



William J. Wail

July 24, 1931 - December 28, 2020

William J. Wail, age 89 of Crown Point, L.O.F.S., passed away December 28, 2020. He served for the U.S. Army during the Korean War, worked as a carpenter for Local 434 and was a general superintendent in the city of Chicago. Bill was also a member at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. He enjoyed building furniture and fishing, but most of all spending time with his family. Bill was preceded in death by his first wife- Camilla Wail; second wife- Betty Wail; 5 siblings. He is survived by his children- Wayne, Dave (Laura), Joe (Betty), Jeff (Anne), Julie Wail, Lynne (Dave) Radanovich, Laura (John) Mech, Liz (Mike) Kusay, Nick (Tammy) Witteveen, Luci (Rich) Krohn; several grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren, many nieces, and nephews. A memorial visitation will be held Saturday, January 9, 2021 from 9 a.m. until the time of the memorial service at 11 a.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. Inurnment St. Benedict Cemetery, Crestwood IL. www.burnsfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

St. Benedict Cemetery

Crestwood, IL

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

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

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Tribute Wall



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



January 08, 2021 at 11:39 AM



“ *Uncle Bill wasn't just a great Uncle. He was a loving husband and father. He was a loving brother and brother-in-law to my dad and mom. He was a great employer to me, my brother, cousins and others. I paid for my college because of the summer jobs he hired me for. He was a great hunting buddy, along with my Dad, Uncle Jim, Greg, Jeff and a couple of times with Stephanie. We didn't always get any birds but we always laughed and had a good time.*

He will be missed by all who knew him

Love you Uncle Bill and all who went before you

Dan

Dan Wail - January 07, 2021 at 05:10 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



January 06, 2021 at 10:26 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



January 06, 2021 at 12:27 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



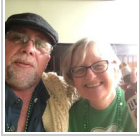
January 03, 2021 at 05:29 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



January 02, 2021 at 07:37 PM



“ Uncle Bill was a good man and a true Wail! I'm sure he's meeting up with his brothers and sisters talking about the old days just like Hollanders like to do! MY sister Diane and I were talking and said the same thing...when we would talk with uncle Bill at reunions, we would walk away and both say gosh it was like talking with our dad. Those Wail traits run deep...not only did he look like my dad , his voice was identical and he could tell a story and laugh just like John J. WAIL. So when Diane and I would see Uncle Bill it was special, because we felt like we were getting the chance to visit with our dad one more time. We will miss you uncle Bill, God Bless You ❤️❤️
Love Carol and Diane

Carol O'Connell - January 01, 2021 at 09:35 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.



December 30, 2020 at 05:45 PM



“ To all of my cousins who have lost their Dad and my Uncle Billy. Your Dad was an amazing guy. He could talk the paint off a fence, as my Dad used to say. My parents always appreciated his trips to Florida, staying close to his sister and her family even after they had moved away. He always made the drive to Orland for a very long lunch when they came here to visit too. I'll always be grateful for the many butt dials I received this past year, giving us the chance to catch up with each other. I hope you are having one helluva party up there. You will be missed Uncle Billy. Susie

Susan Muir - December 30, 2020 at 09:24 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



December 29, 2020 at 10:19 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of William J. Wail.*



December 29, 2020 at 07:02 PM



“ *Deepest condolences to my cousins for the loss of their father, my Uncle Bill. Growing up down the street from Uncle Bill was great. He was kind of like a second dad to me and my siblings. My funniest memory was Uncle Bill trying to talk me into tying one end of a string to my front tooth and the other end to our kitchen doorknob to pull that tiny tooth out. (I wonder if he really thought I'd go for that?) I will miss your wit, your humor, your teasing and your cheerful face. God Speed Uncle Bill. Hope you're dancing away with all your loved ones who preceded you to Heaven. ❤️*

Patti (Wail) Tornabene - December 29, 2020 at 06:44 PM