27, 2020 at 07:58 PM

JJ

“ JJ Jones lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



JJ Jones - January 27, 2020 at 07:23 PM

SG

“ *Shonda (Birks) Gonzales lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Shonda (Birks) Gonzales - January 27, 2020 at 07:22 PM



“ *Lori Parks lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Lori Parks - January 27, 2020 at 05:08 PM

JC

“ *James & Brenda Charles*



James & Brenda Charles - January 27, 2020 at 03:55 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton.*



January 27, 2020 at 03:33 PM

AN

“ *Rev.Charlton devoted his life to the community in making it a better place to live. He impacted many lives. He was also a mentor to me.*



Angelo Newman - January 27, 2020 at 02:35 PM

Alberta Harris

“ *Alberta Harris lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Alberta Harris - January 27, 2020 at 02:24 PM

Alberta Harris

Rev, I can't thank you enough, for the sermon that you preached, that help me stop drinking. Thank you, for all of the encouraging words, for being the Godly man that you were, for being not only my mentor, but also for being my friend. I love you Rev, but God loves, a d needed you more. You have earned your wings, soar high my friend, and R.I.H.P.



Alberta Harris - January 27, 2020 at 02:30 PM

CR

“ *Rev. Thank you for bringing the Word Of God to my family and myself for over 42yrs ! You made a huge difference in my life and I thank God for directing u to Johnson City ! Rest easy my Pastor/friend until we meet again! One Glad morning! Prayers for wife and son*



Clinton&Pam Rollins - January 27, 2020 at 02:21 PM

TT

“ *Tawana Teague lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Tawana Teague - January 27, 2020 at 02:10 PM

RJ

“ *Rev. Jesse & Jacqueline Jones purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton.*



Rev. Jesse & Jacqueline Jones - January 27, 2020 at 11:10 AM

MJ

“ *Our condolences to the Charlton family, May the love, kindness and humble spirit he showed to others forever be a part of his legacy. May God give him eternal rest.*

Elliott & Mona Johnson

Monate Johnson - January 27, 2020 at 08:40 AM

MP

“ *My condolences to the family, His wonderful and gentle soul will forever remain in our hearts. May he rest in peace.*

Marvalene Parks

Marvalene Parks - January 27, 2020 at 08:32 AM

DM

“ *Darrell & Janice Murphy lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Darrell & Janice Murphy - January 27, 2020 at 06:39 AM

RG

“ *So sorry for your loss Charles!! God Bless and our prayers are with you!!
Rick the Cable Guy &
Whitney Greene*



Rick the Cable Guy & Whitney Greene - January 27, 2020 at 02:55 AM

JW

“ *Janice Wells sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Janice wells - January 26, 2020 at 10:19 PM

JH

“ *Our deepest condolences to the family of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlyon.*



Jerry and Valdred Hartsaw - January 26, 2020 at 10:10 PM

HB

“ *Hattie Barkley lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Hattie Barkley - January 26, 2020 at 09:09 PM

KB

“ *My condolences to the family of Dr, Charlton. I recall him many years ago when we both lived in Radford, Va and recall the history his made there and his presence at Radford High Bobcat events. I think we moved to Johnson City about the same time. He was always so pleasant and I enjoyed reminiscing with him about our home town. He will be missed.*

Kathy Benedetto - January 26, 2020 at 08:40 PM

LS

“ *Condolences to the family of Rev Charlton. He was a wonderful man that we are grateful to have known. Our prayers and love are with you all at this difficult time.*
Love Serecia, Geraldine and Lakeisha Stewart



lakeisha stewart - January 26, 2020 at 07:33 PM

MC

“ *Marva Conley lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Marva Conley - January 26, 2020 at 07:10 PM

MC

Rev.Charlton will truly be missed,ALLEN Marva and Shai. My God bless Mrs. Charlton ,Melvin and family.

