



## Charlie Linwood Fowler II

March 25, 1942 - July 15, 2020

Charlie Linwood Fowler II, 78, of 104 West 6th South Street, Summerville, SC died Wednesday, July 15, 2020, after battling Parkinson's.

Charlie was born in Florence, SC, a son of the late Ocie Ola Fowler and Louise Ferguson Fowler. He graduated from McClenaghan High School in Florence and earned a bachelor's degree from Wofford College after serving two years in the United States Navy with his last assignment aboard the USS Theodore E. Chandler (DD717). While at Wofford, he was captain of the tennis team and a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

He was a faithful member of Bethany United Methodist Church in Summerville, past president of the Summerville Exchange Club, a member of the Sertoma Club, tennis pro at George Miler Country Club, and a Gamecock Club member and football season ticket holder for 40 years. In addition to being known for his tennis skills and support to athletics at the University of South Carolina, Charlie loved spending time at his place on Seabrook Island and jogging through the streets of Summerville. He was known and respected throughout the Low Country for his work in the concrete business, having served as a salesman and plant manager for several companies from 1978 until his retirement in 2016.

Perhaps his proudest accomplishment was being an absolutely wonderful grandfather to Ben, Hayden, Jennings and Matthew Charlie Fowler.

Charlie was preceded in death by his parents and by a sister, Josephine "Jo" Carroll Gregg.

Surviving are his two sons., Everett "Rett" Linwood Fowler and Benjamin Chad Fowler, and daughter- in-laws Joanne Jennings Fowler and Lisa Mutispaugh Fowler, all of Summerville; a sister, Dotty (Rowland) Eskridge of St. Mary's, GA; a brother, Bill (Lois) Fowler, of Greensboro, NC; the aforementioned four grandsons; six nieces; and four nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to American Parkinson Disease Association 135 Parkinson Ave. Staten Island, NY 10305 or [www.SpecialOlympics.org](http://www.SpecialOlympics.org) 1133 19th Street NW 12th Floor Washington, DC 20036-3604.

A Gathering of family and friends will be held on Saturday, July 18, 2020 from 5 o'clock to 7 o'clock at James A. Dyal Funeral Home 303 South Main Street Summerville, SC 29483. Funeral services will be Sunday, July 19, 2020 at 4 o'clock at Bethany United Methodist Church 118 West Third South Street Summerville, SC 29483.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at [www.jamesadyal.com](http://www.jamesadyal.com).

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843)873-4040.

# Previous Events

## Gathering of Friends & Family

JUL 18. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home  
303 S. Main Street  
Summerville, SC 29483  
(843) 873-4040  
<https://www.jamesadyal.com>

## Funeral Service

JUL 19. 4:00 PM (ET)

Bethany United Methodist Church  
118 W. 3rd S. Street  
Summerville, SC 29483

# Tribute Wall



“ James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Charlie Linwood Fowler II



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**James A Dyal Funeral Home** - July 17, 2020 at 09:52 AM

NW

*A beautiful pictorial tribute to Charlie. With Deepest Sympathy to Chad, Rett and family. May God's love bring you comfort at this difficult time. Thoughts and prayers from my family to yours.  
Sincerely, Nancy Ward*

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**Nancy W. Ward** - July 20, 2020 at 11:35 AM



“ Charlie Linwood Fowler II

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September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM

DK

“ *Many thoughts and prayers for you Rhett, Chad and Family. I have many memories of your Dad. He was a wonderful man. ... Dawn Harvey Kirkpatrick and Harry G. Harvey, Jr.*

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**Dawn Harvey Kirkpatrick** - July 29, 2020 at 04:12 PM

BH

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of Charlie. I know that he was a great Father, Grandfather and friend. Many thoughts and prayers for you, Rhett, Chad and your families.

*Brenda W. Harvey*

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**Brenda W. Harvey** - July 29, 2020 at 04:09 PM

RW

“ Always enjoyed going by the Concrete plant and talking with Charlie about sports & the local events taking place. I wish the family my condolences during this difficult time.

