



William E. "Bill" Tripp

December 24, 1948 - November 27, 2021

William E. "Bill" Tripp, 72, of Elizabethtown, passed away on Saturday, November 27, 2021. Born in Johnstown, PA, he was the son of the late Joseph Lee Tripp, Sr. and Ruth Ann (Carnahan) Tripp. Bill was the husband of Regena (Thomas) Tripp with whom he celebrated 49 years of marriage.

Bill graduated from Nanty Glo -Vintondale High School, class of 1966. Bill is a veteran of the Vietnam War. He served in the Army, achieving the rank of Sergeant (E-5). He retired from Armstrong World Industries, Marietta ceiling plant and worked for UHS at Penn State Health. Bill was an active member of West Green Tree Church of the Brethren serving as a deacon, usher, and on various committees. He was an avid sportsman who loved to fish, hunt, play softball, and bowl. He was a helper and did whatever he could to assist his family, friends, and neighbors with anything they needed.

Surviving in addition to his wife Regena, are three children, Linda S. Tripp of Elizabethtown, Liane Sucharski, wife of Evan, of Elizabethtown, and Jessica R. Tripp of Harrisburg; a grandson, Erik Sucharski; three sisters, Suzanne L. Webb, wife of Wayne, of Berryville, VA, Margaret A. Bateman of Hummelstown, and Bess R. Bartoletti, wife of Philip, of Emporium, PA; and a brother, Robert C. Tripp, husband of Roseann, of Summerhill, PA.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Joseph Lee Tripp, Jr. and Harry J. Tripp; and a sister, Melinda F. Rolls.

A funeral service honoring Bill's life will be held at Florin Church of the Brethren, 815 Bruce Avenue, Mount Joy on Saturday, December 4, 2021 at 11

AM. Family and friends will be received at the church before the service from 9 AM to 11 AM. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Kraybill Mennonite School, 598 Kraybill Church Rd, Mount Joy, PA 17552.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Florin Church of the Brethren
815 Bruce Avenue
Mount Joy, PA 17552

Funeral Service

DEC 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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815 Bruce Avenue
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Tribute Wall

GP

“ *Glenda Plamann lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Glenda Plamann - December 19, 2021 at 06:59 PM

CH

“ *Reggie, I am very sorry to hear about your husband Bill. I am praying for you and your family. Coletta Herrman*

Coletta Herrman - December 05, 2021 at 01:59 PM

LK

“ *Reggie, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your husband, Bill. Please know that you and your family are in my prayers. Liz Kireta*

Liz Kireta - December 05, 2021 at 01:30 PM

MC

“ *We are sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Merlin and Deb Cable*

Merlin Cable - December 04, 2021 at 07:26 PM

PW

“ I played softball with Bill when i went to West Greentree. I remembered that he was he batted left handed. I ran into him a few times lately mostly at JB Hostetter and he was always in a good mood. He will be missed by many.



Paul Walmer - December 03, 2021 at 09:26 PM

LV

“ I am so sorry for your terrible loss. Bill was a good man, funny, kind, and quietly generous. I look at his obituary photo and remember that smile.
May your memories comfort you, may time heal you. I am praying for peace in your hearts and strength for the difficult journey ahead.
With love,
Lenore Vargo

Lenore Vargo - December 03, 2021 at 07:41 AM

DT

“ Dad and uncle bill . You could tell they are brothers.



David Tripp - December 02, 2021 at 06:57 PM

RJ

“ *Bill and his family lived across the road from us next to the railroad tracks back in the day when life seemed more simple and fun. I would often follow Bill's brother Bob around as his shadow. May the consolations of Christ along with God's sovereignty over all matters be very real to you dear folks at this most difficult time.*
Bob Jurick (Jack Alexander's brother)

Robert Jurick - December 01, 2021 at 06:33 PM

WW

“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



wayne webb - December 01, 2021 at 03:19 PM

RW

“ *I am so sorry to hear of your husbands passing Reggie. Prayers for your comfort.*

Roberta Waters

Roberta Waters - December 01, 2021 at 03:11 PM

SL

“ *R.I.P. Bill. Many memories from working at Armstrong!*

Skip Loraw - December 01, 2021 at 01:03 PM

BA

A wonderful very pleasant man who will be missed by all

Brenda Axe - December 01, 2021 at 02:41 PM

DB

*Met Bill on my bowling league. Great guy will miss him. R.I.P.
Denny*

Dennis M brown - December 01, 2021 at 04:18 PM



I don't know how it happened but during our senior year of high school he manned a spot in the back seat of my car with a carload of girls on Saturday nights. We had a blast! Singing to the radio and going to the custard stand for something to eat. Fun times. He was in his glory in that backseat! We both had a curfew and I remember "speeding" down the road to his house so he was ON Time. Many good memories. God is going to love having Bill in His backseat singing, telling jokes and seeing him with that devilish smile! RIP Bill

Nancy Scaife Kuftic - December 01, 2021 at 08:00 PM

NL

“ *Nicole L. lit a candle in memory of William E.
"Bill" Tripp*



Nicole L. - December 01, 2021 at 11:53 AM

RH

“ *Ruth And Dave Hawthorne lit a candle in
memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Ruth and Dave Hawthorne - December 01, 2021 at 10:59 AM

JG

“ *Jim Gruber lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Jim gruber - December 01, 2021 at 06:32 AM

GF

“ *Gale And Jay Forry lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Gale and Jay Forry - November 30, 2021 at 07:02 PM

MG

“ *Michele Gruber lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Michele Gruber - November 30, 2021 at 05:21 PM

BS

“ *Barbara Schwanger lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Tripp*



Barbara Schwanger - November 30, 2021 at 04:29 PM