



William Ray Campbell

May 4, 1947 - October 31, 2019

William (Bill) Campbell, age 72 of Frankford, passed away Thursday, October 31, 2019 at Hannibal Regional Hospital in Hannibal, MO.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 pm Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at the Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green, with Rev. Robin Terrell and Rev. M. Faye Vaughn officiating. Burial will be held in the Green Ridge Memorial Park in Frankford with Military Honors being conducted by Missouri Military Honor Guard as well as VFW Post #5553.

Bill was born May 4, 1947 in Hannibal, MO, the son of Raymond H. and Marie L. King Campbell. He married Estella Wynn in Frankford, MO on April 17, 1966. She survives.

Other survivors include sons Richard Campbell II (Debby) of Leavenworth, KS and Jason Christopher Campbell of Ayer, MA; two grandchildren Simone Campbell and Jacqueline Diaz; great grandchild Andi Diaz; a host of cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents.

Bill grew up in Frankford and graduated from Bowling Green High School in 1965. Upon graduation, Bill enlisted in the United States Army in September of 1965 and retired with an Honorable Discharge in September of 1985 from Fort Meade, MD. During his military career he served during the Vietnam War,

was stationed in South Korea and Germany and received the Bronze Star, along with other accommodations.

Upon retiring from the United States Army, Bill returned to his roots in Frankford and cared for his ailing father. He served as an insurance agent for 30 years with Farmers Insurance. Bill was a faithful member of the Second Christian Church in New London. Bill was involved with the VFW, American Legion and D.A.V. Bill had a love for motorcycles. One of his favorite memories was riding his Harley Davidson in Vermont, enjoying the fall colors of the North East. Bill was a member of the Low Riders Motorcycle Club.

Memorials may be made to the Second Christian Church in New London or Green Ridge Memorial Park Cemetery in Frankford, MO.

Cemetery Details

Green Ridge Memorial Park

Frankford, MO

Previous Events

Funeral

NOV 6. 12:00 AM (CT)

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606 West Main Street
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Visitation

NOV 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

NOV 6 (CT)

Green Ridge Memorial Park
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Tribute Wall



“ *Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC created a Tribute Video in memory of William Ray Campbell*



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - November 06, 2019 at 01:57 PM

BJ

Beautiful video and so appropriate for Billy Ray! He loved his cycles, the color purple, his family, and his country!! You so captured the "real" Bill! Rest in peace our friend!!

Barbara Jennings - November 08, 2019 at 09:04 PM

WH

Beautiful and fitting tribute to a wonderful man. Condolences to his great wife and family I will always remember Bill for his passions at which he was masterful at so many and his ability to converse on any subject. Always enjoyed hanging out with Bill a great example of steadfastness on many levels.. 🙏🙏🙏

Walt Holley - November 23, 2019 at 01:54 AM

JM

The last time I talked to Billy Ray he was replacing the cemetery fence in Frankford, I offered my help, he replied thank jimmy for asking, but its keeps me fit. He was such a nice person throughout his life ! Rest in piece my friend.

Jim McMillen - January 08, 2020 at 08:22 PM

JM

To his family, I truly enjoyed the video.

Jim McMillen - January 08, 2020 at 08:23 PM

MH

“ *Pike County Genealogical Society is saddened to learn of Bill's passing. He did a lot of research at our library. Our thoughts and prayers are extended to his family.*

Marie Haught - November 12, 2019 at 11:47 AM

JH

“ *FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF EOLIA, MISSOURI*

*I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.
My Help Cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.*

*Just letting you all know that our Prayers and Love is with all of you
all at this time.*

*Prayerfully submitted from the Pastor and Members of First Baptist
Church Eolia*

*Rev. Sam Bogan Sr. Pastor
Sis. Ora Belle Conway, Church Clerk*

Joanne Hammuck - November 06, 2019 at 08:36 AM

JH

“ *BETHEL AME CHURCH, PAYNESVILLE, REV. C. JESSEL STRONG, PASTOR*

If when you give the best of your service, Telling the World that the Saviour is come, Be not dismayed when men don't believe you; He'll understand and say Welldone.

To the Family of Bro. William (Bill) Campbell the Pastor and Membes of Bethel AME Church Paynesville take a moment to offer our condolences in memory of your dear love one.

*Prayerfully Submitted,
Rev. C. Jessel Strong, Pastor
Sis. Virginia Starks, Church Clerk
Sis. Joanne Hammuck Benevolence Chairman*

Joanne Hammuck - November 05, 2019 at 03:21 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of William Ray Campbell.*



November 04, 2019 at 01:59 PM

HB

“ *His Favorite nurse “ Nurse Bush” purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of William Ray Campbell.*



His Favorite nurse “ Nurse Bush” - November 04, 2019 at 11:20 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of William Ray Campbell.* ”



November 03, 2019 at 10:19 AM



“ *59 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - November 02, 2019 at 11:43 AM