



William "Bill" Philip Aubin

November 18, 1950 - October 2, 2018

William "Bill" Philip Aubin, of Sarasota, FL, passed away on October 2, 2018 at the age of 67, after a long battle with Mesothelioma.

Bill is survived by his wife of 27 years, Joan; children, Bill (Nancy) of CO, Heather (Marc) Kirby of Sarasota, and Zachary Houghton of Sarasota; sisters, Joanne (Andy) Harwell of Palmetto, FL and Patty (Cliff) Sadler of Bradenton, FL; grandchildren Avery and Aleah Aubin, Jonathon, Megan, Paige and Landon Kirby, and Zachariah and Ava Houghton.

Bill was born in Warwick, RI to J. Edward and Catherine (Watson) Aubin. He moved to Key Biscayne, FL in 1955 and graduated from Coral Gables H.S. in 1968. Bill attended school in Gainesville majoring in Building Construction, received an Associate of Arts degree from Santa Fe Community College in 1970, and moved to Sarasota, FL in 1973. He worked as a construction superintendent for Paver Construction before obtaining his own Contractors License in 1975, building many homes in the Sarasota area. In 1975, Bill joined the City of Sarasota Fire Department and worked there for 26 years, retiring in 2000. After retiring he went to work for the City of Sarasota Building Department as a Plans Examiner and Inspector. Bill received his Captains license in the early 1990s and was also a part time Charter Captain. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, diving, and traveling, spending a lot of time in the Bahamas, the Keys and Colorado. In May, he and his friend would put on the

Capt. Bill & Capt. Robbie's Annual Trash Can Slam and all proceeds were donated to Tidewell Hospice. Bill was a Key Rat, a member of Sarasota Archery Club, Sarasota Retired Fire Fighters Assoc., Sarasota Trap-Skeet & Clays, and Dillon Yacht Club in CO.

Bill would always say: "IF THE PHONE DOESN'T RING, IT'S ME."

A Celebration of Life will be held on October 13, 2018 from 1:00 to 5:00 at Sarasota Event Center (Shriners), 600 N. Beneva Rd, Sarasota 34232. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Bill's life. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Tidewell Hospice at 5955 Rand Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34238 in his memory. Arrangements are under the direction of Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services located at 135 N Lime Avenue, Sarasota, FL 34237. 941-365-1767 www.gendronfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Philip Aubin*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *William "Bill" Philip Aubin*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *To my cousins I'm so sorry to see this. I would so love to get together with JoAnne & Patty again. We lost Aunt Eileen in Sept. 2018. I miss my family. Stephen Smith 860 917'2511 Norwich Ct. Love and prayers to you all. What a shame. Too young. Billy was always great to me. I will never forget.*

Stephen R. Smith - August 11, 2019 at 08:56 AM



“ *Awe, Bill. Your ability to make everyone feel special was such a gift, and we were all better off having known you. My sincere condolences to all who loved you.*

Garee Nace - October 09, 2018 at 07:05 AM



“ *I was very sorry to hear of Bill's passing. I worked with him several years at the City of Sarasota and we had many laughs together during that time. My thoughts are with his family. Buster Chapin*

Buster Chapin - October 08, 2018 at 06:59 PM

RM

“ HI Joan, it's Rosalind Morin, retired from Glengarry. I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you.

Rosalind Morin - October 08, 2018 at 05:30 PM

EG

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Bills passing, may he Rest in Peace, please know my thoughts and prayers are with all of his family and loved ones. May all of your memories bring you comfort during this difficult time. God Bless



Elizabeth Gruen - October 08, 2018 at 10:59 AM

Vicky Mantooth

“ To all of Bills family, my sincere condolences. Bill was such a sweet man and so full of life. He always made me laugh when he came by the Credit Union, sharing his travels and how much he loved his family with me. I will truly miss his smile and hugs. Peace and love be with all of you, Vicky Mantooth

Vicky Mantooth - October 05, 2018 at 06:20 AM

CF

“ Love and miss you Bill! Love Chris, Kati, and Michael



Chris Fleming - October 04, 2018 at 06:50 PM