



William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III

April 26, 1947 - September 10, 2018

William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III, age 71, of Harriman, passed away into the arms of the Lord on September 10, 2018. Bill had been a lifetime resident of Harriman. He was devoted to his wife and family and lived his life with energy and passion. He was a retired life-long member and leader of the Plumbers and Pipefitters Union and retired from Y-12 after 30 years of service. He owned his own award-winning heating and air conditioning business and loved his customers. Bill was committed to the City of Harriman and served as the head of the Industrial Board and the Planning Commission. He also served on the Library Board. Anyone who knew him knew that he would help anyone because he had a huge heart. He was strong willed and did not hesitate to voice his opinion. That is what made him a special man.

He is survived by his loving wife, Susan, his son, William A. Alexander IV and his wife, Alisa, and grandsons, William Arthur Alexander V and Benjamin; his second son, Weston and his wife, Cristi, and grandchildren, Madison and Michael; sister, Peggy and his nephew John Lee and wife, Amy, and children Jason and James; and sister-in-law Becky Johnson and her daughter, Jenny.

Bill had many friends and some very special friends who were part of his family. Among them are Bear Tidwell, Steve Gallaher and Ronnie and Art Edwards.

Bill was loved and will be missed.

The family will receive friends at Kyker Funeral Home in Harriman on Friday, September 14, 2018, from 5 – 7 p.m., with funeral service immediately following at 7 p.m. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, September 15, 10 a.m., in Willard Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to a charity of choice in Bill's memory. Kyker Funeral Home in Harriman is serving the Alexander Family.

Cemetery Details

Willard Park Cemetery

Ruritan Rd
Harriman, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 14. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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OUR HARRIMAN CHAPEL
PO Box 232, 430 Morgan St
Harriman, TN 37748
(865) 882-1515
<https://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

SEP 14. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

SEP **15**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Willard Park Cemetery
Ruritan Rd
Harriman, TN

Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III*




Kyker Funeral Home - September 12, 2018 at 02:30 PM

JH

“ *Susan---So very sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He was both a great friend to my brother and to me, a tribute to his personality and ability to appeal to all people. I will miss his smiling eyes and sage advice. The world is a lesser place without him in it.*

Jerry Hunt

Jerry Hunt - September 27, 2018 at 11:24 PM

 Valerie Hopper

“ *So sorry to hear of Bill's passing. I had not seen him in many years but fondly remember him. He and my father, John Farmer, worked together and were big buddies. I would like to see their reunion in heaven. The jokes would be flying. May the Lord bless you and keep you during this time.*

Valerie Hopper - September 14, 2018 at 06:43 PM

JH

“ Suz, I am so very sorry about this loss. We will all miss Bill, as he was a very special man who was dedicated to helping those who couldn't help themselves. He righted many wrongs and made many advancements and improvements in wages, benefits and working conditions for working men and women in our area. He was a dear friend and I could always depend on Bill. GOD BLESS YOU WITH STRENGTH, COURAGE AND COMFORT, during this difficult time.
Jim Hamby

Jim Hamby - September 14, 2018 at 09:56 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III.



September 14, 2018 at 09:54 AM

ML

“ Susan, so very sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for you and your family ❤️

Mary Jayne Long - September 13, 2018 at 05:14 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III.



September 13, 2018 at 12:50 PM

LB

“ Susan, so very sad to hear of Bill's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Please call me if there is anything at all that I can do for you. In His Love, Lydia

Lydia L Brooks - September 13, 2018 at 11:56 AM

JE

“ I went to school with Bill n hadn't seen him in a long time. We connected on facebook several years ago. He was a good friend. Told him about prayer requests, news of my family n everyday stuff. I will miss him.

Jennifer Ezell - September 12, 2018 at 06:07 PM

JE

“ Jennifer Ezell lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Arthur Alexander III



Jennifer Ezell - September 12, 2018 at 06:02 PM



“ Bill was like my second father he was always there for me through good times and bad I loved him very much and will be lost without him he was my mentor, my teacher and best friend

Steve Gallaher - September 12, 2018 at 03:10 PM

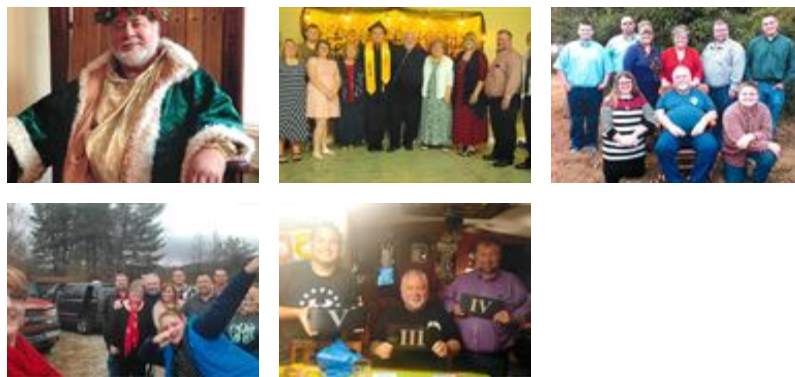
MH

“ *Bill's family: Bill meant a great deal to us, he never failed to speak his mind. Lol But above all there wasn't anything he wouldn't or didn't do to help us. My husband Roger Hicks thinks the world of him & we are so sad we won't be speaking to him anymore in this world. Prayers & love to whole family.*

Margie Hicks - September 12, 2018 at 01:31 PM



“ *30 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Kyker Funeral Home - September 12, 2018 at 01:21 PM

DE

“ *Bill you will be missed. So glad you were at our Breakfast Club . Rest in Peace my friend.*

Dave Elmore - September 12, 2018 at 12:16 PM