



William "Bill" R. Walker

February 3, 1954 - January 21, 2022

William "Bill" R. Walker, 67, of North Fond du Lac, died on Friday, January 21, 2022, at St. Agnes Hospital.

He was born on February 3, 1954, in Sendai, Japan, the son of Robert and Hiroe Shoni Walker. He was a graduate of L.P. Goodrich High School. He was a veteran of the United States Army, as an expert marksman, and was stationed in Italy.

Bill worked as a brakeman/conductor for Chicago Northwestern, then AT&T, and was currently employed at Charter Spectrum Communication. He was a member of Immanuel-Trinity Lutheran Church, and served on various committees. Bill was a Scout Master in North Fond du Lac for 25 years. He was an avid hunter, fisherman, enjoyed eating kimchi, playing tricks on people, and above all else, making people happy.

He is survived by his children: Trevor (Stacy) Walker of San Antonio, TX, Trent (Holly) Walker of Fond du Lac, and Derek Scholler of Fond du Lac; his grandchildren: Nicholas Walker of Sheboygan and Nicole (Evan) McWilliams of Joint Lewis-McChord, WA; his great-grandson Ayden Walker, his mother Hiroe Walker, his siblings: Nancy (Walter) Snyder, Donna Bauer and Michael Walker all of Fond du Lac; and numerous nieces, nephews and other family members.

He is preceded in death by his father, two sons: Trell and Troy Walker.

VISITATION: The family will greet guests from 9:00 - 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 29, 2022, at Immanuel-Trinity Lutheran Church, 210 Wisconsin American Drive, Fond du Lac. MASKS ARE REQUIRED FOR THOSE IN ATTENDANCE.

SERVICE: Memorial services will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 29, 2022, at Immanuel-Trinity Lutheran Church, with Rev. Tom Meyer officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial appreciated to Immanuel-Trinity Lutheran Church or the Boys and Girls Club of Fond du Lac.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 29. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel-Trinity Lutheran Church
20 Wisconsin American Drive
Fond du Lac, WI

Service

JAN 29. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Buddy, Pal friend to the end. Miss our daily phone calls and miss seeing you.*

Gary & Sharon Hensen

Sharon Hensen - March 22, 2022 at 05:18 PM

CH

“ *Walker Family - Sorry to hear about Bill. He was involved in changing many young men's lives through the world of Scouting. I will miss Bill, as I just lived down the block from him and he would always say "How you doing Buddy" as you would drive by and honk the car horn and wave at Bill.*

May God Bless Him and Bill find Comfort In The House Of The Lord!

Peace and God Bless You All! - The Charlie Hoepfner family

Charlie Hoepfner - January 28, 2022 at 03:05 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" R. Walker.*



January 27, 2022 at 10:33 AM

TR

“ *Sorry to here of Bill's passing, had alot of fond memories when we where younger. Was thinking of Bill when I was back in F.D.L last Sep. 2021.*

Tim Roloff - January 26, 2022 at 07:25 PM

SS

“ Our dear friend Bill. We will miss you so much! Never forgetting your happiness and laughter you brought when visiting our neighbor, Dick Papple. Loved working in the garden with you and sharing stories. RIP 🙏😭❤️. Brian and Sue

Susan Muetzelburg and Brian Seichter - January 25, 2022 at 05:08 PM

PD

“ To Bill's Family:
I was so shocked to hear of Bill's death. He was such a wonderfully kind man - and humorous as well. He always called us to thank us for the cards we sent to him on holidays and birthdays. He was a joy to talk to. Bill was a man of God, and he knew that God would open His arms for him. I can see Bill wrapped in the arms of our Lord and Saviour with the biggest grin on his face! He will be greatly missed.

Dave and Paula Draves

Paula Draves - January 25, 2022 at 02:28 PM

SV

“ So sorry for your loss. I worked with Bill at AT&T, he was always upbeat and willing to help. Also generous in sharing from his great drawer!

Susan Vernon - January 24, 2022 at 08:57 PM

RJ

“ Bill and I served together in Italy's beautiful Alps - literally, we served atop a beautiful alpine mountain. We were two young enlisted Soldiers; bunkmates sharing a very cold 2-man room - we worked together -we partied together and we got in trouble together. When we weren't out and about the towns of Bressanone or Chiusa we played a lot of cards, mostly spades. We were unbeatable. Bill met my wife, Rita, when she was my new Italian girlfriend.

The photos were taken on Christmas Eve, 1974. We were partying in the barracks and those pictures were taken in the movie room. Bill was not a drinker but that night, he enjoyed Southern Comfort and few others brands. The dog is the Colonel - we both took care of him; the Colonel was OUR dog living in the barracks. There are so many stories to share.

When Bill's tour ended he went to Ft Hood and then left the service; I stayed in. For the past 46 years Bill had called us every New Years day. No matter where in the world we were stationed - he found us, I can still hear his voice starting the conversation with "Hello buddy - ciao bella." We would talk about families and a lot of things but always we would end up where we started out - our days in the Army. HOOAH! Rest in peace my friend - our hearts ache - you will be missed especially when we won't get that call on New Years day.

Miss you buddy.



Richard Jung - January 24, 2022 at 06:02 PM

RJ

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Richard Jung - January 24, 2022 at 05:41 PM

MG

“ *Bill was our neighbor on Michigan ave, north fond du lac, always willing to help with anything, he cleared snow for us for several years, would take no pay for this. He was always ready to chat as a good neighbor, he will be missed.*

Mike & Mary George - January 24, 2022 at 03:57 PM

GB

“ *I worked with Bill for many years at AT&T and enjoyed his sense of humor. Bill was such a caring and giving person. He was happy to help with any office wide festivities and first to step up when a peer fell on hard times and needed any kind of support. My condolences to his family and friends.*

Georgine Bauer - January 24, 2022 at 02:00 PM

PJ

“ *Bill has been friends with my husband Bryan Jorgenson since they've been 6 yrs old, Bill loved our children like they were his own (they thought of him as Uncle Buck). Bill will be sadly missed by us all RIP Bill untill we meet again buddie. Love Bryan,Penny, Sarah an Zack*

Penny Jorgenson - January 24, 2022 at 01:24 PM