



## Charles Cmajdalka

September 27, 1941 - September 13, 2025

Charles Lambert Cmajdalka was born in Houston, TX on September 27, 1941 to the late Arnold Cmajdalka and Evelyn Burger. Charles passed away at his residence on September 13, 2025 after a lengthy illness, only 17 days after his wife Rose passed away.

Charles is survived by son Corey Cmajdalka of Sargent, TX; daughter Rachel Macha and husband Mark of East Bernard, TX; granddaughter Marissa Korenek and husband Jonah of Rosenberg, TX, along with great-granddaughter Theresa; sister Betty Hathorn and husband Jim; nephew Brent Hathorn, wife Anna and daughter Brooke; nephew Lane Hathorn, wife Shelby and sons Tucker and Tanner; and lastly Flash his kitty cat.

Charles was preceded in death by Rose Marie Cmajdalka, his wife of 63 years, father Arnold Cmajdalka and mother Evelyn Burger.

Charles grew up in Columbus, TX before moving to Rosenberg, TX. After his father had a serious illness, Charles started working during high school to support the family. Charles worked for Lamar Consolidated School District and finally retired after over 30 years of service. While working at LCISD, he also worked odd jobs, mainly pouring concrete, to provide for his family. After retiring, Charles continued working on his farm, which he truly loved. Charles' pride and joy was the farm in Flatonia. He tended his large garden of

watermelons, potatoes, and squash which provided a bounty that was shared with everyone he knew. He spent countless days there tending the garden, feeding the birds, deer hunting, watching wildlife from the back porch, trimming trails, tending to deer feeders, “harvesting dirt,” and searching for unusual rocks, fossils, and arrowheads. In addition to his garden at Flatonia, he tended to his garden at home and was always found working in his shop. Charles enjoyed attending gun and hunting shows and made no one a stranger. He was never one to pass up a side of the road treasure, a Whataburger sandwich, a bag of popcorn, or an apple pie. He enjoyed looking at the funnies (cartoons) in the newspaper and sharing the best ones with his granddaughter, Marissa. He loved sharing stories, neat rocks, and trips to the farm with Marissa and her husband, Jonah and visiting with great-granddaughter Theresa. To them, he was Popo. Every summer, Popo and Marissa could be found doing their annual back to school breakfast and their Aldi snack run. He was a very hard working man. There was no task too small when it came to those he loved. Whether it was lending a hand or picking potatoes for hours on his hands and knees in the summer heat, he did it with love.

In lieu of flowers, please contribute to Texas Parks and Wildlife.

The family would like to extend their appreciation to the wonderful staff at Right at Home “In Home Care and Assistance”. Both parents received care above and beyond during their recent illnesses.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Memorial Park

3900 BF Terry BLVD  
Rosenbug, TX 77471

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

SEP 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church  
1416 George St. Rosenberg, TX US 77471  
Rosenberg, TX 77471

## Burial

SEP 18. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

DR

“ Gayle & I send our love during this difficult time. Your Mom & Dad were Christian’s & are now together in the loving arms of their savior. Losing a loved one is a difficult journey & we learned that when we buried our son. We celebrate our faith during these difficult times. Thinking of you with love. Sincerely,  
David Gayle & Karen Rayburn

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**david gayle Rayburn** - September 18, 2025 at 01:16 PM

JC

“ I remember him as a wonderful man. He worked with my daddy at LCISD & they became good friends. I have many pictures of them, cleaning deer in the backyard & at the deer lease, working together on my 1st car, helping with roof repair & so much more. He was always smiling & had such a happy disposition. I'll always remember him fondly. He was a good man.

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**Julie Brietzke Collins** - September 18, 2025 at 12:28 PM

BF

“ My sympathy to the family. I have known Charles a long time. He was a good man



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**Bernice Freudensprung** - September 18, 2025 at 07:18 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Charles Cmajdalka.*



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September 17, 2025 at 08:36 AM



“ *He will be missed by all he was such a good man always thinking of others. I didn't get to see him or his wife. Often like everybody else scattered in differs towns never have time for visits and all everybody slowly leaving this. Earth for far away place may. God bless us all my sympathy to the family. I myself man having health promblems too can't travel much*

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**charlene wick** - September 16, 2025 at 10:54 AM



“ *Charles was a sweet, gentle man, and a hard worker, and will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him. May he Rest In Eternal Peace with Rose. 🙏❤️🙏*

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**Alane Haardt** - September 16, 2025 at 08:30 AM



“ *Debra A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Cmajdalka.*

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**Debra A.** - September 16, 2025 at 08:26 AM

TO

“ Terri Oger purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Charles Cmajdalka.



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Terri Oger - September 15, 2025 at 06:00 PM

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“ Terri Oger planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Cmajdalka.

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