



Charlotte Boykin Fedro

September 7, 2011

Charlotte B. Fedro, 75, passed away at her home surrounded by friends and family after a valiant battle against Lou Gherig's disease. Born in Wendell, North Carolina, she was the daughter of the late John and Cula Boykin. She was a graduate of Cradock High School and dedicated employee of WAVY TV-10 for 35 years.

She was predeceased by a grandson, David John Christenbury and brothers, Lester, Carson and Jimmy Boykin.

She is survived by her loving husband, Roger, her daughter, Pamela and husband Mark, her daughter, Stephanie and husband, Brad, her granddaughter, Brooke and husband Ben, her grandson, Greyson and granddaughter Ally, her granddaughter, Ann Marie, her great-grandsons, Solomon and Calem Jenkins, her sisters, Kathleen Hinnant and Mae Breslauer, her brother, Jay Boykin and wife Silene, a very special friend, David Rogers and his family and her many beloved cousins, nieces, nephews and dear friends.

The family would like to give a special, loving thank you to Lou, Terri, Goldie, Nancy and Verlin, the team of physical therapists and staff at Sentara Belle Harbour and physicians and staff at the Riverside ALS Clinic who cared so gently and compassionately for Charlotte during her battle with ALS and our

heartfelt gratitude to all of our family and friends who have provided so much love and support during such a difficult time.

Charlotte will be remembered as a true Southern woman who until the very end put others before herself and who cherished her family and friends above all else.

A memorial service to celebrate her life will be held on Saturday, September 10 at Loving Funeral Home located at 3225 Academy Avenue in Portsmouth. Visitation will take place from 10:00-11:30am directly followed by the service. Donations may be made to the ALS Association DC/MD/VA chapter.

Tribute Wall



“ To Charlotte's family, I know your memories will help you be strong and I know you will miss Charlotte. I truly enjoyed getting to know Charlotte while working with her at WAVY TV. She was kind and generous and easy to talk to, she taught me a lot and we shared many lunches together in the break area. My prayers are with you and your family.

Sandra Wagner##imported-begin##Sandra Wagner##imported-end##

September 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We are thinking of you and your loving family during this difficult time. In the short time I got to know her, I felt moved by her spirit and love for her kids and grandkids. God bless you.##imported-begin##Julie and Tucker Freedy##imported-end##

September 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I am sitting here in Pittsburgh thinking about you and your whole family today. I am so happy you are surrounded by wonderful family and friends. Lots of Love, The Prettymans##imported-begin##Enid Prettyman##imported-end##

September 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ What a beautiful lady. She will be missed and remembered always. Peace and blessings to her family and friends.##imported-begin##Ruth Bradley##imported-end##

September 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Stephanie and Family,
I am so sorry to read about your mom's passing. She was a dear lady and I know you will miss her. I ran into her often in Churchland after you graduated from CHS. I hope that memories of happier times will help you through the grief you are feeling now.##imported-begin##Cydney Cavender##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Roger, Stephanie, Brad, Greyson, and Ally,

My deepest sympathy to you all for your loss. She was a great lady and I am so thankful to have met her this summer. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Esther##imported-begin##Esther Vespa##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ It was my pleasure to work with Charlotte at WAVY-TV. She was a sweet and supportive friend who left me with fond memories of our lunch times. May God bless her soul!##imported-begin##Dee-Dee Gee##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Roger and all -

Phyllis and I are so saddened to hear of Charlotte's passing. We know the battle she fought against ALS - we supported my old singing partner as his wife battled it. Charlotte will always be in our thoughts and prayers. She was a sweet and classy lady who I first met in October '83 - and my first impressions of her only got stronger thru the years. God bless her and you, her family.

Tom and Phyllis Harris##imported-begin##Tom Harris##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Roger, Stephanie and Family,

Charlotte was a very welcoming presence to me when I began my career at WAVY in 1982 fresh out of college. I can still see her warm smile and hear her sweet southern voice. She was a great co-worker and friend. I am blessed to have known her.

May you find comfort in each other and in your memories during this difficult time.

Love to all of you,

Denise, Mike and Joseph Mastrullo##imported-begin##Denise and Mike Mastrullo##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Roger and Stephanie, I am sending you hugs through my computer. I was so sorry to hear of Charlotte's illness and of her sudden passing. My thoughts and love are with you.##imported-begin##Melanie Reinoehl##imported-end##

September 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We are holding you in prayer before the Throne of Grace. May the Lord touch you at the point of your deepest need. With His love ~ the Andrisons##imported-begin##The Andrisons##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ What a wonderful lady she was. I am grateful to have had the chance to know her.##imported-begin##Rob Lewis##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Charlotte, I love you so much! You were like a Grandmother to me my entire life and nothing in this world can make me forget your amazing smile and hospitality. You pushed me to strive for my dreams. And now I am doing all of these wonderful things for you and David John. I love you and I miss you terribly already##imported-begin##Brittany Moran##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We have shared so many happy times that Archie and I will never forget! We love you and you will always be in our hearts!
<3<3###imported-begin##Diane & Archie Gustin##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ There is not enough words to express how much Mrs. Charlotte will be missed. Your kind spirit and encouraging words you would always give to my family is priceless. You always would tell Elaine to keep following her dreams and she is sticking to those words everyday. Mr. Roger you will always have us by your side and the love that we have for you guys will never die. God Bless you and missing you always Mrs. Charlotte my wonderful neighbor###imported-begin##Cassie Bass##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I am truly going to miss the friendship that Charlotte and I will always have. After my husband passed away God really sent an Angel to me when you guys moved across the street from me. Perfect timing and those memories I will remember for life. Roger we will always continue to be there for you as we always are for one another. Love you dearly!###imported-begin##Deborah Bass##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Stephanie, Brad, Ally and Greyson,
All our love and thoughts are with you during this difficult time.
Anything we can do to help please do not hesitate to ask. Jane,
Matt, Eliza and James##imported-begin##The Harbaugh
family##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Fedro family at this difficult
time. I had the pleasure of working with Charlotte while at WAVY.
She will be missed by many.##imported-begin##Susie
Kovach##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We send our condolences to the family of a wonderful woman. It
was our pleasure to have met her when our son Ryan married her
niece Lauren. We always enjoyed her company at family
gatherings. We will miss not seeing her when her family comes to
NC for family visits. God bless and our prayers are with you
all.##imported-begin##Dennis & Carol Egan##imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *When I first came to WAVY in 1980, Charlotte was one of the first people to give me a heartfelt welcome and her unconditional support through some challenging times. I will be forever grateful for her kindness and loyalty during my 9 years there.*

My heart and prayers go out to her family and friends during this time of grief. May the Lord bless you and wrap His loving arms around you.

I thank God for the friendship of this wonderful, special lady.

Mike McGrew###imported-begin##Mike McGrew###imported-end##

September 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Stephanie and Brad,*

I am so sorry to learn of your loss. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Bridget Murray###imported-begin##Bridget Murray###imported-end##

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