



Mr. Charles E. Koney "Chuck"

October 8, 1925 - October 12, 2015

Charles E. Koney "Chuck" age 90 late of Orland Park, IL. Beloved husband of Lorraine M. nee Blonski. Loving father of Lynn (Ron) Smerek, Chuck (Patricia) Koney and Bonnie (Steve) Yergovich. Proud grandfather of Michael (Chrissy), Jami (Dan), Kelly (David), Kevin (Ashley), Shelly (Kenny) and Stacy (Adam). Great grandfather of 11. Caring brother of Lorraine R. Koney and Marion Koney. Memorial service Wednesday October 21, 2015 11:30 AM at St. Elizabeth Seton Church 9300 167th Street Orland Hills, IL. Interment is Private. In lieu of flowers donations to The Red Sox Foundation www.redsoxfoundation.org. For information on services, 708-532-1635 or www.vandenbergfuneralhome.com

Cemetery

Events

Private

OCT 21 **Mass of Christian Burial** 11:30AM - 12:15PM

IL,

St. Elizabeth Seton
9300 W. 167th Street, Orland Hills, IL, US, 60477

Comments



“ Mr. Koney was a good friend to my Dad, John, and my Uncle Steve. The friendships were cultivated through baseball and ran deep. Although, as a boy, I only saw him once a year at the Pitch and Hit baseball banquet, Chuck was one of the few that always remembered my name and talked to me. I last saw Chuck at my Dad's wake a few years ago and I know that it wasn't easy for him to get to Niles from the south side. My Mom was so happy to see him and he made her smile for a few moments. I will never forget this thoughtful, cheerful and friendly man. My condolences to the family, I'm sure that Chuck will be sorely missed.

Tom Vrablik - October 23 at 10:00 AM



“ Dear Lorraine and family. Just heard that Chuck died, so many happy thoughts through the years with the Hojnicky family. Joe's son, Joey, told me about Chuck. All the Hojnicky's of Chuck's time are gone too, Raymie died last year, don't know if any of you knew that. Thinking of all of you at this time, God Bless, Felicia Hojnicky (Fifi, Ray's wife)

Felicia Hojnicky - October 20 at 11:53 AM



“ My dear Koney family, I just heard about my dear, dear friend Chucks death. Please accept my deepest sympathies.
As you know Chuck signed me to my first Major League Baseball contract in 1952. I owed him a lot.
RIP my good friend. My condolences to Lorraine. and the rest of family.
Memory Eternal.



Eli Grba - October 19 at 04:22 PM



“ Dear Lorraine, Chuck, and Family,
I just thought I would send you all a little love letter about the many wonderful and fond memories of Chuck, and my dear cousin Lorraine, that I hold so close in my heart. During the summer, those many long years ago, I would spend a day or two of vacation time with my grandparents, my aunt Josie, Uncle Stanley, Lorraine, and her brother Bob. I called him Junior. Those happy days still glow in my memory.

I thought Lorraine was the most beautiful girl in the world, and the love of her life, Chuck (Charlie), the most handsome and charming. They were Cinderella, and Prince Charming in my life.

When they asked me to be in their wedding I was beyond happy and thrilled to be part of that wonderful day. During the days and years that have passed, almost seventy now, those memories have been ever present, and I am so grateful for them. I am sure Chuck has been admitted to the angelic lineup, and welcomed with open arms by all who were part of his life. I know he will be working miracles from heaven as we here on earth hold him close in our thoughts and prayers..

Well done Chuck, you have won the race, pray for us as we will pray for you.

Love, Cousin Yvonne Woulfe & Family

Yvonne Woulfe - October 18 at 08:59 PM