



Charles Samuel Frazier

June 22, 1933 - August 24, 2022

Charles Samuel Frazier who was known to so many as “Coach Frazier”, 89 years, passed away on Wednesday; August 24, 2022 in Madisonville, TX. His life will be celebrated at 11AM on Saturday; August 27, 2022 at Day Funeral Home Chapel in Madisonville, TX with Rev. Jim Jackson officiating. The visitation is scheduled to begin at 10AM prior to the service with a private family burial to follow at New Bethlehem Cemetery in Cut and Shoot, TX.

Charles was born June 22, 1933 in Glen Rose, TX to William Ervin and Bevie (Mathews) Frazier. He graduated from Pasadena High School, served in the United States Marine Corps, and graduated from Baylor University with a degree in accounting. After working many years as an accountant, he decided to change careers in 1967 to become a coach and a teacher, earning a master’s degree in education from Sam Houston State University. Charles coached high school in New Caney, TX and coached junior high in Madisonville, TX for 10 years before moving to the Klein Independent School District to teach and coach until he retired after 40 years in education. He and his wife, Lavonne, retired to Huntsville, TX where they were active members of University Heights Baptist Church.

In 1989, Charles battled leukemia and then had a relapse a year later that almost killed him. Doctors gave him a 5% chance of living more than 5 years. Only his faith, God’s grace, and his motivation kept the leukemia away for the next 33 years.

Coach Frazier was an avid jogger for more than 40 years and enjoyed weightlifting and exercising his entire life. His longest race was a marathon, and in 2015 at 81 years old, he completed the Fort Worth Cowtown Half Marathon in 30-degree weather. For the past 11 years, he swam laps an hour each day, weather permitting. While working in Madisonville and at Klein, Coach Frazier wrote 50 articles in coaching journals about football tackling and head injuries, as well as exercising. He was widely respected for his integrity, honesty, consideration of others, and love for his family.

Charles was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 50 years, Della Lavonne (Miller) Frazier; his parents; and his brother, Bill Frazier. He is survived by his sons and their wives, Greg and Angela Frazier of Burleson, TX and Stan and Melissa Frazier of Baytown, TX; his daughter and her husband, Anita and Steve Andrews of Madisonville, TX; his brother and his wife, Jerre and Lu Frazier of Kingwood, TX; his 8 grandchildren; and his 13 great grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers are: Chris Frazier, Rusty Andrews, Grant Frazier, Dillon Bright, Kyle Frazier, and Mark Frazier.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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