

Charles Schulz



Charles Monroe Schulz (November 26, 1922 – February 12, 2000)
Schulz's high school yearbook photo in 1940 and in 1956, drawing Charlie Brown.

Charles Monroe Schulz, nicknamed **Sparky**, was an American cartoonist best known for the comic strip *Peanuts* (which featured the characters Charlie Brown and Snoopy, among others). He is widely regarded as one of the most influential cartoonists of all time, cited as a major influence by many later cartoonists, including *Calvin and Hobbes* creator Bill Watterson.

Charles Schulz's *Peanuts* debuted in 1950 and is arguably the most important comic strip of all time. *Peanuts* transcended the medium, presenting complex issues and moral dilemmas in the space of four panels, while maintaining a biting sense of humor. Charlie Brown, Lucy Van Pelt, Linus, Schroeder, the Kite Eating Tree, the Great Pumpkin, and, of course, Snoopy... all are embedded in our psyches.

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