

Born in 1971 in Washington, DC and raised in Hawaii, Charles has lived a life most people write books about. The son of an army colonel, whose father was written up in the Los Angeles Times in 1994 by Robin Wright, Charles traveled the world by the time he was 17. He's lived in England, Israel, and all over the US.

He went to high school for a short time in Fort Worth (Southwest) then to London Central (High Wycombe, England). Charles had a vocal scholarship at Tarrant County Junior College and then attended the University of Texas at Arlington. Originally a music major, Charles took up theatre as a means to improve his singing career.

Shortly thereafter, the acting bug took over. Charles began his professional career on stage, working at some of the best theatres in DFW - Circle Theatre, Stage West, and The Hip Pocket Theatre - where he met and performed with his soon-to-be wife, Rachel.

He worked as a "recreational therapist" teaching kids in psychiatric hospitals basic acting/improv skills through the Hip Pocket theatre outreach program for about 6 years. Charles also studied mime from Johnny Simons – a pupil of Marcel Marceau. He taught theatre/film/voice over at Oh, Look Creative School in Grapevine. Charles is also a producer/performer for SceneShop, a local showcase for short dramatic works written by local and regional writers.

In addition to acting, Charles has performed commercial jingles, provided his voice for a singing toy truck, and has been a guest mime for several dance troupes, including the TCU Ballet, Ballet Concerto, and Contemporary Dance of Fort Worth. He can also be heard as “Braham” on the show One Piece, airing on the Cartoon Network.

Charles' first television appearance was as "Herman Van Horne" in Chuck Norris' Walker Texas Ranger movie of the week, aptly subtitled "Trial by Fire". Since then he's appeared in Fox's Prison Break, Walking Tall: The Payback, starring Kevin Sorbo, The Lifetime Channel's web series Inspector Mom, and has a leading role in the upcoming indie feature film, Splinter. Last July Charles played the role of Judas in Jesus Christ Superstar, with the Fort Worth Theatre. Charles was recently seen as “Monkey John” in CBS's Comanche Moon, the prequel to the Emmy award winning miniseries, Lonesome Dove. Currently, he has a recurring role as “Skinny Pete” in the AMC acclaimed series, Breaking Bad.

Charles and his family live in Ft. Worth, Texas.