



William Muirhead

January 25, 2013

Obituary of William Muirhead

William "Bill" R. Muirhead passed away Friday, January 25, 2013 at 89 years of age. Bill was born in Newark, N.J. in March 1923. He served his country with distinction during WWII receiving several honors including two bronze stars, good conduct medal and the French National Legion Medal of Honor. Upon returning from Europe, he attended Rutgers University where he majored in business. He worked for Standard Register as a sales executive. Bill and Carolyn moved to the Villages in 1997 from Carmel, IN. Bill loved to play golf and enjoyed gardening, achieving Master Gardener while he lived in Carmel, IN. He was also an avid swimmer, bridge-player and bird-watcher. He and his wife, Carolyn, enjoyed many excursions abroad. Besides his family, Bill's greatest love was God and the Bible. He started attending bible fellowships in Indiana held by The Way International in 1971 and continued to attend meetings held in Winter Garden after moving to Florida. He touched many lives by faithfully sending out via email a "Daily Promise."

Survivors include his wife Carolyn, daughters Lorraine Low and Louise (Lee) Patch, and grand-children, Amanda Grace (Ben) Breedlove, Robert Low, Ella Patch and Will Patch.

A memorial service for Bill will be held on Friday, February 1, 2013 at 11 AM at

Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake, FL. Family and friends may call at the funeral home from 10:00 to 11:00 AM prior to the service. A military service will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial may be made to The Way International or the donor's choice of charities.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Bil will be loved and missed by all who knew him. His believing was like no others.* ”

Lloyd & DeeDee Harshman - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My sincere sympathy for the loss of Bill. A well loved person. And his love for God and Bible was warming to read. The Bible speaks of the time when our loved ones will live again. Acts 24:15 "There will be a resurrection of both the righteous and unrighteous." Imagine being with our loved ones again in a different setting- one of peace and happiness- psm 37:29* ”

friend - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our brother Bill Muirhead awaits the return of our lord and savior, Jesus Christ. Bill sleeps in Jesus after 89 years of loving and selfless living. On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise, his wonderful life will continue in newness and eternal magnificence. He gave his all to bless our country, and every brother and sister in Christ. We will miss Bill and also be inspired daily to live a life filled with God's love and grace. Much love to every member of the family, and to his extended spiritual family, the family of God.* ”

Harve Platig - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ To Carolyn and the entire Muirhead Family, my Heartfelt condolence to each and all of you!! Your hearts can surely be comforted knowing what a wonderful Man of God William, "bill" was. I will treasure each occasion i had to be in the priviledge of his company. May God Almighty, bring his Peace and Comfort to your hearts. Love in Christ, Bill Scarpelli

William Scarpelli - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Dear Carolyn and Family, I offer my deepest sympathy for your loss of Bill. It is very obvious that he was a special man starting with his serving his country during WWII. Seldom does one receive a bronze star, almost unheard of a soldier receiving two. Most impressive. Having the honor to attend the same fellowship as Bill over the years, I quickly saw how he stood out as a man that loved God greatly and was greatly loved by God. He exemplified the radiance that one displays when having and manifesting Holy Spirit. Each morning I always looked forward to the Daily Promise that he sent. It started the day off right, thinking of God, and thinking of Bill. The bible says that those who walk in the light will have a long and healthy life. Bill proved the validity of the word. He was one of a kind. Bill will be greatly missed by me and those who knew him. Patrick McGonegle

patrick mcgonegle - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bill was such an inspiration to me. Although I was only around him a few times, he always had a relevant word to share with me that was exactly what I needed to hear. He was also humble and gracious to me. I miss him akeeady

Christine Holmes - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM