



William "Bill" Ward

May 27, 1953 - February 14, 2022

Celebration of Life Service for Bill Ward will be Thursday, February 24, 2022 at 2:00 pm in Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Alan Seibel officiating. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday evening 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM at Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home.

William was born on May 27, 1953 in Enid to W.W. and Helen Parker Ward and died on February 14, 2022 at his home in Enid.

He graduated from Enid High School in 1971 and then joined the U.S. Army in 1971. Following his discharge in 1979, Bill went to work for the U.S. Postal Service. He worked there from 1983 until 1996, when he became a car salesman for several dealerships in Enid. Bill graduated with honors from Northern Oklahoma College with an associate degree in music. He gave vocal, saxophone and flute lessons for several years to many students. Bill enjoyed writing music for his students and the community band. He played with the community band. Bill later worked as a nurse's aide at Bass Hospital.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife, Debra Cryer; daughters, Diana (Ryan) Hamilton of Waukomis and Amber (Joshua) Abbey of Lahoma; grandchildren, Matthew Abbey, Ethan Hamilton, Joshua and Natalie Abbey, Brooklyn Hamilton; other

relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation with Family & Friends

FEB **23**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Anderson Burriss Funeral Home & Crematory
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Enid, OK 73703
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Celebration of Life

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home Chapel
3002 N. Van Buren
Enid, OK 73703
<http://www.andersonburriss.com>

Tribute Wall

JH

“ So sorry I missed seeing this in time, Debbie. I considered Bill a friend, and appreciated his support when I needed some advice.



JANITA HOFEN - February 25, 2022 at 08:53 PM

BW

“ Bill taught our daughter voice lessons from 3rd grade through high school!!! So many memories with him!! He was so dedicated to his students!! We came to love Bill!!! He was a special person and we will miss him greatly!!!
Praying for all his family!! Paul and Becky Woodward.

Becky Woodward - February 25, 2022 at 12:35 PM

GC

“ Bill was my friend. He worked with me in the car business for several years. I will miss him.

Gary Cole - February 20, 2022 at 04:48 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Ward.



February 18, 2022 at 03:26 PM

SD

“ I went to school with Bill since junior high. He was such a multitalented guy. My prayers to the family of love and of strength.

Sally Dryer - February 18, 2022 at 04:37 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Ward.



February 17, 2022 at 09:39 PM