



Bill "Poochie" Gillispie

December 17, 1948 - September 26, 2021

William McKinley "Bill" "Poochie" Gillispie II, 72, of Red House WV, formerly of Winfield, passed away on September 26, 2021 at St. Mary's Medical Center, Huntington WV.

He was the son of William and Iva Mae Henson Gillispie. A sister, Pattie Watson, also preceded him in death. Bill graduated from Winfield High School in 1968, was drafted into the US Army in 1968 and served his country proudly in Vietnam until 1971. He was retired from the Putnam County Sheriffs Dept, was a member of Adda Baptist Church, Hurricane and an active member of the Winfield area athletic community.

Surviving Bill is his wife of 46 years, Sharon Gillispie, son Shawn (Danielle) Gillispie of Fort Myers FL, daughter, Roxanna Hawkins (Tom Pinson) of Red House WV and William "Billy" (Amanda) Gillispie of Parkersburg, his grandchildren, Peyton and Adyson Gillispie, Zachary Searls, Nichole Wysong, Briauna Hailey, and Bayleigh and Brock Gillispie, and one great grandson Aiden Wysong, sisters Mae Erwin (Aubrey) and Caroline King and his special friends, Doug Parsons and Rick Painter, among many other friends and family.

Funeral Service for Poochie will be 1:00pm Saturday, October 2 2021, Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane. Burial will follow in Valley View Memorial Park.

The family will receive visitors from 11:00 am until 1:00pm at the funeral home.

Anyone wishing to leave an online memory may do so by visiting his tribute page at www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com

Chapman Funeral Home, 3941 Teays Valley Road Hurricane WV 25526, is honored to handle the Gillispie family's arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Valley View Memorial Park

2466 Main Street
Hurricane, WV 25526

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane
3941 Teays Valley Road
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bill "Poochie" Gillispie*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Bill and I have been friends since the early 70's when I worked with him on the Sheriffs Dept. He was a good man and will be missed by those who knew and loved him.*

Jim Meddings - October 02, 2021 at 10:47 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



October 01, 2021 at 08:26 AM



“ *Doug, Kim, Ryan & Chase purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



Doug, Kim, Ryan & Chase - September 30, 2021 at 09:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



September 30, 2021 at 12:34 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



September 30, 2021 at 09:42 AM



“ *The memories I have of Bill is he was a great person, great father to Shawn growing up, a family man, and a great coach to play baseball for. Bill volunteered with South Putnam and Winfield Little League for many years. We certainly won a LOT of games while Bill coached. I always have those memories for a lifetime. Bill cared about the youth in our community, he really put a lot of his time into it, and was very well respected by everyone. Bill always had a great sense of humor, and always had something funny to say. He will be truly missed by many people who where lucky enough to know him. Bill was one of a kind and that's what I remember the most. Truly honored to know him.*

PhilWilmoth - September 30, 2021 at 07:47 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of William McKinley Gillispie, II, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.
My thoughts
and prayers to the family of

US Army Veteran, William McKinley Gillispie, II, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - September 30, 2021 at 06:37 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



September 29, 2021 at 10:20 PM



“ *Bill was a Great Man Rest in Peace My Friend*

Mike Kelly

Mike Kelly - September 29, 2021 at 10:01 AM

CH

“ *Very sorry to hear the news. Godspeed Bill. I'm glad I got to know you. Best thoughts for the family. Carl Hostler*

Carl Hostler - September 29, 2021 at 08:44 AM

EG

“ *My condolences to the family for the loss of Bill Gillispie. I worked with him for eight years while he was in the Putnam County Sheriff's office and I was an assistant prosecuting attorney. Bill was clever, funny, truthful, and a bit irreverent-fast with a joke or a funny comment to lighten an overly serious mood. He brought a lot of joy to his work as a sheriff's deputy and was a good man. I would also see him at Winfield football games and we would catch up. Bill will be much missed by those of us fortunate to have known him. Rest In Peace, Bill Gillispie.*

Erik S. Goes

Erik S. Goes - September 29, 2021 at 08:31 AM

JH

“ *Sorry to hear that Bill has passed, condolences to his family & friends.
RIP Bill!!*

john hilliard - September 29, 2021 at 08:03 AM

JO

“ *Sorry for your loss.*



Josie - September 29, 2021 at 06:28 AM

DB

“ *David N Tammy Bright lit a candle in memory of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie*



David n Tammy Bright - September 28, 2021 at 08:26 PM

RT

“ *Robert And Della Taylor lit a candle in memory of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie*



Robert and Della Taylor - September 28, 2021 at 07:40 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



September 28, 2021 at 03:46 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Bill "Poochie" Gillispie.*



September 28, 2021 at 02:21 PM

JP

“*Heartfelt condolences to Sharon and Bill’s family. There are no words to express how sorry we were to hear of Bill’s passing. He was such a good man with the best sense of humor. He will be sorely missed by all that knew him. Peace and comfort to you all. Love, Jenifer and Frank Priddy*



Jenifer Priddy - September 28, 2021 at 12:47 PM