



# Charles Emanuel Amzibel

AUG 21, 1958 - MAY 18, 2019



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**C**harles Emanuel Amzibel aka Dr. Chuck Stevens, 60, of Clearwater, FL passed away May 18, 2019. He is survived by his wife, Teresa; sister, Sylvia; brother, Ed; father and mother-in-law, Charles and Barbara; sister-in-law, Cheryl; brother-in-law, Chas and nieces and nephews; along with his musical family and community. He was born in Ashtabula, Ohio, August 21, 1958 and graduated from Harbor High School in 1976. Chuck served in the U.S. Coast Guard and was an accomplished musician/singer/songwriter and was a well-known On Air Radio Personality in the Tampa Bay area for over 40 years. He also had a syndicated radio show “Breakfast With The Beatles” across the United States and has been heard recently on RadioStPete.com with “Dr. Chuck Stevens Anything Goes Rock and Roll Party” and “The Beatles Yesterday and Today”. He fought a long hard battle of Head and Neck Cancer. Donations may be made to H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute, <https://moffitt.org/give>. Visitation will be Tues, May 28, 5PM with a Celebration of Life Service starting at 7PM, at the funeral home, 693 S. Belcher Rd, Clearwater, FL 33764.




# Events

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## Visitation

 **Tuesday**, May 28, 2019

 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

 **Moss Feaster Funeral Home and Cremation Services - Clearwater**

693 South Belcher Road, Clearwater FL 33764



## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

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**Moss Feaster Funeral Home & Cremation Services** shared a **Video**.



May 25 at 8:52 AM



**Sylvia Amzibel** posted:

Charles EMANUEL Amzibel was my baby brother. He was my live baby doll. He was my model for a fashion show when I was in junior high. He was 3 years old. He would tell everyone I put him on stage first. I miss him. So does his son Eric and his granddaughter.

January 9 at 10:17 AM



**Virginia Zagar** posted:

First let me extend my deepest sympathy to Teresa . My heart goes out to you. Chuck fought a hard battle with cancer and you were there until the end. That's love. It was heartbreaking to hear of his passing. It just didn't seem real. His life's journey ended too soon. I became acquainted with Chuck through my daughter, Kim Zagar Mendoza listening to Breakfast with the Beatles, attending the car shows and various events he hosted. She was so thrilled to have found someone who could share her love of the Beatles and so excited to have anything Beatles in her possession and Chuck did his best to please. The last time I recall seeing Chuck was when he and Teresa flew out to CA for Kim's wedding. He was the emcee at her reception The tape Kim had made would not play on the system and Chuck had to improvise. I might add he did a great job and it was a night to remember. I will close with these sentiments.... Life is a journey of sweetness and sorrow, Of yesterday's memories and hopes for tomorrowOf pathways we choose and detours we face With patience and humor, courage and grace,Of joy that we're shared and people we've met,Who touch us in ways we will never forgetVirginia A. Zagar

June 1 at 7:43 AM



**Love, Your Teco It Team** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Amzibel family.



May 28 at 4:43 AM



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**Kim Mendoza** posted:

It's been hard to find the right words to express my feelings, but here goes. I met Chuck in 1994 through his Breakfast with the Beatles radio show on then oldies station U92. An awkward teenager of 16 who was crazy about the Beatles, I bucked up the courage to call in one Sunday and inquire about a 30th year anniversary 45 record that had been issued but couldn't be found in stores. He told me to meet up with him at a car show at the Brandon Checkers he hosted on Tuesdays, and he'd take care of me. I did, and he just gave me the record...the rest is history. That was Chuck. My Beatle buddy. I still have that 45, framed and in its plastic. Life and God have a strange way of connecting, disconnecting and reconnecting people for reasons we don't always understand. Fast-forward to 2005/2006. I was in the planning stages of my wedding, and we somehow connected again through the wonders of the internet. He and Teresa came out to California, where I was living at the time, and he emcee'd our reception. I'm so glad they were there on one of the most important days of my life. And thank you for sending flowers and visiting (and for Teresa's hard work cross-stitching the birth statistics) when our son Matthew was born. That meant a lot. I'll always remember the fun times with Chuck and Teresa – our dual (both belated) honeymoon cruise to the Caribbean, annual Horror Nights adventures and dinner get togethers. I miss those times so much but am thankful to have the memories to cherish. I never imagined the end of Chuck's life would come this soon. I'll miss his quick wit and wicked sense of humor. Most of all, I'll just miss him. To Teresa: My heart is broken and hurting for you. You are in my prayers and have my deepest sympathy. You're an incredibly strong woman. To Chuck: Not going to say goodbye. I know I'll see you again. Thanks for 26 years of friendship here on this earth. Love you always, your Beatle bud Kim. As Chuck would always close out Breakfast with the Beatles: "It's nice to be important, but it's more important to be nice. Success is the best revenge. Fight for what you believe in, and don't ever let them tell you no."

