



## Mr. Frederick William Sterchi III

November 14, 1934 - November 7, 2013

Mr. Frederick William Sterchi, III, age 78 of Orlando, Florida passed away on Thursday, November 7, 2013 in Orlando, Florida. Mr. Sterchi was born on November 14, 1934 in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Arrangements are entrusted to DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory, 9001 N. Orlando Avenue, Maitland, Florida 32751. (407) 695-CARE(2273).

# Tribute Wall

FR

“ 11 files added to the album Memories Album



Frederick - November 07, 2021 at 03:32 PM

MM

“ From Talladega to Atlanta to Brainerd and points in between. We have memories that can never be replaced. The bag pipes will always be playing. Love The Miller's.

Michael A. Miller - November 12, 2013 at 05:52 PM

ME

“ So very sorry to hear of Fred's ;passing. We all loved him and have such fond memories of him living across the street from us here in Chattanooga. We want the entire family to know that we are praying for all of you in the difficult days ahead. With Love, Phyllis Faulkner, Madeline, TJ, and Justin Ellis.

Madeline Ellis - November 12, 2013 at 02:21 PM

BS

“ Sandra, Rick, Cindy & Tim & to all the rest. Sending prayers to all of you during this time. I have many fond memories & I always loved time spent with Fred & Sandra and the gang. Rick, I love the wall of pics you posted. Fun memories for all of y'all. Much love to you all.  
*Beth Satterfield'*

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**Beth Satterfield** - November 12, 2013 at 08:24 AM

CM

“ Rick and family, I was so sorry to get this notice of your fathers passing. Prayers to all of you for peace and healing. Godspeed.  
*Charlene Jabaley Martin*

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**Charkene Martin** - November 12, 2013 at 06:05 AM

TH

“ So sorry to hear about the legendary Frederick Sterchi! Such a handsome friendly and smart man! Love to you all.

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**tamara mccuiston harp** - November 11, 2013 at 06:05 PM

MO

“ My heart and prayers are with you.love all of you Marty

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**marty ottinger** - November 11, 2013 at 04:01 PM

JM

“ Rick, Kathy, Wil, and Race, sending you loving prayers for beautiful memories to carry you through this time of sadness. Every family makes a definite impact about us and I am certain each of you will carry his legacy well into the future. I know he was proud of all of you because you are just the kind of quality people that would make a dad and granddad proud!

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**Jadi Martin** - November 11, 2013 at 02:48 PM

MP

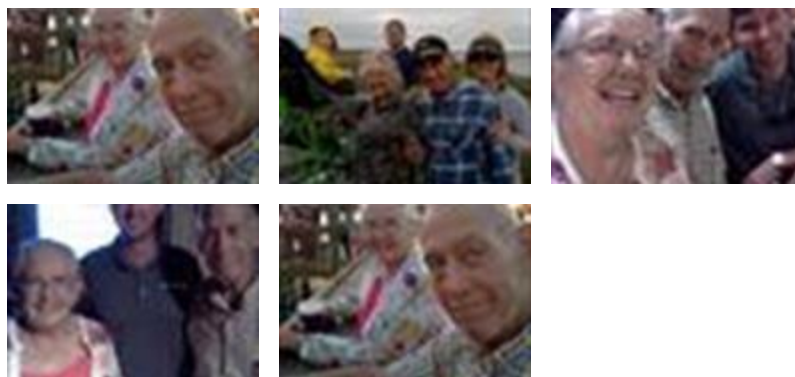
“ Love you more than I could ever put in words paw paw! You are the rock to this family! You are so deeply missed! I can't wait to hold your hand again one day. Life will never be the same without you, but I will hold you in my heart forever. Until we meet again <3

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**Mimi Pomeroy** - November 11, 2013 at 02:05 PM

 Rick Sterchi

“ 25 files added to the tribute wall



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**Rick Sterchi** - November 11, 2013 at 11:02 AM

 Rick Sterchi

*Click on the file to see Dads pictures*

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**Rick Sterchi** - November 11, 2013 at 02:38 PM

WC

*Praying for your family, Rick. We will see the loved ones again that have passed on before us. Love, Wendy and Chuck*

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**Wendy Cronon** - November 11, 2013 at 03:32 PM

FP

*We wish you strength in this difficult time and our prayers are with your family.  
Moore Family of dealerships.*

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**Frank Perrone** - November 11, 2013 at 04:25 PM

SS

“ Frederick William Sterchi III, age 78, Dies in Orlando, FL on November 7th 2013. Mr. Sterchi was a dairy man in Chattanooga, TN, an iron worker of local 704 and a lifetime resident of Chattanooga. He was Alhambra Shriner since 1969, a drummer for the Alhambra Highlander Bag Pipe Band, and drove the shrine bus for the hospitals. In the 40's and 50's he was a Championship winner in several contests at the Warner Park horse shows, and the owners of a Grand National Champion horse, "Copywrite." He is preceded in death by his father, Frederick W Sterchi, JR., his mother Muirtelle Ball Weitzel Sterchi, his brother James Robert Sterchi, and his sister, Nancy Sterchi Fry. He leaves behind his wife, Sandra Hollifield Sterchi, his two sons Frederick W Sterchi IV and Timothy Brentwood Sterchi, as well as his daughter, Cynthia Pomeroy Johnston. He also leaves behind 6 grandchildren and 5 great grand children. In honor of Frederick William Sterchi III, his son Rick wrote a tribute to him:

*"THESE HANDS"*

*"As I watch these hands grow old, I see a change to master. They still feel like they are 4, but 5 times bigger and 10 times faster.*

*These hands couldn't say a lot, but they have felt the toil of my labor, and acknowledged men of great favor.*

*These hands have gripped the rungs of higher places and learned to tie strings in lower cases.*

*These hands have felt the winds of time while climbing the cliffs of tomorrows, only to feel the pain of their misplaced judgments, while descending the rungs of opportunities they filled with tears of sorrow.*

*These hands; my eyes do boast; have held the miracles of life; God's given sons, and daughter, all the while giving praise to the father, to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.*

*Daily now I've viewed both sides' the front, the back, the opened wide. What a sight I see as these hands guide me through the brush, the rush and through the sea.*

*These hands have grasped the achievement of success, welcomed people from the past, and patted those who finished last.*

*These hands have given signals to show I cared and crossed there members in ways of hope, while despaired. These hands have flown in victory and knelled on knees in agony.*

*These hands have joined together in prayer, at last, to give worship and thanks for all my care.*

*These hands I depart as my days have gone by. In God's hands now is where I lie. His own son's hands a welcomed sight, have guided me to his great light.*

*Father, Son and Holy Ghost, these three hands I love the Most. AMEN."*

*-Rick Sterchi*

*Frederick W Sterchi, III is deeply loved and will be greatly missed by all of his family. We have planted a tangerine tree in the back yard of his home in his honor. As we watch this tree grow and flourish, we will be reminded of the wonderful, long and good life he loved and lived.*

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**Sandra Sterchi** - November 10, 2013 at 01:53 PM

MP

*Even though we technically are not considered in-laws anymore, You are the only Father -in-Law I have ever had on this earth. I respected you and admired you willingness to work hard and the way you loved you family. I thought the world of you Fred. Until we meet again. Rest in Peace my Friend!!*

*Mike Pomeroy SR.*

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**Mike Pomeroy** - November 14, 2013 at 03:57 PM