



William Johnathan Keagle

August 24, 1946 - December 5, 2020

Age 74, of Wilmington, IL passed away unexpectedly, Saturday, December 5, 2020 at his home. Born August 24, 1946 in Joliet, IL to the late Robert and Inez (nee Oliver) Keagle. Bill was a proud Veteran of the United States Navy, having served during the Vietnam War. During his time in the service he received the National Defense Service Medal, four bronze stars with the Vietnam Service Metal, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Metal, and the Navy Unit Commendation Ribbon. He attended the First Baptist Church in Morris and also enjoyed attending other churches, such as the First Baptist Church in Coal City. Bill also had a love for fishing and boating. Surviving are his two daughters, Cheryl Christiansson of Coal City and Andrea (Thomas) Hanna of Braidwood, IL; seven grandchildren, Alexandria, Tyler, Anamaree, Kortnie, Blake, Jeremy, and Jacob; four great-grandchildren, Natalie, Brent, Aiden, Layla; one brother, David Keagle; one sister, Sharon Miller; and numerous nieces, nephews, and their families. Preceding him in death were his parents. Visitation for Bill will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory, Braidwood, IL, Saturday, December 12, 2020 from 12:00-3:00 p.m. with a funeral service beginning at 3:00 p.m. with Pastor Bob Hahn will officiating. All attendees are required to wear face coverings, follow social distancing guidelines, and due to the capacity requirements, please be brief with your condolences to allow other guests to pay their final respects. Cremation rites will be accorded following services. Inurnment with military honors will be at the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood at a later date. In lieu of

flowers, memorial donations in his name may be directed to the family to help with funeral expenses. For more information and to visit his online guestbook, please log on to www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com or find us on Facebook.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 12. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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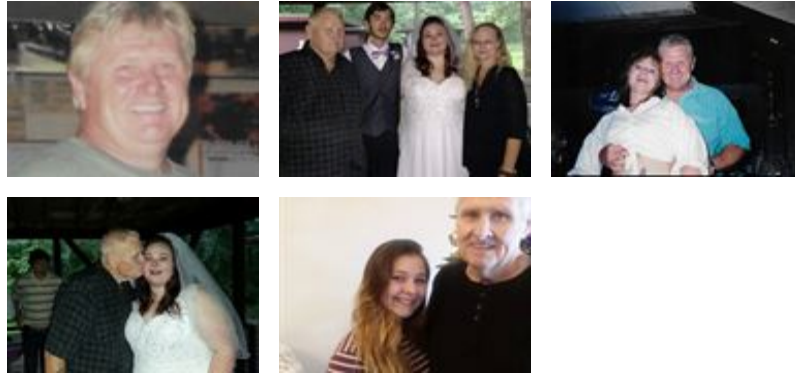
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“ Bill and I met after I first got to know his sister Sharon, brother Dave and mother Inez. Friendliness was not out of character for Bill and this Christian family. With that, he had respect for others and reverence for his Savior Jesus Christ that eventually stood out with the people of our church that got to know him. Bill loved to worship Him.

More remarkable still was his faith in adversity as he seemed unwavering in his belief that God could and would heal him when he dealt with various health issues. We prayed together often and his gratitude for those prayer times clearly showed that his faith in The Great Physician was secure, from here all the way to Heaven. God bless his memory to all of us who know him as a true-loving brother in The Lord.

Pastor Bob Hahn - December 07, 2020 at 05:21 PM