Marva Conley - January 26, 2020 at 07:18 PM

PR

“ *Patria Rhea sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Patria Rhea - January 26, 2020 at 04:31 PM

LF

“ *Dr. Charlton was wise, caring and had a heart full of love. We will miss him but always remember how he taught us to love one another. We are praying Gods' grace and greatest blessings for Mrs. Charlton and family. We love you. Ronald and Loretta Fowlkes Knoxville, TN*

Loretta Fowlkes - January 26, 2020 at 01:39 PM

BW

“ *Becky Wyatt lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Becky Wyatt - January 25, 2020 at 06:29 PM

TM

“ Teresa Milhorn lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Teresa Milhorn - January 25, 2020 at 02:44 PM

PH

“ My sympathies to the family of Dr. Charleton. A man whose presence elevated any gathering simply because of who he was. I had the pleasure of serving with him on the AHERN board of directors. May he rest in peace, as he lived and served peacefully before his people. Pamela L Hoard, Pastor Russell Chapel AME Zion Church



Pamela L HOard - January 25, 2020 at 12:53 PM

VP

“ Viola Patton sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Viola Patton - January 25, 2020 at 11:08 AM

LJ

“ Louis Locke Jr lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Louis Locke Jr - January 24, 2020 at 11:18 PM

CA

“ *Crystal Anderson lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



crystal anderson - January 24, 2020 at 08:33 PM

VS

“ *Varcella Johnson Stokes lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Varcella Johnson Stokes - January 24, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ *Linda Workman lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Linda Workman - January 24, 2020 at 07:49 PM

MG

“ *Mitzi Gillin lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Mitzi Gillin - January 24, 2020 at 07:41 PM

AK

“ *Adia Babb King lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Adia Babb King - January 24, 2020 at 05:45 PM

JS

“ *A blessed child of God now in the presence of his Father. Thank you Lord for allowing your servant to touch and change so many lives! A job well done! RIP!*



Rev & Mrs. John & Karen Rollins

John E Rollins, Sr. - January 24, 2020 at 05:02 PM

AB

“ *Rev. was a true man of God and will be missed by many. He was a great pastor of our church and we all were blessed by his teaching. Rev. is now singing with the angels, might even be a puppet show up there. We all love you Mrs. Charlton and will take care of you like Rev. would want us to.*

Love, Joe & Angelitti Bradley

Angelitti Bradley - January 24, 2020 at 03:13 PM

ML

“ *Mary Latham lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Mary Latham - January 24, 2020 at 03:09 PM

GP

“ *There are no words to describe how much Rev meant to all of us at Northeast State. I looked forward to his short devotionals to us each morning in our e-mail. It was a wonderful start to the day and one that always made my day a little brighter. Heaven is lots brighter with Rev in residence there and our earthly home a little dimmer with him gone. I am a better person for having known Rev and honored to have called him friend. He was a much needed source of comfort to me to sadness and a strong confidant when I needed spiritual guidance. We are blessed to have known him and my condolences to his family. Thank you for sharing him with us.*

Gail Puckett - January 24, 2020 at 02:55 PM

SB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with each of you for the passing of Rev. I have had the opportunity to know him for many years. The first time I met him was when I worked at Science Hill High School, 10-12 Campus. His grandson was a student worker for me. When I was hired for NortheastState, we reconnected. My family also visited Friendship Baptist. He was and will always be a memorable man. May you find comfort in the loving arms of Jesus and hold onto the fact that you will see him again one day. What a reunion that will be! With love, Sheila Bray*