May 21 at 3:52 PM



**Christine Aiosa** posted:

I was so Blessed to have the chance to work with Chuck and enjoy many events with him. Anyone who met Chuck was touched by his charm and generosity. He always left a lasting impression. My thoughts and Prayers will continue to be with Teresa and her family. Way too soon Chuck, you were never too early for anything. Miss and Love you Hon.

May 25 at 2:45 PM



**Christine Aiosa** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Amzibel family.



May 25 at 2:31 PM



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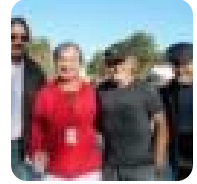
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**Al Cajon** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Doc was a down to earth guy and will be missed RIP my friend

May 25 at 1:40 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Amzibel family.

May 24 at 2:59 AM



**Michelle Arnold** shared 2 photos to the **Dr Chuck friend photos** album.

May 23 at 3:55 PM



**Carla Clemente** lit a candle in honor of Charles.

Chuck, You truly were a one of a kind guy. A great friend that I am grateful to have known throughout the years. I can't believe you're gone, you will be missed! Don't worry we won't dwell on your passing, but celebrate the life that was...Dr. Chuck Stevens! I love ya buddy, RIP. Carla ( your Staples buddy)

May 23 at 3:19 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Lavender Reflections Spray to the Amzibel family.

May 23 at 10:58 AM





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AH

**Alan House** posted:

My Sympathy and Prayers go out to Teresa and family. Everytime I hear a Jan and Deansong I remember the time Chuck offered to get the cover autographed for me. The next time I here Jan and Dean I will remember Chuck and the good person he was. Rest In Peace. Alan House

May 23 at 6:05 AM

SA

**Sylvia Amzibel** January 9 at 10:04 AM

I am Chuck's sister, Sylvia. Just wanted to say I miss him very much and not a day goes by that I don't want to call him. His wife Teresa has not contacted his family since he passed. Chuck was also survived by a Son, Eric G. and a granddaughter.

BB

**Bill Burnett** posted:

I did not know Charles, but spent several years in the broadcasting arena as a news reporter. I switched my career to law enforcement later in life. I will be there on the 28th paying tribute to a professional fellow broadcaster. I pray he Rests In Peace. Bill Burnett

May 23 at 1:50 AM

LY

**Lynne** posted:

Dr. Chuck...such an awesome DJ. A great friend. The Beatles will never sound the same. Love you my friend Rest In Peace. Great memories...will never forget being on the stage with Jan and Dean.

May 22 at 5:57 PM

TO

**Tommyb** posted:

MY PRAYERS go out to Teresa, and Austin. Back in the day we did many shows together. I remember laughing a lot, It was a combined passion of the 4 of us to do benefit shows, when someone was in need Chuck would put on some kind of show to help. We even had a motor home to use as a dressing room. ( don't remember how we got that) When I did my first recording he was right there to help me promote it. Time went by and we lost touch, Thank you Austin or remembering to contact me. He was a true friend, I will relive the fun times we had and smile when I hear his name, Tommy B.....

May 22 at 4:07 PM



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**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Amzibel family.



May 22 at 3:58 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Amzibel family.



