



William McIlwaine Young, Jr.

August 28, 1930 - January 27, 2021

William McIlwaine Young, Jr, 90, of Chesterfield, passed away on Wednesday, January 27, 2021. He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 59 years, Barbara Young; older sister, Gene Y. Peterson, and his parents, William McIlwaine Young, Sr. and Selma Bland Jolly. He is survived by his sons, David A. Young (Lucille), Mark E. Young (Denise) and Paul E. Young; daughter, Lynn Y. Moore (Tom); 9 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild.

William is a retired U.S. Army Vietnam Veteran, A.H. Robins retiree, award winning woodcarver, dedicated swimmer and positive inspiration to family and friends. He was an active member of Woods United Methodist Church, a loving son, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, great-great-grandfather and friend.

A private service will be scheduled at a later date. The family is being served by J.T. Morriss and Son Funeral Home of, Chester Chapel. Memorial contributions can be made in his honor to, Woods United Methodist Church, 7200 Hickory Road, Petersburg, VA 23803. Condolences may be registered at www.jtmorriss.com.

Comments



“ Mark, Denise, Ammie, Jennifer, Jason, Chris, Lynn, Paul, David, & ALL family, Oh my! I am so sorry to hear of your dad's/grandad's passing. What a kind man! What a gentleman! My heart is with you in this great loss as are my prayers. With LOVE,
Rachel (Morgan) Campbell

Rachel Campbell - February 05 at 10:06 AM



“ To the family of Mr. Young from John and Natalie Hill

I first met Bill when I was a bank officer and he needed assistance, I believe, shortly after his wife's passing. Bill often mentioned over the years how much he missed his wife. He was such a kind and thoughtful person. We exchanged Christmas cards and spoke on the phone long after I retired. Our condolences to the family and we will truly miss him.

John and Natalie Hill
Hopewell, VA

John Hill - February 03 at 08:14 PM



“ To the Bill & Barbara Young's family from Barbara Young's youngest cousin. I have so many wonderful memories of this beautiful family from the early days. Then miles between the families were so many that we were seldom together, but never out of our hearts. The cousins met up together to celebrate their 50th Anniversary. I visited them in their home in Chesterfield and they visited me in Dodge City, Kansas as they traveled to historical points across the United States. Bill was very interested in my Doolittle paintings. He then was in search for them himself! I know that Bill will be missed by many. He was such a kind, comforting gentleman with a smile that you could feel in your heart. He has now seen the face of Jesus and is in the arms of Barbara and smiles on their faces.

I am attaching a picture of me and my sister Jann. I am the one in white jacket. Jann passed this earth on 12-19-2018 I am posting this here in hopes that the Young Family will see my condolences . All is well - Bill is at Peace - Peace Be With You.

Pat Ralph-Wilkerson, Dodge City, KS email macpat948@gmail.com



Pat Ralph-Wilkerson - February 02 at 10:33 PM



“ My sympathies to Bill's family, I knew him from church. He was always willing to help. Also a great "pew" mate. He will be missed.

Janae House - February 02 at 12:19 PM



“ Anonymous sent a virtual gift in memory of William McIlwaine Young, Jr.



Anonymous - January 30 at 01:03 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William McIlwaine Young, Jr..



January 29 at 05:17 PM



“ My sincerest condolences to the family. Bill was my first boss at A H Robins. I was his secretary for 5 years. I have so many fond memories of Bill and would like to share just a couple of my favorites. When Bill turned 50 years old he had his own birthday cake made and brought it to work with him. It said “Happy Half A Century” and had little toy soldiers, army helmets, and an American Flag. No one knew it was his birthday because he was not one for fanfare at work. The second memory is of a very unique Christmas gift. He would always ask me each year what I would like for Christmas. One year trying to be funny I told him “Cold Hard Cash”. On Christmas Eve morning Bill presented me with a heavy square package wrapped in aluminum foil. Inside was a big block of ice with silver dollars frozen into it. We both laughed until we had tears in our eyes! I learned so much from Bill and am so thankful that he was my first boss and mentor. God bless.

Sheila Benton Rose - January 29 at 11:44 AM



“ Thank you so much for sharing those memories. Imagining Grandad's laugh was just what I needed today. Warmest regards.

Kristi - January 30 at 04:04 PM



“ I was so sorry to hear this. Bill was my first cousin. He was such

A sweetheart. So kind hearted and always looking to help

Someone else. I asked him once to make me an Angel

Doorknocker in his workshop. He tried and wasn't satisfied with

It. He later showed up at my door with one he had purchased

for me. Its on my front door and that's where it will stay.

I remember how much Bill loved putting puzzles together. He

loved a challenge and the typical puzzle was too easy so he

would turn the puzzle picture down to make it interesting.

Bill will be missed by many. Praying God's peace, comfort, and

Blessings on his sweet family.

Carolyn Beville

Carolyn Beville - January 31 at 05:29 PM