Sheila Bray - January 24, 2020 at 01:59 PM

“It is impossible to describe completely the positive impact Dr. Charlton has had on my life as well as the lives of many of the members of my family and friends. My father once stated that "You preach your own funeral [eulogy] every day that you walk upon this earth" and I think that characterizes "Rev". Firstly, I thank God for "loaning" Rev. Charlton to us. Secondly, I thank God for allowing Rev. Charlton's and my path to cross for he definitely helped me to strengthen the strong foundation that my own parents had lovingly laid for me. I grew stronger in so many areas of my life, not only as a Christian, but as a student, educator, and a "thinker". I am forever grateful to his lovely wife, Janet, who shared him with me not only on the phone but in their home where we engaged in deep philosophical and Biblical discussions. Thirdly, he always encouraged me to simply be me and make no apologies to anyone as long as it was scriptural and in keeping with the Plan of God. There was a time in my life when I knew as much as I loved and adored my sons and being actively involved in their lives, being a wife, and daughter, there was still a stirring in my soul that I knew I needed to do more. So, through his mentoring and friendship I was relieved to know that I could do those roles and still pursue my professional endeavors without feeling that I had to just do one or the other. He encouraged me to strengthen the talents God had given me and I am indeed a much better facilitator, organizer, writer and much more patient because of his leadership. Rev. Charlton understood when I told him that as my parents were showing those signs of growing old and that I felt I must return to the church, Bethel Christian, that I had been reared and nurtured so that I would be in worship service with them. Through those declining years it was still Rev. Charlton who would check on me and I kept him, Rev. Vincent Dial and Rev. Lattany always as the front runners for my prayer and intercessory requests to God before I turned to my fellow deacons and deaconesses at church. It was Rev. Charlton, Rev. Dial, and Rev. Lattany who were the officiants at the homegoing services for all five of the "elder relatives" who spent their last years in my home before being called home between 1990-2010. Although none were there the entire 20 years, it was still 20 years of

care giving and juggling a career, motherhood, grand-parenting, and being a daughter and wife! There were many nights that Rev. Charlton prayed fervently for me and as a confidant, he truly understood that role. It was with a great jubilant spirit that I returned to Friendship Baptist Church almost a year ago as a member; yet, although much more frail, "Rev" welcomed me back into the fellowship and it was that feeling of "home at last" as though I had never left! Oh, how blessed I have been to have been a part of two congregations where I was nurtured and fed! So as the tears fall among the family, friends, congregants, colleagues and students who will definitely miss him, may each take solace in knowing that they had the privilege of knowing a true disciple of Jesus Christ and take each lesson learned and pass it on. Rest in the presence of the Most Holy One, the Rev. Dr. C. H. Charlton, and may your legacy live on so that we, too, may continue to follow in your footsteps (very large ones) and when we answer that call which all of us will hear, we too may "sing and dance with the angels" as we shake hands and hugs once again. Hallelujah! Amen!!!

Clara Faye Hart Rutledge - January 24, 2020 at 12:52 PM

VC

“*RIP Rev. You have the most beautiful soul I have ever met. I will miss your hugs and talks in the hallway at Northeast. Thank you for the privilege of being a part of my life. I will see you again my friend. Condolences to the family, he will be missed by many.*

Vicki Cordero



Vicki Cordero - January 24, 2020 at 10:46 AM

HF

“ *Howie Kemper & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Howie Kemper & Family - January 24, 2020 at 10:45 AM

HF

“ *Many great sermons, many memories and beyond, you'll always be remembered and WE'LL ALWAYS YOU! Rest In Heavenly Peace, Dad!!!!*



Howie Kemper & Family

Howie Kemper & Family - January 24, 2020 at 10:45 AM

SW

“ *Steve/Susan Wagner sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Steve/Susan Wagner - January 24, 2020 at 10:24 AM

TB

“ To the family and many friends of Dr. Charlton please accept my deepest sympathies for your loss. He made a positive impact on my life forever. His gentle kindness and loving spirit will never be forgotten. He was a professor of mine many years ago and I felt truly blessed to get to know this amazing man. May God's wonderful grace bring you all peace and strength in the coming days. Heaven is celebrating.



Teresa Blackburn

Teresa Blackburn - January 24, 2020 at 09:50 AM

WH

“ With Love, Friends & Colleagues, AFL-CIO Adv Hub purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton.



