



William Albert Busick

June 9, 1941 - March 17, 2024

1941-2024

On March 17th 2024, William (Bill) Albert Busick of Albuquerque, NM, at age 82, was called home to be with his Heavenly Father. He was a Godly man, who had a powerful relationship with Our Lord. Each morning he read his devotional and bible which nurtured his spirit. Bill lived his life following the Golden Rule. Bill had many amazing accomplishments throughout his life. He served the United States Air National Guard during the Vietnam War where he was activated to Korea and Japan as a Para Rescue. He received an Honorable Discharge as a Master Sergeant. Bill had an impactful career with the Albuquerque Fire Department as a fireman and paramedic. As a paramedic, he was so highly respected, he was always called upon to ride the ambulance detail when President's and other dignitaries were in town. He served as an instructor for decades at UNM EMS Academy and later at CNM. He trained many Paramedics and EMT's who continue to provide Emergency Medical Services throughout New Mexico. He is often referred to as "a Legend" in the EMS field. He also worked on ski patrol at several New Mexico Ski Resorts and for Med Bow where he served for over 22 years providing paramedic services for rodeo and horse events. He also served on several DMAT Team Deployments to include the first DMAT Team deployment by the Federal Government where they provided emergency medical services for the St Croix Hurricane victims in makeshift hospitals made out of military tents

that were located in the parking lots of hospitals that had been destroyed. He was preceded in death by his loving parents, George and Rosina Busick. Survived by the love of his life, wife of 18 years, Brenda Cordova-Busick, the twilight of his eye, daughter, Sarah Silva, who he lovingly referred to as Bubba, Father in Law, Arthur Cordova (Kathy), Mother in Law, Tomasita Cordova, Sister, Bonnie Shiflett, Half Sisters, Vickie Reynolds, Debra Owen, Sister in Law, Judy Cordova-Romero(Lauren) Brother in Law's, Phillip Cordova, Jerome Cordova (Susan) nieces, Julia Free (Grady), Sheri Coombs (Guy), Lori Haupt (Chuck); Lauren Cordova; Olivia Cordova , nephews, John West, Thomas Cordova, Tristan Cordova, great nieces Amanda Dunlap, Bailey Coombs, Kayla West, Kimberly Reynolds, Melanie Owen, great nephews Roy Trimble, Chad Trimble, Jimmie Bridge, JC West, Shawn West, Taylor Coombs, William Reynolds and many, many life-long friends.

Bill was a kind and loving gentleman that left a lasting impression to all he came into contact with him. In his lifetime, through his gentle demeanor, he was many things to so many people, he had a heart of gold and truly enjoyed life. He was an avid golfer, farmer, roper, ranch sorter, fly fisherman, water skier, snow skier and flat track motorcycle racer. He loved watching rodeo and bull riding events. Most importantly, he was a true Gentleman with a kind spirit who lived a life of service. His Celebration of Life will be held on April 02, 2024, with visitation starting at 9 am followed by the Celebration of Life at 10 am and reception. All services to be held at the New Beginnings Church at 4770 Montgomery Blvd. NE; Albuquerque, NM. His final interment will be carried out at the Santa Fe National Cemetery scheduled on April 02, 2024 at 2:30 pm. Pallbearers are: Lauren Romero; Phillip Cordova; Jerome Cordova; Mike McCallister; Don Hossink and Taylor Coombs. Honorary pallbearers are: Sarah Silva, Kathy Kaestner; Eric Rasmussen; Larry Cobb; Mike Suber; Lorraine and Andy

Griner; and Candy and Ray De Frates ; Sammy Trujillo; Roy Winchester; Marti Montoya and Mike Cleland. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Saranam at info@saranamabq.org. Romero's Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Please sign Bill's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St., Belen, NM.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 9:00 AM (MT)

New Beginnings Church
4770 Montgomery Blvd. NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109

Celebration of Life

APR 2. 10:00 AM (MT)

New Beginnings Church
4770 Montgomery Blvd. NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109

Interment

APR 2. 2:30 PM (MT)

Santa Fe National Cemetery
501 N. Guadalupe Street
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Tribute Wall

JS

“ Bill and I raced and rode motorcycles in the late 50,s and belonged to the same M/C club. He had one of the first Maico M/C's imported to the states and boy could he ride!! I had just talked to him last year and we shared many memories, He even remembered my 1956 Black Dodge Convertible. Sorry to see that he passed. He was a great friend years ago!!

John Stewart - July 19, 2024 at 05:15 PM

AB

“ Brenda, Sarah and all of Bill's family, we are so saddened to hear about Bill's passing. He was such a sweet and gentle soul. May your beautiful memories of Bill hold you during this time. Sending love to you all ~ Alejandra, Ruby, Oliver and Lola Barrientos

Alejandra Barrientos - April 03, 2024 at 10:07 AM



“ Brenda, Sarah and family,

I didn't know Bill well but my mother loved you, Bill and Sarah very much. She spoke of you often and always of your family's kindness, love and beauty.

My husband and I will pray for peace and your hearts to heal.

Love, Jennifer Bostian

Jennifer Bostian - March 31, 2024 at 08:46 PM

BM

“ You will not be forgotten. Thank you for the knowledge that you passed down to me.



Bill Martinez - March 31, 2024 at 07:05 PM

FS

“ Felipe Sanchez lit a candle in memory of William Albert Busick



Felipe Sanchez - March 29, 2024 at 04:20 PM

FS

“ It seems like yesterday that we were all laughing at Pete's and catching up on the things that we could and could not remember. Brenda, you couldn't of asked for a nicer man in a million years, and I pray that those good memories will sustain you in the hard times to come. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help. Sincerely, Felipe.

Felipe Sanchez - March 29, 2024 at 04:18 PM

LB

“ Brenda, Sarah and family. May God give the strength and comfort at this time. We were all blessed to know a person like Bill. God loves you with all his heart.

Your prima, Liz Baca.

Liz Baca - March 28, 2024 at 01:31 PM

OR

“ *Brenda and Family,*

Our hearts are filled with disquiet over the earthly loss of our primo Bill Busick. Yet, we rest in peace for had joined you with kindness and love! He lived at the beneficence of God who beckoned to converse with him. In keeping with his religious conviction, Bill was blessed for he had sipped from the cup of immortality confident of a warm reception in Heaven. His soul has departed to learn of its true affinity and to remain a guest in that eternal mystery. Knowingly, Bill left earth a better place for those of us who remain. May he rest in peace!



Brenda, in a language only intelligible in our hearts, we feel your heart's ache, thus we convey our love. May your soul in time bring you a harmony, away from sorrows, that begets solace to you and family.

I submit sincere condolences on behalf of Sue, our family and myself.

Your cousin,

Oscar S. Ramirez

Oscar S. Ramirez - March 27, 2024 at 10:29 PM

MS

From the beginning when I first met Bill 30 years ago in paramedic school, I had enormous respect for him. He never talked down to students during our many mistakes made during training. In more recent years I really enjoyed teaching with Bill at CNM. Making Bill laugh was the best and brought me great joy! There is no way to express how much he will be missed by so many people, most importantly his beloved family. Bill will always be in my thoughts and in my heart. Suber

Michael Suber - March 28, 2024 at 08:40 PM