*Bob Welborn*

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**Robert C Welborn** - July 24, 2020 at 10:24 AM

ME

“ The pictorial tribute to Charlie was so great. He was my brother in law for many years and we did have some fun, crazy times! The George Miler tennis pictures and the ones with his buddies brought back memories. His most important ones, though, were the ones with his loves, Rett, Chad, Ben, Haydie, Jennings and Matthew. He loved them so! He will be missed!

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**Marsha Emanuel** - July 23, 2020 at 03:02 PM

TR

“ Love your tribute. Heaven definitely gained a light that will be missed here in Summerville. Although it's been a couple years since I've seen Charlie, I found myself thinking of him often when I saw someone running past our office on Richardson. Over the years, he would pop in with a question on his insurance or help looking into a medication. We became friends as we commiserated over the heat, (I couldn't believe he could run in it!!) and he always brightened my day as we shared stories of his grandsons and my kids and their baseball games. Such a great great man. You will be missed here Charlie! You leave a wonderful legacy, even if you were a Gamecock. ;). Lifting you all in prayer. Please let us know if you ever need anything.

Tracy Wilder  
Hibbits Insurance

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Tracy - July 22, 2020 at 12:08 PM

BA

“ "OOOH CHARLIE!" i sure will miss this man. i met him before there were any grandkids, my son was a year old when i started cleaning for him,so it has been 25 years! what a wonderful soul he was. my heart goes out to chad, rett, ben, hayden, and each and every one of u, he sure loved his family! so sorry i missed the services. keep the memories close they will get u thru. thinking of u all...  
love always,,brenda altman



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brenda altman - July 21, 2020 at 08:03 AM

DL

“ Thinking of you all!! David LeNoir

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David LeNoir - July 17, 2020 at 09:05 PM

PL

“ *The video is awesome.....thinking of you all with love....Patti LeNoir*

Patti LeNoir - July 17, 2020 at 08:57 PM

HI

“ *We will miss Charlie. He would often drop by to see us on his walks in downtown Summerville. Also happy and in good spirits. I know that he has had an impact on many lives. A great man.*

*Jack Hibbits, Tracy Wilder And Cathy Roberts of Hibbits Insurance*

Hibbits Insurance - July 17, 2020 at 06:28 PM



“ *101 files added to the album LifeTributes*



James A Dyal Funeral Home - July 17, 2020 at 09:40 AM

PZ

*My sincere sympathy , Family, in the loss of dear CHARlie. Those early tennis days at Timrod were the best! He was like my protector/brother growing up. He could make me laugh like nobody else. May GOD strenghen & bless each of you in your loss.With love, Prissy Zeigler-Croft*

prissy Zeigler-Croft - July 17, 2020 at 01:55 PM

CC

“ Rhett, Chad and all the family----Very saddened to hear of Charlie's passing. +Such a wonderful neighbor. May GOD bless and comfort all the family. Clay and Judy

Clay Cranford - July 16, 2020 at 10:37 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charlie Linwood Fowler II.



July 16, 2020 at 12:12 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Charlie Linwood Fowler II.



July 16, 2020 at 10:19 AM

MF

“ Rhett, Joanne, Chad, Lisa and boys, We were so sorry to hear about Charlie's passing. He was such a kind man who always had a smile on his face. Please know we will be praying for you all during this difficult time. Love in Christ, Maynard and Phyllis Floyd

maynard floyd - July 15, 2020 at 05:25 PM

SG

“ Kevin and my condolences go out to everyone that knew this truly lovable and wonderful person. Uncle Charlie will dearly be missed and he will never be forgotten. I will never forget your laughter or your smile!!

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**sharon grant** - July 15, 2020 at 04:27 PM

CG

“ We are so very sorry to hear this. Sending condolences to Rett, Joanne, Chad and Lisa, and families. Such fond memories of Mr. Charlie.

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**Camilla Groome** - July 15, 2020 at 03:45 PM