May 22 at 3:55 PM



**Mary Lou Bartlett** posted:

I met Chuck when he was on U92. My daughter was a patient at All children's hospital. He was doing a benefit for the hospital. He brought my precious little girl on stage and said this little girl and so many others is why we are all here. We became great friends. I will miss our late night chats. He will forever hold a special place in my heart. Luv u Chuck. I'll see you again !!

May 22 at 3:07 PM



**Tyco Welch** posted:

I've only know Chuck for a little over three years but he became a fast friend! He sang my favorite song for me at my wedding. He honored me by playing a Halloween costume party I hosted. I will miss his smile and friendship! Rest in peace my dear friend!

May 22 at 2:22 PM



**David Wright** posted:

I first met Dr, Chuck at Staples many years ago. We stuck up a conversation and amazing how we ran in similar circles and knew many of the same people. We got to call a mutual friend and setup a nice lunch all together. Always a smile, a good laugh and forever a solid friend. It was fun taking photos of bands for you. Next time I go to Frenchies and when I order crab fries will be a salute to you! Chuck you were a close friend, a great talent. Your friend getting us V.I.P seats for Sammy Hagggar was a great night. One of my favorite photos last year was with Lita Ford when you got me a press pass. R.I.P my friend!

May 22 at 11:53 AM



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**Rodney Rodriguez** posted:

Chuck who i considered the brother i never had,i new for almost 40 years. I was his friend and confidant. I worked with him on many projects. Met many celebrities that otherwise would never had met. He had a heart the size of Texas. Always willing to give without a moments notice. A super sense of humor and never saying no to lend you a hand. I'm sure he is playing music with all the best right now. God broke my heart to prove to me he only takes the best. RIP my brother.

May 22 at 11:39 AM



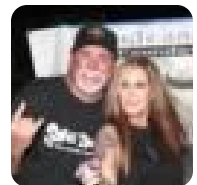
**Rodney Rodriguez** lit a candle in honor of Charles.



May 22 at 11:27 AM



**David Wright** shared a photo to the **Dr Chuck friend photos** album.



May 22 at 11:12 AM



**Lee Benton** lit a candle in honor of Charles.

The greatest memory of my dear friend Chuck Stevens is when I had the honor of praying with him and his beautiful wife Tereasa and leading them both to Jesus Christ. It was such a wonderful moment in time, watching the tears and sincerity of his heart. We have great memories of a long friendship...Chuck was such a thoughtful generous man.... I will never forget the time he was able to get me and all of my friends in to see the concert of the Beach Boys while they were playing in Florida....it was such a memorable time. I love him dearly & will miss my Brother Chuck, but no in my heart I will see him again in Heaven.



May 22 at 8:15 AM



**Bonnie Games** May 22 at 1:52 PM

PTL. and thank you Lee Benton. This life is all about being ready for eternity with our Heavenly Father 🙏❤️ Blessings to all that knew and loved Chuck. Continued thoughts and prayers from another friend in Central Ohio.



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SS

**Scott Signorini** sent a virtual gift in honor of Charles.

Fair winds and following seas my friend.

May 22 at 5:49 AM



ST

**Star** posted:

Chuck was a legend in the industry and made so many of us Happy with his charm and wit. God bless you and your family and may they find comfort and peace knowing that so many people respected you and appreciated you. God's speed, see you on the flip side.

May 22 at 5:43 AM

BO

**Bonnie** lit a candle in honor of Charles.

My sympathy for Teresa, family and friends. Chuck touched many with his heart felt smiles. Happy memories of the Brandon Car Shows at Checkers in the late 1990's. Dearly missed he is. His smiles he gave keep on giving as he lives on through the memories of many. Bonnie

May 22 at 5:06 AM



EC

**Elizabeth Chase** posted:

Chuck, you were always there with a joke and a smile. That amazing voice putting everyone at ease and yet ramping up the party. And still, just relaxing and bragging about your cat carrying his brush to be groomed. I miss you already. Love for Teresa and all those left behind laughing and crying with memories of you.

May 22 at 4:48 AM

MA

**Marvin** posted:

I've known and worked with Chuck before he was a "Dr." I first worked with him in 1982 at WPSO FM in New Port Richey. He was Chuck "Sassler" then. I knew he got the name from The Steakhouse in Ashtabula Ohio because I was from Madison a small town near there. He loved Music and Radio as much as I did. He touched a lot of people with his knowledge and passion. He will be missed.

