



Charles "Bill" William Powell

April 19, 1943 - April 1, 2018

Charles William "Bill" Powell, born April 19, 1943, passed away peacefully on April 1, 2018, surrounded by the love of his five children, sister, and pastor.

Bill was born in Martinsburg, WV to parents Hillen and Margaret Powell. He graduated from Martinsburg High School in 1961. Shortly after graduation, Bill served in the Army. After his tour in Vietnam, he earned the Vietnam Service Medal with two Bronze Service Stars, as well as the Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal. Bill then worked for the Rust Oleum Corporation in Williamsport, MD for over 20 years. He also proudly worked for the National Park Service in Harpers Ferry, WV until his retirement to Myrtle Beach, SC.

Bill was passionate about life, family, music, and loved philosophical conversations. His retirement days were filled with guitar strums, ocean breezes, good food, and family.

Bill is survived by sons William D. Powell, Thomas L. Powell, and Matthew L. Powell; daughters Elizabeth M. Reinhart and Darcey N. Powell; grandchildren Kalie L. Powell, Ethan T. Powell, and Jackson J. Smith; sisters Patsy Scovel and Elaine Butts.

A visitation will occur at the Myrtle Beach Funeral Home and Crematory on Sunday, April 8, 2018, from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Interment service will be

private, however the family will host a celebration of life in Bill's honor on Monday, April 9, 2:00 pm at the Celebration Presbyterian Church in Myrtle Beach, SC. A second celebration of life in Bill's honor will occur this summer in Shepherdstown, WV; details will be announced at a later time.

Bill was a strong believer in community and had many amazing helpers throughout his journey. In that spirit, and in lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Celebration Presbyterian Church at celebrationpresbyterianchurch.org/donate or the Conway Hospital Foundation at cmcfoundationsc.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 8. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Myrtle Beach Funeral Home
4505 Hwy 17 Bypass S
Myrtle BEach, SC 29577
bowdrejb@gmail.com
<http://www.myrtlebeachfuneralhome.com/>

Celebration of Life

APR 9. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Celebration Presbyterian Church
2300 Carolina Forest Blvd.
Myrtle Beach, SC

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry. I am just seeing this for the first time. My name is Richard and I worked with Bill for about 20 years at Rustoleum Corporation. We also got to hang out some after work in years past. I always liked Bill and considered him a great friend. We had many talks about things that were happening in our lives and shared many private things with about our lives with one another. I have wished for years I could contact him after we both had left Rustoleum and tried searching for him via computer several times but could not find him. My condolences to the family. Bill was a great guy and a wonderful friend. He is greatly missed. If anyone in the family would like you may contact me via email at Biblebob154@myactv.net. Prayers to you for you loss.
Richard

Richard - July 17, 2018 at 11:15 PM