



William Harold McBee

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William Harold McBee, 73, of Decatur, passed away Tuesday June 30, 2015, at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

William was born October 22, 1941 in Tampa, Florida, the son of William Thomas and Georgia (Jenkins) McBee. He proudly served his country in the US Army Air core during the Korean War. He was later employed as a security officer in California, Idaho, Illinois, and in Missouri. William married Alice Teubner on October 14, 1963. Out of this union, there were born Georgia Marie (Carlos) Ledesma, Judy Hedges, Jeff McBee, all of Decatur, and Lisa McConnell of Milford, Delaware. William married Ruth Anne (Mares) on October 23, 1982. They had one daughter, Stephanie Renee (Alex) Montgomery of Nampa, Idaho. Brother, Mike Swartz of Decatur and eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

William was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Larry Swartz and Donald Swartz.

William will be greatly missed by all of his family. He was known to all as "Illini Bill". His favorite saying was "I live and breathe Orange Kool-Aid"! He was a lifelong Illini Fan!

Graveside services to celebrate William's life will be 10am, Wednesday July 8, 2015 in Graceland Cemetery, and conclude with military honors. Burial will be in Graceland Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Veteran's Administration.

The family of William H. McBee is being served by the Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



Tribute Wall

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ST

Stephanie posted:

Sent a gift in memory of William Harold McBee

July 12 at 11:43 AM

ST

Stephanie posted:

I miss you every minute Daddy.

July 12 at 11:39 AM

ST

Stephanie posted:

Thank you for your kind words.-Stephanie

July 12 at 11:38 AM

ST

Stephanie posted:

Thank you for your kind words Mary Jo. -Stephanie

July 12 at 11:37 AM

ST

Stephanie posted:

Thank you for the kind words, I know you will miss him.

July 12 at 11:36 AM

CR

Carolyn Reynolds posted:

I am so very sorry I can't be there for Mister Bill's service today but you are in my thoughts and prayers. He was on our bowling team and will be very hard to replace. I will miss him so much. He was a good friend.

July 8 at 4:09 AM

HM

Hope Mcginnes posted:

Lit a candle in memory of William Harold McBee

July 7 at 5:57 PM



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MS

Mary Jo Schanuel posted:

I am saddened to hear of Bill's passing, however he is going to a better place in heaven. I am grateful for all the wonderful memories I have of Bill and all of his lovely family that I can take with me. All of you are in my prayers and my heart. Love Always, Mary Jo

July 6 at 1:55 PM

CS

Chris Smith posted:

So many good memories growing up with the family....To the family, my heart goes out to you all....and you are all in my prayers. Chris Gillaspie Smith

July 4 at 5:30 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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