



William "Bill" Rodney Coberly Sr.

November 20, 1946 - February 16, 2019

William Rodney "Bill" Coberly, Sr. passed away peacefully at his home on February 16, 2019. Bill was born on November 20, 1946 in Ferrellsburg, WV to Robert and Virginia Chapman Coberly (deceased). After graduating from Chapmanville High School, Bill enlisted in the US Air Force from 1964-1968 and served in Vietnam. Sgt. Coberly was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for his extraordinary achievement in service among other awards and honors. He was a veteran of 148 missions while stationed there. Coberly retired from Marathon Oil Company after a lengthy career in Operations and Training. Bill was preceded in death by his wife, Eleanor Toussel Coberly and three infant brothers. He is survived by his children, Rodney Coberly, Mary Shannon Triche, Nathan Coberly; stepsons Brent Roussel II (Penny), Rob Roussel (Joni), Sean Roussel (Mona); grandchildren Ashley and Adam Coberly, Andrew Triche, Caleb, Branson, Virginia, and Brady Coberly, Brittany Gaubert, Blake Roussel, Aiden and Benjamin Roussel, and Nicholas Roussel; numerous great grandchildren, siblings Delores Halstead (Harry) of Apopka, FL, Emma Hensley (Denny) of S. Bloomfield, OH, Diane Rudisill (Alvin) of Bale, NC, Marietta Perry (Vernon) of Wayne, WV, John Coberly of Conway, SC, Fred Coberly of Damascus, MD, Curtis Coberly of Silver Springs, MD, Kenneth Coberly (Ruth) of Apopka, FL.

Family and friends are invited to a public visitation on Thursday, February 21, 2019 from 9:00-11:00 AM at Millet-Guidry Funeral Home, 2806 W. Airline Hwy, LaPlace, LA. Services will be held at 11:00 AM followed by interment in St.

Peter Cemetery, Reserve.

The family would like to thank Rebecca Rockstead, Deborah McCollum, and St. Catherine's Hospice for their extraordinary care for Bill during his illness. In lieu of flowers, donations in Bill's memory may be made to the Gary Sinise Foundation, www.garysinisefoundation.org

Cemetery Details

St. Peter Cemetery

1550 Hwy 44
Reserve, LA 70084

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 21. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Millet Guidry Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Rodney Coberly Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ *We were blessed to have Mr. Bill and Ms. Ellie as our neighbors for nearly 20 years. Both were wonderful people. I remember Mr. Bill, with his quiet demeanor, outside playing with his grandson. And, for years, he and Ms. Ellie made a big deal of Halloween, setting up a table outside to visit with costumed kids and their parents. They both will be sorely missed. Michael "Jee" and Cleo Allen*

Cleo J Allen - February 20, 2019 at 09:37 AM



“ *God Bless you PawPaw Bill*

Aiden and Ben



Rob Joni Roussel - February 20, 2019 at 04:25 AM



What a great brother he was to all his siblings. I loved him with all my heart and will miss him dearly.

Emma Coberly Hensley - February 20, 2019 at 06:22 AM



He always made me laugh with his off beat humor.

Sally Haddock Chandler - February 23, 2019 at 08:33 PM