



Billy Dean Farish

September 20, 1932 - September 6, 2020

Billy Dean Farish Born September 20, 1932 Corsicana, TX passed peacefully September 6, 2020 with two of his three sons by his side and the third one had driven 8 hours both ways to see him the day before. He is now with his beloved wife of 60 yrs., Mary Inda Farish who preceded him in death.

Bill graduated from Corsicana High School in 1950. After graduation, Bill enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corp reaching the rank of Corporal and served in the Korean War.

Survived by, sons, Dr. Mike Farish and wife Rhonda of McKinney, Brad Farish and life-partner Shari of Carrollton, Jeff Farish and wife Denise of Houston; grandchildren, Chris Farish and wife Erin of Dallas, Sarah Arthur of Plano, Billy Farish of Jacksonville, Fl., Natasha Farish of McKinney, Josh and Jake Farish of Houston; great-grandchildren, Carson Farish of Dallas, Jackson Arthur of Plano, Cole, Case and Carter Farish of Ore City, Lexi Farish of McKinney; siblings, Brother Clifford Farish of Greenville, Peggy Tipping of Dallas, and Claudia Patton of Cocoa Beach, FL.

He is preceded in death by his parents Vernon Farish and Thelma Farish Thompson, and brother, Floyd Farish.

He was loved by many nieces, nephews, cousins and a surrogate of kids and

friends from the raising his 3 sons in Lancaster.

Bill was a 54 year resident of Lancaster where he filmed the varsity football games for many years and was also the President of Athletic Booster Club. Bill coached little league for many and also served on various city planning committees. He was known by several kids in Lancaster with respect as Mr. Farish as well as Mr. Bill, helping kids and making them laugh. Bill was constantly assisting others with his carpentry and mechanical skills, there was not anything he could not fix or build nothing that he would not do to help anyone that asked without expectation of payment.

Family will receive friends from 10:00am to 11:00am, Monday, September 14, 2020 at Byrum Funeral Home Chapel with a celebration of Billy's life beginning at 11:00am.

Graveside services by invitation only, due to current restrictions, will be later at DFW National Cemetery, Dallas, TX.

In lieu of flowers, family requests memorials in honor of Bill to the Parkinson's Foundation

https://www.parkinson.org/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Google_AlwaysOn_Brand&utm_term=parkinson%27s%20foundation&gclid=Cj0KCQjwwOz6BRCgARIsAKEG4FXMQuGEIWuwHZi9SAOmM-oUWjZpx9kVDVO1MKPefdQIUSFGjnJ0dCEaArwhEALw_wcB

Cemetery Details

DFW National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway
Dallas, TX

Tribute Wall



“ *Byrum Funeral Home Inc. created a Webcast in memory of Billy Dean Farish*



Byrum Funeral Home - September 12, 2020 at 02:03 PM

LH

“ *Mike, Brad, and Jeff...my heart breaks for you. Your Dad was a wonderful and loving man. I've known him my whole life as we were first cousins but until I was in my 30's, I called your folks Uncle and Aunt (my Mom was so much younger than your Nannie). They were always there for me. When we all were little our families spent a lot of time together. I cherish those memories! My folks loved your folks ! Always a fun time when we were together, lots of laughing! I will miss him terribly. All my love to you guys.*

Lou Etta Hyden - September 12, 2020 at 04:48 PM

AV

“ *Ana Paula Vieira purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Billy Dean Farish.*



Ana Paula Vieira - September 11, 2020 at 04:02 PM

SH

“ Stephen Hilz purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Billy Dean Farish.



Stephen Hilz - September 11, 2020 at 04:02 PM

CQ

“ Chuck and Julie Quaid purchased the Bountiful Rose Basket for the family of Billy Dean Farish.



Chuck and Julie Quaid - September 11, 2020 at 01:01 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.



September 11, 2020 at 09:51 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.



September 10, 2020 at 02:04 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.* ”



September 10, 2020 at 01:13 AM



“ *Jan Curry lit a candle in memory of Billy Dean Farish* ”



Jan Curry - September 09, 2020 at 07:16 PM



“ *Sympathy and prayers for Mike, Brad, Jeff and their families.* ”

Liz Grindele - September 09, 2020 at 06:01 PM



“ *Selinda lit a candle in memory of Billy Dean Farish* ”



Selinda - September 09, 2020 at 04:26 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.*



September 09, 2020 at 12:47 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.*



September 09, 2020 at 12:44 PM



“ *Distinguished Service Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Billy Dean Farish.*



September 09, 2020 at 12:31 PM