



2024 Nomination Form

Nomination deadline: Friday, February 23, 2024

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City Hall
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Nominee's Stage Name: CHARLES GREENE Given Name: CHARLES STAFFORD GREENE JR.

Dates of Winston-Salem Residency: from 1951 to 2006 (ex: 2015 to 2020)

Category: Music Visual Arts Dance Motion Pictures
 Theater Television Writing Radio

Criteria:

- The nominee(s) exhibited sustained excellence in his or her field for at least five years.
- The nominee(s) made distinguished contributions to the community and civic-oriented participation.
- The nominee(s) is deceased (must provide copy of death certificate or obituary).
- The nominee(s) was a resident of Winston-Salem for at least five years.
- The nominee(s) made a significant contribution to the arts or entertainment industry in one or more of the following areas: music, dance, theater, writing, visual arts, motion pictures, television, or radio.

A "significant" contribution would be iconic in terms of renown and the impact on the artistic disciplines or popular culture.

Nomination To Include:

- Attach nominee's performance/accomplishment biography which must include at least 5 years of accomplishments in the arts, culture, or entertainment field.
- * Attach a list of nominee's civic/community involvement.
- Attach a copy of nominee's death certificate or obituary.

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Signature: [Signature] Date: 1/22/24

*It's a 15-page article that can be found online under "Versatiles Reflect on Band's '60s Heyday" (by Eddie Huffman)



Charles Greene Obituary

Charles Stafford Greene Jr. of 3925 Glen Oak Drive in Winston-Salem transitioned to eternal life on Monday, Aug. 21, 2006. He was the son of the late Charles S. Greene Sr. and Mrs. Gwendolyn Friende Greene. He was born on Dec. 3, 1951, in Winston-Salem and spent his early childhood in Kernersville, which was the home of his mother and maternal grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Friende. Charles exhibited an unusual talent for playing the guitar at a very early age. This talent was seriously noticed by family members, and at the suggestion of one of his aunts, his mother sent him to Separk Music Co. where he received lessons which resulted in a lifetime of an intensive musical career. After graduating from North Forsyth High School, Charles attended Berklee School of Music in Boston, Mass. He had many varied, exciting and rewarding experiences in the music world, including a role in the movie, American Hot Wax, in which he appeared with Jay Leno, Tina Turner and The Supremes. In 1990, a death in the family brought Charles back to Winston-Salem, and the extended visit eventually turned into a permanent home. Charles and Carmen Clyburn were married on Aug. 12, 1989, and two sons, Alphonse and Gil, were born to this union. Charles joined St. Paul United Methodist Church in Kernersville in 1984 and transferred his membership to Green Street United Methodist Church in 2005. He was a regular musician at worship services at the latter. Celebrating his homegoing are his wife, Carmen; his sons, Alphonse and Gil; his mother, Mrs. Gwendolyn F. Greene; mother-in-law Mrs. Lois Clyburn; aunts Mrs. Cozette F. Williams, Mrs. Sara F. Hamlin, Mrs. Marian F. Brower, Mrs. Velma H. Friende, Mrs. Bette N. Friende and Mrs. Sadie Rainey; sisters-in-law Sharon Clyburn of Winston-Salem and Cheryl Werts of Leesburg, Va.; cousins Samuel Hamlin Jr. of Greensboro; Mona Martin of Atlanta, Ga.; Madeline Shepperson of Alexandria, Va.; Lynda Brower-Isabel of Chapel Hill; and Robert E. Brower Jr., Billy D. Friende Jr. and Keith B. Brower of Winston-Salem. He also leaves to cherish his memory a host of other cousins and friends. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 24, at Green Street United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Kelly P. Carpenter officiating. Interment will follow in Eastlawn Gardens of Memory in Kernersville. The family visitation will receive friends from 10 to 11 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 24, at the church. Online condolences may be made at www.russellfuneralservice.com. (Russell)

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