



William A. "Bill" Frank

April 16, 1932 - June 30, 2018

Frank, Mr. William A. "Bill"
Saginaw Twp., Michigan

Bill celebrated his home-going on Saturday, June 30, 2018, from his home, at the age of 86 years. William Albert "Bill" Frank was born on April 16, 1932, in Saginaw, to the late Julius and Rosalie (Breitkreitz) Frank. Bill married Ann Marie Benson on July 9, 1958, after eloping to Traverse City, MI. Ann predeceased Bill on March 15, 1999, after 40 years of marriage.

Bill is survived by his daughter, Mary Beth Frank and his two loving dogs, Rosie and Dolly; his sister, Elsie Wartenbee; many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Bill was also predeceased by four of his sisters, Emma Bell, Ida Haskell, Martha Jacobsen and Frieda Venema.

Bill served in the U. S. Air Force during the Korean War from 1952 to 1956. He was a 25 year member of the American Legion Post #439; also a member of the U.A.W. Local 537. Prior to his retirement in 1995, Bill was employed 45 years at U. S. Graphite. He was a lifetime member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, having served on the Finance Board as its secretary for 41 years, then as the Director. Bill was respectable, dependable, and a great role model. He carried out his mission well in a life we now celebrate. Although he is the definition of an unheralded hero for how he lived his life, I just called

him, Dad.

Funeral service will be held 12:00 noon on Friday, July 6, 2018, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 1020 Court St., Saginaw. The Rev. David Naumann will officiate with burial in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, where military honors will be conducted under the auspices of American Legion Post #439 and the U.S.A.F. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the church on Friday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Memorial contributions may be given to Community Cats United Inc. or charity of choice. Memories and sympathies of Bill may be shared with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

950 N. Center Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48638

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
1020 Court Street
Saginaw, MI 48602

Funeral Service

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Committal Service & Military Honors Ceremony

JUL 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William A. "Bill" Frank*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *William A. "Bill" Frank*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *I know that your Mom and the heavens smile down upon you for the love, the honor and the dedication to family that is so imprinted on the fabric of who you are. You are truly one of the special ones in this world. When it feels lonely, if it does, remember you are connected through the threads of time, in whispers of the wind, or scents that float on the air at unusual times...and you always have me as your friend. That doesn't change. Your heart is special and people love you, it's not always family blood that's family. <3.*



Mitchelyn (Mitch) Aultman

mitchelyn aultman - July 06, 2018 at 03:11 PM



“ *Mary your dad was a man of many talents as most who had the privilege to cross paths with him. He taught me many things as you know, i'm proud to say he was my friend Gods Speed Bill. Thoughts and Prayer's Tim and Doreen Tuzas*

Tim Tuzas - July 04, 2018 at 09:01 AM

JD

“ *My sympathy Mary Beth, I know how close you were to your dad.....you usually came into Graphite Credit Union together.*

Jan Dietzel, U.S. Graphite Emp. FCU

Jan Dietzel - July 03, 2018 at 12:42 PM

JS

“ *Prayers for the family*

The Schumachers



Joyce Schumacher - July 03, 2018 at 07:25 AM



bill worked with my father gerhardt neuenfeldt , aka{ike} im his daughtersally neuenfeldt

Sally Neuenfeldt - July 03, 2018 at 12:39 PM

VI

“ *Beth, Now your dad is at peace. You have been a great daughter to both your Mom and Dad! I imagine you will feel adrift until you get your own new routines going and feel at ease knowing they are both watching over you. I will always be here for you, anytime at any hour!*

*Much Love,
Vicki Farretta*

Vicki - July 02, 2018 at 06:48 PM

DJ

Mary

We are praying for strength for you. It is going to be rough for awhile. You are a wonderful daughter, you took care of both your parents with love. Now it is your turn to live and enjoy life.

God Bless you

Love and hugs.

David/Sue Johnson - July 02, 2018 at 07:00 PM

SW

May you know God's peace and comfort. God bless you for your love and devotion for your parents. Love, Steve & Mi-ae Wartenbee

Steven Wartenbee - July 02, 2018 at 09:38 PM

RR

“ *Mary,*

We have always had great love, and care very deeply for both you and Uncle Sonny.

We are no longer worried about your Dad, we have great confidence that he is happy and healthy in heaven and sharing one of those funny moments with your Mom he used to like to tell us about.

As you move forward with your new beginning on Earth, we are praying that you will find peace and strength and courage each and everyday. You have family and friends who enjoy your company very much and are looking forward to sharing life with you.

We love you and will always be available for you.

Ron and Dianne Roggow - July 02, 2018 at 02:33 PM

SS

“ *Beth, I'm so sorry. I won't forget our dinners at Pot Stock Diner, which is where I met your Dad just 3 years ago. He was a fine gentleman. The three of us had fun. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.*

Susan Somerville-Franz - July 02, 2018 at 01:09 PM