



## Bill W. Walls

February 18, 1925 - January 26, 2022

Bill Walker Walls, 96, of Scott Depot WV, passed away on January 26, 2022 at CAMC Memorial Hospital, Charleston, WV.

He was born in Frame WV, on Feb. 18, 1925 to the late Ernest and Mabel Douglas Walls. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister Ruth, and 3 brothers, Bob, Frank, and Jim.

After high school graduation, Bill, like many young men at that time, served in World War II to protect our country and freedoms. As a U.S. Navy sailor, his service took him to the Pacific war effort in Okinawa. He returned home April 14, 1946 and on November 4, 1946 began a long work history with E.I. DuPont in Belle, WV. He was an Electrical - Instrument Technician, and a Safety Consultant at the time of retirement. He carpooled with local neighbors and traveled over fifty miles each day to get to and from his job at the plant, Monday through Friday. He was dedicated to his work at the company and was always eager to learn and move-up. After 36 years, he retired in December, 1982.

While living at Frame and Elkview, WV, Bill enjoyed hunting with the Eden's family at their cabin in Randolph County. Also, he and wife Norma enjoyed traveling to their camp on Becky's Creek in the WV mountains to relax and visit with folks who lived nearby.

Sports, especially baseball, were a passion in Bill's life. He would often go with a buddy to watch the minor league teams play at Wyatt Powell Park. He was always excited in the spring as Major League baseball opened the new season. Near mid-life, he grew to love golf. He would spend many evening and weekend hours at the former Meadowbrook Country Golf Club. After retirement he played at Scarlett Oaks, many West Virginia golf courses and in Myrtle Beach, S.C. with his favorite golfing partner Norma. They also traveled throughout the western U.S. and New England states and Canada.

Bill's greatest pride and joy was his family. He is survived by his loving wife of 74 years, Norma Jean O'Dell Walls. His children: Patricia Ann Walls Stone (Bill) of Kingwood WV, Sharon Kay Walls Williams (Eddie) of Ireland WV, and William Michael Walls (Jamie) of Scott Depot WV. He is also survived by his grandchildren: Kristan, Vanessa, Eric, Karrah, Ryan, Lara, Corey and Dustin, as well as, 12 great-grandchildren.

Bill will be honored by a private family service and will be laid to rest at Elk Hills Memorial Park, Big Chimney, WV.

Anyone wishing to leave the family an online memory or condolence may do so by visiting Bill's tribute page at, [www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com](http://www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com).

Chapman Funeral Home, 3941 Teays Valley Road Hurricane WV 25526 is honored to serve the Walls family.

# Cemetery Details

## **Elk Hills Memorial Park**

4705 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Charleston, WV 25302

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bill W. Walls*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 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 Bill Walker Walls, 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 Navy Veteran, Bill Walker Walls, 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 - January 29, 2022 at 05:45 AM

GB

“ Norma, we want to send our condolences and our heartfelt sorry for your loss. I know words doesn't make it any easier but knowing that we are thinking of you and keeping you in our thoughts and prayers will bring some peace to you and the family.

Love

Ginny and JD

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**Ginny and JD Barnett** - January 28, 2022 at 11:46 PM

CC

“ So sorry to hear of Uncle Bill's passing. He lived an amazing life and was even more of an amazing man. When young at my grandmother's house I remember his presence being bigger than life but as kindhearted of

A person you would ever meet. Much love to the Wall's family and to my Aunt Norma.

Sincerely with Love

Chris Cline

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**Chris Cline** - January 28, 2022 at 11:03 PM

DE

“ To the family of Bill Walls , I only met him a couple times, but I feel like I have known him all my life, with all the story's that were told by his friend Harold Pauley, of the good times they had at hunting camp, Harold said he was always happy, funny, and very humble, and a great help with J.L. Edens when needed, he was a part of a great generation that is the greatest ever, I have always been grateful that he took the time to come to camp for the 50 year anniversary. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Doug EDENS.



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**Doug Edens** - January 28, 2022 at 08:31 PM

SB

“ Bill, this is Scott Bickel reaching out to you. I have wondered for a while if you still had your parents. I lost mine in 2000 and 2007. I find it ironic that your father passed on my fathers birthday. Remember you and your family are in my prayers.  
Scott

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**Scott Bickel** - January 28, 2022 at 05:56 PM

JE

“ Sorry to hear the sad news. I knew of Bill from hearing stories about him from his son Bill, who I've known for a long time. Enjoyed hearing about his being a World War II veteran and love of sports. Will be thinking of you all.

John Einreinhofer

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**John Einreinhofer** - January 28, 2022 at 10:00 AM

CS

“ Mrs. Walls, Patty, Sharon and Mike, so very sorry to learn of your Dad's passing. Hugs and prayers for your families. Your Dad had a good, long life. We had some good times at your house in Elkview. Love to all, Carolyn (Strickland) and Gary Spurgeon.

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**Carolyn Spurgeon** - January 28, 2022 at 09:29 AM

CS

“ Mrs. Walls, Patty, Sharon and Mike, so very sorry to learn of your Dad's passing- he had a good, long life. Hugs and prayers for all of you. We had some good times together at your house in Elkview- some years ago. Love to all, Carolyn (Strickland) and Gary Spurgeon ❤️🙏

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**Carolyn Spurgeon** - January 28, 2022 at 07:56 AM



“ *Fall Fantasia was purchased for the family of Bill W. Walls.*



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January 27, 2022 at 07:15 PM



“ *Bill was my supervisor for a few years. His smile and easy going personality was catching. I remember all the guys I worked with and he was one of the best.*

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**jim drennen** - January 27, 2022 at 06:37 PM