May 22 at 2:36 AM



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**Alex Franchi** posted:

I've known Chuck through memorabilia collecting (I'm from Italy), he was always asking about my country and used to call me bro. Today I've lost a brother. Rest in peace Dr. C! Alex Franchi and Family

May 21 at 10:21 PM



**Bruce Turner** shared 4 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Had such a great time with Dr. Chuck at the Tacoma Freedom fair a few years ago. My wife Lavanda was able to be on stage with him. They are now both rockin it out in Heaven. Bruce Turner



May 21 at 3:52 PM



**Tony Alfano** posted:

Chuck was a larger than life great friend who will be greatly missed by many. We loved the same music and oldies groups and was kind enough to introduce me to The Beach Boys which was a childhood dream come true. Pizza and skyline Chilli were our foods of choice when we would get together before a show. He also suggested that The Dozers start a Beach Boys tribute act, which we did. Great idea Chuck. Still doing it. Chuck loved music and being on stage. He was a natural! He often would make up cds for me of collections of our favorite groups and music that didn't exist any where else. I will miss my friend but will always smile when I speak or hear his name. Keep spinning those records Chuck...it's a Rock and Roll Heaven up there.

May 21 at 8:10 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Glorious Memories Garland to the Amzibel family.



May 21 at 7:56 PM



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DM

**Don Mckenzie** posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss . He was taken from us way too soon. I will guarantee he's probably setting up his breakfast with the Beatles songs in heaven right now with John Lennon standing next to him giving him some pointers. Used to call me and say hey McKenzie when you gonna come on the show with me sometime and I'd say why are we going to play a block of the Eagles? He would laugh. I'm going to miss his laugh and sense of humor. I'm very proud of how he fought cancer and never complained. Love you Chuck the Doctor is in.Don McKenzie

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MB

**Mary Lou Bartlett** posted:

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May 21 at 5:07 PM

BF

**Barbara Fryer** posted:

This is a huge loss 😞 I met Chuck, we had a brief conversation and then it was like we were best friends..... I'm so sorry to his family that he is gone from our sights, but he will remain in our hearts always! 😞

May 21 at 4:39 PM

CF

**Chris Farmer** posted:

Ah, Dr. Chuckie., where to begin? I'll miss the loads of fun we had when I would come through town to play music and we'd have a get together. I think our first meet up was in the early 1980's. Wow! Mucho long time ago and way too many fun memories. Love to Teresa and his family from CA.Chris Farmer(Former Beach Boys and Jan & Dean Musical Director and bassist - Current keyboardist with Timothy B. Schmit of the Eagles)

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TS

**Teri Stephenson** posted:

Our deepest sympathies to all Chuck's family and friends...

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JR

**Jill Reilly** posted:

i am so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers go out to the family he will be deeply missed  
Jill and ken reilly

May 21 at 4:13 PM

BB

**Bobby Potter Satellite Beach, FL** posted:

I met Chuck in Las Vegas when he was managing the great show/ lounge band Phil Dirt and The Dozers. We had an instant connection. He was a true professional in all ways and had an unbelievable knowledge of how the music business was run. Whenever we met due to our travels, he always had a smile and handshake. A great personality and demeanor. My heartfelt condolences to the family. Bobby Potter, drummer for 1964 The Tribute.

May 21 at 3:56 PM

JB

**Jerry Burriss** posted:

ive known chuck for over 20 years i met him at a car show we became friends went on through car shows and into music lots of good times at ruth acard hall and with bowzer jan and dean joey dee the beach boys all the doo woop groups the list goes on we had lots of good times and fun he said when he got better we were oin to vegas and do some shows love you brother R.I.P.chuck jerry

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## Media

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Good times during Gasparilla 2009



Good times during Gasparilla 2008



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Dr. Chuck with Lita Ford



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Freedom Fair 2010



Freedom Fair 2010



Freedom Fair Veteran Booth



Freedom Fair 2010



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