With Love, Friends & Colleagues, AFL-CIO Adv Hub -
January 24, 2020 at 09:40 AM

IG

“ Irene Greer lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Irene Greer - January 24, 2020 at 09:35 AM

RB

“ *Roxanne Bowen lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Roxanne Bowen - January 24, 2020 at 09:05 AM

JP

“ *Janice Phillips lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Janice Phillips - January 24, 2020 at 08:09 AM

JA

“ *Edna Scott family*



Jaymon - January 23, 2020 at 10:59 PM

JA

“ *Jaymon lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Jaymon - January 23, 2020 at 10:58 PM

DD

“ *Delores Delaney lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Delores Delaney - January 23, 2020 at 10:16 PM

DE

“ *Delores Delan Ey lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Delores Delan ey - January 23, 2020 at 10:15 PM

JL

“ *Julia Anderson/ Letcher lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Julia Anderson/ Letcher - January 23, 2020 at 09:46 PM

RH

“ *Robert Hall lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Robert Hall - January 23, 2020 at 06:50 PM

FC

I didn't know Dr Charlton. However, I do know his Brother Byron. If Byron is any indication of the family than I'm sure Dr. Charlton was a good man. May he Rest In Peace and May God grant his family comfort during this difficult time.

Frank Carelli - January 23, 2020 at 09:02 PM

GH

Lit a candle of Dr C H . Charlton

George Hughes - January 24, 2020 at 02:58 AM

“ Brother Charlton was a great inspiration and a mentor to me. He always had time to give very valuable advice to me as a NSCC Instructor, and as a fellow Pastor. I always enjoyed his "Think About It" emails he wrote each week. Below is one such email, written on his 53rd Wedding Anniversary, July 2013. Mrs. Charlton, I hope this is a blessing to you. We are praying for you.

Ray Allen and family

FIFTY-THREE YEARS AND STILL IN LOVE...

We sometimes think permanence is negative. That's not true because we should remain with what works. My wife and I are celebrating 53 years of marriage today and I love her more each day. When provided the time to love, encourage and express kindness to loved ones we must use it wisely and lift as many people as we can.

Let's look at what time does.

Time:

- 1. Cements relationships*
- 2. Gives the opportunity to forget the unnecessary, while remembering those events that brighten our day*
- 3. Provides the opportunity to evaluate the joys of life that are greater in number than our sorrows*
- 4. Opens our emotions to the noontday events that excite and invigorate us, while relaxing them in the somber times of reflection and strategizing*
- 5. Changes hair color, while enriches the love that is in the heart*
- 6. Allows us to look over our shoulders and remember our beginnings with joy and peace*

7. Provides the corrective lenses of retrospection that heighten the joys of today and the expectations for tomorrow

8. Measures where we have been and provides an opportunity to conquer worlds presently unknown to us

9. Makes us grateful for joyful relationships and opportunities to serve others

10. Makes our careers more meaningful and adds value to our love for the human race

Think About It!

“Rev”

Ray Allen - January 23, 2020 at 06:43 PM

SA

“ Thank you for being a friend and For all you’ve done for me and my family thank you I Will miss you Decon Adams and Family



sidney adams - January 23, 2020 at 06:42 PM

NS

“ REV. CHARLTON WILL TRULY BE MISED. MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT HIS LOVE ONES @ THIS TIME. LOVE TO ALL OF THE FAMILY. NANCY S.(SKINS) POSEY

Nancy S.Posey - January 23, 2020 at 06:08 PM

NS

“ *Nancy S.Posey lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Nancy S.Posey - January 23, 2020 at 06:00 PM

WJ

“ *Wilma Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Wilma Jenkins - January 23, 2020 at 05:41 PM

MF

“ I am truly saddened to learn of "Rev's" passing from our lives into the arms of the God he so truly loved! He was a joy to know, and a friend to all and will be sorely missed. He was truly my rock in times of sadness as well as a friend to celebrate with me during the joyful times. Those who believe prayer is no longer in schools never knew the Rev. I cannot count the many, many times he paused with me at my request for a word of prayer on my way to class or as I was heading home. Heaven surely has a wonderful voice in their choir now.

My deepest condolences to the family, all of you will be lifted in my prayers for you to find comfort in your memories as you grieve his passing, but you celebrate his life with joy and Thanksgiving, as we all should. Peace be with you.

