



Billy (Bill) Jack Barnhouse

June 4, 1944 - May 11, 2012

Mr. Billy (Bill) Jack Barnhouse, age 67 of Bolivar, MO went to his Heavenly Home Friday, May 11, 2012 at 1:30 AM at his earthly home in Bolivar after a short illness.

He was born on June 4, 1944 in Bolivar, MO the son of William Henry Barney Barnhouse and Allean Dorce (Lunceford) Barnhouse.

Bill was a professional meat cutter for several years. He managed Wood Super Market in Stockton and El Dorado Springs. He worked as a custodian at Wal-Mart in Bolivar until his illness forced him to retire. Bill was a graduate of Bolivar High School in 1962. He also served from 1964-1970 in the U. S. Army Reserves. He had been a member of the First Baptist Church in Bolivar since 1955.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Doris Blankenship; a brother, Charles Barnhouse; brothers-in-law Robert Hood, John Skidmore, Charles Matthews and a nephew Jimmy Hood.

Bill is survived by a very loving partner in life, Elizabeth Harris of Bolivar; a son Darren Barnhouse and wife Lorraine of Round Rock, TX; and his two grandchildren, Ben and Clara Barnhouse of Round Rock, TX; four sisters, Rose Matthews of Springfield, IL; Janet Skidmore of Springfield, MO; Pat

Hood of Bolivar, MO and Linda Benner of Independence, MO; one brother Bob Barnhouse and wife Kelly of Bolivar, MO; brothers-in-law, Ray Blankenship of Mt. Vernon, MO; Larry Benner of Independence, MO; sister-in-law Berniece Barnhouse of Bolivar, MO, many nieces, nephews and other relatives and a host of many friends.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 am till service time on Monday, May 14, in Butler Chapel.

Graveside Funeral Services for Bill Barnhouse will be held on Monday, May 14, 2012 at 10:00 AM in the Greenwood Cemetery in Bolivar with Dr. William Hooper and Rev. Dennis Blankenship. Burial will be under the care and direction of the Butler Funeral Home of Bolivar. Casketbearers will be Justin Barnhouse, Clay Barnhouse, Jason Barnhouse, Landon Benner, Terry Hood, Doug Artz. Honorary Casketbearers will be Richard Greven, Rick Barnhouse, Jeff Barnhouse, Bob VanHolt, Don Roderick, Russell Weeks, Dean Floyd and Joe Blair.

Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Friends may sign the guest book or send private condolences at www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Tribute Wall



“ *Billy (Bill) Jack Barnhouse*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Billy (Bill) Jack Barnhouse*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *I worked with Bill at WALMART. He was also, a good friend of mine. Will be greatly missed.*

Jeff McGuire - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Billy (Bill) Jack Barnhouse*

Ron & Janet Swopes - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *He was a good man, a joy to be around. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family*

Ed and Glada Gorden - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Darren and family - I am so sorry for your loss. I thought the world of Bill and he took me under his wing as if I was his own kid when he and I became neighbors (and coworkers) several years ago (around 1996 or so) in the old apartment building he lived in before he moved into his late home. I am gonna miss our phone calls, cards and visits whenever I come back to see my family in Bolivar. He was a wonderful person and I am so blessed to have had him in my life as he was a very dear friend. I could always count on him when I needed a friend, advice or just someone to vent to. God Bless.

Allison (Chaney) Mixon - May 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Sorry to hear about Bill's passing. You are in our prayers. Jerry and Vicki Carson

Jerry Carson - May 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ Darren and family,
So sorry about your loss! We were neighbors to him and your mom at Stockton before they moved to El Dorado Springs. He was a fine neighbor and friend. He will be greatly missed I am sure! Hold tight to the memories! God Bless.
Doris and Erick Schaefer

Erick and Doris Schaefer - May 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ Sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with Bill at WalMart.

Glenn Burnaman - May 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to all of you in the loss of your loved one.*

Norma

Norma (Foster) Cox - May 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *please accept my condolences. Jim Whitman*

James Whitman - May 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *Linda and family, I am so sorry to hear about Bill. My prayers will be with you. He was a great person and good to our family, too.*

Sherry Gezel - May 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM