



William John Gregor

February 5, 1932 - April 16, 2020

William John Gregor went to be with our Lord and Savior on Thursday, April 16, 2020, at age 88, after several years of illness. Bill was born in Cleveland, Ohio, to the late John and Emilia Gregor. He leaves Sara, his loving wife of 59 years. His younger daughter, Darcy, passed away in 1999. Also, a sister Martha Arnold predeceased him. He leaves his dearly loved daughter, Cynthia J. and husband, Michael Korte. Bill was blessed with and so loved his grandchildren, Grace, Faith and Matthew (and fiancé, Rebecca Johnstone). Bill is survived by a brother, Richard Gregor and wife, Sharon, daughters Jennifer and Debra and family and nephew, Scott Arnold. He leaves a brother-in-law, Robert Brinson and wife, Connie; sisters-in-law, Judy Reed and family and Leslie Brinson and family.

Bill graduated from James Rhodes High School in Cleveland and attended Fenn College. He served in the US Army in Korea from 1952 – 1954. He worked at Standard Oil for 17 years and retired from Ford Motor Company, Cleveland Casting Plant after 33 years. Bill was baptized at Dr. Martin Luther Lutheran Church, Cleveland and was a member--at one time serving as acting congregational president and lay assistant to the pastor before moving to Saginaw, Michigan 15 years ago. Bill also participated in two health mission trips serving the Lutheran Church in Honduras.

Jesus said, "For what My Father wants is that all who see the Son and believe

in Him should have eternal life. And I will raise them to life on the last day.”
John 6:40

Out of love and concern for the health and well-being of family and friends who may wish to celebrate Bill's life, a funeral service will be held at a later date at Ascension Lutheran Church in Saginaw, and a memorial service at Dr. Martin Luther Lutheran Church, Cleveland, with burial at Brooklyn Heights Cemetery, Cleveland, OH.

Remembrances may be made to Ascension Lutheran Church, 8695 Gratiot Rd., Saginaw, Michigan, 48609 or Dr. Martin Luther Lutheran Church, 4470 Ridge Rd, Cleveland, Ohio, 44144

Those wishing to express their love, sympathies and memories of Bill may share them with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Bill's memorial gathering with family and friends will be held on Wednesday, July 1, 2020, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. His memorial service will be 11:00 a.m. at Ascension Lutheran Church, 8695 Gratiot Road, (Thomas Township), Saginaw, Michigan. Pastor Julie Bailey will officiate.

Cemetery Details

Brooklyn Heights Cemetery

Cleveland, OH

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

JUL 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Ascension Lutheran Church
8695 Gratiot Rd
Saginaw (Thomas Twp.), MI 48609

Memorial Service

JUL 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William John Gregor*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *William John Gregor*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *I will miss Bill, he was always someone you wanted to be around. He was always so supportive and appreciative any Sunday I was able to sing for everyone. I will miss his smile, and his personality. Prayers for you Sarah and kids love you all.*

John Richardson - April 25, 2020 at 08:47 AM



“ *i will miss Bill sitting behind us at services. He always had a greeting and a smile. Conversations with Bill were always special.*

Lynda Goward - April 22, 2020 at 03:06 PM



“ *I'm going to miss Bill. He was such a sweet man. He always stopped by the nursery at church to chat for a bit. It made my day. Prayers for the family.*



Nicki Crump - April 21, 2020 at 09:25 PM

DA

“ So very sorry to hear of Bill's passing, he will be greatly missed. Gabby will miss him as he always had kind words for her at church, her "Mr. Bill". Keeping you all in my heart and prayers for peace at this time.

Dawn Dalton

Dawn - April 21, 2020 at 08:17 PM