*Maggie Flint
Math Department, Northeast State*

Maggie Flint - January 23, 2020 at 05:12 PM

CR

“ Clara Faye Hart Rutledge sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Clara Faye Hart Rutledge - January 23, 2020 at 04:34 PM

CC

“ Dr. "Rev" Charlton had so much GOOD to share with us all at Northeast State. At his retirement, we told him that we wanted to be LIKE HIM when we grow up!
Cindy Christian

Cindy Christian - January 23, 2020 at 04:31 PM

RD

“ Wonderful man, filled with God's love which he freely shared to all. Ruth Davis



Ruth Davis - January 23, 2020 at 03:58 PM

RL

“ My prayers and thoughts are with the family during this time of grief and sorrow.

*A friend and co-worker of Rev. Charlton's at Northeast State,
Rita Lay*

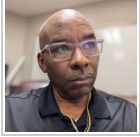
Rita W Lay - January 23, 2020 at 03:46 PM

LB

“ Lynn & Rayetta Bachman lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Lynn & Rayetta Bachman - January 23, 2020 at 03:46 PM



“ Gonna miss phone calls from you. I learned a great deal from you at Northeast State. From now on, while on this earth, I will WWRD! (What Would Rev Do?)

Anthony Adams - January 23, 2020 at 03:38 PM



“ Condolences to family and friends. 🙏

James and Frances Bass



Frances Bass - January 23, 2020 at 03:30 PM



“ LB sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



LB - January 23, 2020 at 02:05 PM



“ Prayers for the family of this wonderful man.



Darlene Goodlett - January 23, 2020 at 01:42 PM

MW

“ *Mary Welsh lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Mary Welsh - January 23, 2020 at 01:36 PM

MW

John 14:3

Mary Welsh - January 23, 2020 at 01:48 PM

CT

“ *Connie Thompson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Connie Thompson - January 23, 2020 at 01:29 PM

JC

“ *Janice And Fred Cash sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Janice and Fred Cash - January 23, 2020 at 12:19 PM

CF

“ *Carla Forney lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Carla Forney - January 23, 2020 at 11:50 AM

EB

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Elaine Brady - January 23, 2020 at 11:48 AM

SW

“ *Stacie Workman sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Stacie Workman - January 23, 2020 at 11:18 AM

GB

“ *GEORGE & Patricia Bristol sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



GEORGE & Patricia Bristol - January 23, 2020 at 11:16 AM

AS

“ *Andre Stevens lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Andre Stevens - January 23, 2020 at 10:27 AM

PS

“ *A true modern era apostle of the Lord. We were always lifted by his Christian spirit and his loving prayers. We pray for his family at this time.*
Paul and Nancy Stanton

Paul and Nancy Stanton - January 23, 2020 at 09:58 AM

LB

“ *Lee & Lydia Bridwell sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Lee & Lydia Bridwell - January 23, 2020 at 09:22 AM

NG

“ *Nancy Greenlee sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton*



Nancy Greenlee - January 23, 2020 at 09:11 AM

CB

“ Charles Buford lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Charles Buford - January 23, 2020 at 08:48 AM

CB

Rev have been a wondeful friend and i will miss U

Charles Buford - January 23, 2020 at 08:51 AM

MD

“ Melvin Drumgoole sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Melvin drumgoole - January 23, 2020 at 08:21 AM

GF

“ Gary & Moricina Fain sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Gary & Moricina Fain - January 23, 2020 at 08:17 AM



“ Pamela Renea sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Pamela Renea - January 23, 2020 at 06:06 AM



“ Shaunita Chopin lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Shaunita Chopin - January 23, 2020 at 05:01 AM



“ Pauline Douglas lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles Hayes Charlton



Pauline Douglas - January 22, 2020 at 11:00 PM



Dr Charlton was a great leader in our town. He was very special inspiration as how all men should live their lives.

Jerry d jones - January 23, 2020 at 07:17 PM