



William W. "Bill" Williams

May 18, 1925 - September 20, 2010

William W. "Bill" Williams, 85, of Bluffton, died suddenly at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Sept. 20, 2010, at Lutheran Hospital after an aneurysm.

Bill was born in Warren on May 18, 1925, to William H. and Edna J. (Vosburgh) Williams. He married Jacquelyn K. "Jacquie" Harris in Ossian on April 22, 1977; she survives.

Bill was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran who served during World War II and the Korean Conflict. After being discharged from the military, he played semi-professional softball. He operated the Texaco Station in Warren for many years and his most recent employment was with Waynedale Auto Parts. He served on the Warren Volunteer Fire Department for many years and was a former Assistant Fire Chief there.

He was a member of the Church of Christ in Warren. His favorite pastime was watching sports with his best buddy Reece.

Other surviving relatives include three sons, Ted R. (Sharon) Williams of Tampa, Fla., John R. (Judy) Williams of Huntington and Ben R. (April) Williams of Huntington; three daughters, DeLeine Winchester of Indianapolis, Terri Bricker of Miami, Fla. and Sandra Williams of Miami, Fla.; 10 granddaughters, Danica Caldwell, Julie Burton, Jana Anderson, Erika Baumgardner, Sarah Williams, Sierra Rice, Breanna Comer, Jennifer Hasinbiller, Erin Winchester, and Sarah Winchester; two grandsons, Cody Williams and Brett Chapin; four great-granddaughters, McKinze Pierce, Maya McMillen, Bailey Baumgardner and Dolce-Marie Barrera; and nine great-

grandsons, Dakota Williams, Caden Glassburn, Gabriel Baumgardner, Mason Delgado, Brock Burton, Reece Hasinbiller, Conner Hasinbiller, Sheldon Carroll, and Alexander Winchester.

Bill was preceded in death by one sister, Wanda Jo Williams.

Calling hours will be from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 23, and from 9:30 a.m. Friday at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home, 308 W. Washington St., Bluffton. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, at the funeral home with Pastor Ethan Stivers officiating. Burial is at Woodlawn Cemetery in Warren with military graveside rites by Bluffton American Legion Post #111 and the U.S. Marine Corps Honor Guard. Preferred memorials are to the Warren Church of Christ or the Warren Fire Department.

Online condolences: www.thomarich.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
(260) 824-3850
info@thomarich.com

Visitation

SEP **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William W. "Bill" Williams*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - September 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *William W. "Bill" Williams*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *John,*

"I'm sorry" is all I know to say. Losing our dads leaves a big hole in our hearts, but I promise you it gets better.

I will always remember three generations of veterans driving down Wayne Street in the 2010 Salamonie Summer Festival Parade. What a great tribute you and your son created for your dad!

*Take care,
Mark##imported-begin##Mark Vickrey##imported-end##*

September 24, 2010 at 09:09 AM



“ JACQUIE...I AM SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS.... YOU HAD MANY GOOD YEARS WITH BILL.... GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.##imported-begin##JOAN GARRISON##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 06:19 PM



“ Dear Ted, John and Ben,
I'm sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in my prayers. We had some good times in the old neighborhood!
Love,
Joyce##imported-begin##Joyce (Hippenstee) Eberhart##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 02:22 PM



“ John and family -
We are so sorry for your loss. We are glad we got to see you and your dad in the parade at Warren! Mom and I are sorry we can't come over to see you but I have to have Daniel at church and she is helping getting Grandma Preston ready to move into a health care room at the home. Just know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. You have memories that no one can take away from you.
Hugs##imported-begin##LeAnn Hardin Shultz and Mary Ann Hardin Holmes##imported-end##

September 23, 2010 at 09:09 AM



“ *John & family,*

So sorry for your lose. Since my dad just died last November, I know exactly how you are feeling. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Rhonda###imported-begin##Rhonda Souder Bolner##imported-end##

September 22, 2010 at 08:17 PM