



William Joseph "Bill" Beres

June 18, 1954 - April 24, 2019

William Joseph "Bill" Beres, age 64 of Cambridge, passed away on Wednesday, April 24, 2019 at SEORMC. He was born in Lorain, Ohio, on June 18, 1954, a son of the late James J. Beres and Marjorie (Ellis) Beres.

Mr. Beres was a 1976 graduate of Bowling Green State University and a two-time graduate of Hamburger University in Chicago, Illinois. He was the Director of Operations for the McDonald's Corporation and worked primarily in Cambridge and New Philadelphia, as well as other locations in the Southeastern Ohio region. He worked at the Firelands Scout Reservation and traveled to Philmont Scout Ranch before earning the rank of Eagle Scout. He volunteered for many years with the Muskingum Valley Council's Cub Scout Day Camp, including serving as Camp Director. He looked forward to competing annually in his fantasy baseball league, enjoyed playing FarmVille on his iPad, and delighted in playing cards and games with his family.

Bill is survived by his children, Ben (Sarah) Beres of Huntsville, Samantha Beres (Samuel Pulley) of Wilmington, Nathaniel (Joanna) Beres of Tiffin, Jamison Beres of Cambridge, and Zachery (Christiana) Beres of Columbus; the mother of his children, Wendy Beres of Cambridge; three grandchildren, Mason, Kirk and Alexander; siblings, Thomas (Lynn) Beres, Barbara (Keith) Clark; an uncle, Paul Ellis; and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents and a brother, James Beres.

A celebration of life will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, April 29, 2019 at Unity Presbyterian Church, located at 130 N. 7th Street Cambridge, Ohio 43725. Pastor Jeff Schooley will officiate the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Kidney Foundation of Ohio, 2831 Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115 or to the Ronald McDonald House, 711 East Livingston Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43205. Bill's online guest book may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Comments



“ When Bill and I were both active with Salt Fork Festival he was a tremendous help and friend. He was there to do the planning, the organizing, and, when needed, physical work. He was also a great guy just to spend time with. My condolences and love to all the family.

David Stout - May 01 at 08:15 PM



“ Wendy and family - you are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Paul and Pam Drotovick

Pam Drotovick - April 28 at 05:45 PM



“ Deepest sympathy to the Beres family. Bill was such a kind and gentle guy, who was always so nice to me.

May happy memories help you through this difficult time.

R.I.P., Billy.

Carol Jankowski Peto - April 28 at 05:10 PM



“ May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. Please accept my sincere condolences on the passing of your beloved father, Bill!

Phil Forsythe

Huntsville Presbyterian

Phil Forsythe - April 28 at 03:48 PM



“ My heartfelt thoughts, prayers and condolences to the family. I am truly heartbroken. I was blessed that Bill hired me at McDonald's for my very first job when I was 16 or 17. Bill was a mentor and taught me a lot at a time I needed it most. His morals, work ethic and knowledge were passed on to numerous people, especially myself. I left Ohio several years ago but we kept in touch over the years. One year when I visited Ohio, we met at McDonalds for lunch at 1 pm. Then dinner and we talked so much and catching up that we departed around 11 pm. A 10 hour visit and the employees were giving us free food. He absolutely adored and loves all his children and family. Bill was more than a boss. He was a life long friend and I will deeply miss him. There are so many fun memories I have of Bill and a special group of employees in our

younger years. RIP Bill you were loved by many and are already missed.



Beth Braden - April 28 at 12:11 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



April 27 at 09:08 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. Bill was an amazing man. He was my first boss when I was 16. I feel truly blessed that he is the one who taught me work ethic, and the importance of professionalism. I met him for lunch a few years back and enjoyed his company as we talked and laughed. He was so proud of his kids and just beamed when he spoke of them. I am in Texas until May 2 and cannot attend the service on Monday. My thoughts and prayers to Bills friends and family.

Donna Rose - April 27 at 11:28 AM



“ Barb, so sorry for the loss of your brother. May God bless him & your family. Peggy Gheta (Falcone)



Peggy Gheta (Falcone) - April 27 at 10:38 AM



“ Bill was such a great Supervisor and inspiration to me as I was making my way up through the McDonalds ranks. From crew member to Reataurant Manager, Bill was encouraging and super knowledgeable. I'm so sorry for his families loss. Bill, you were a great guy!!

Laura Patterson - April 26 at 06:23 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



April 26 at 04:56 PM



“ Jen P., Vanessa, Darlene, Matt S., and Lauren purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



Jen P., Vanessa, Darlene, Matt S., and Lauren - April 26 at 04:37 PM



“ So very sorry for your loss, Bill was a great FarmVille friend. We have played together for years. Rest In Peace Buddy!

QUENEVA HUGHES - April 26 at 03:26 PM



“ Nate,
So sorry to here about your father. Sending My Sympathy to you and your family

Terry Magers - April 26 at 01:23 PM



“ Dear Nate and Joanna and rest of family,
My deepest sympathies on the passing of your Dad. I didn't know him personally but I'm certain Nate your kindheartedness, strength and integrity came in large part from your father. I'm certain he was very proud of you and his family. He's with you always. Blessings of peace and comfort during these difficult challenging days of loss.

- Joanna Hinton

“I give you this one thought to keep,
I'm with you still. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow.
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain.
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush,
Of quiet birds in circled flight
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not think of me as gone
I am with you still, in each new dawn.
Do not stand at my grave and weep
I am not there, I do not sleep.
Do not stand there at my grave and cry
I am not there, I did not die.”

-Native American, author unknown

Joanna Hinton - April 26 at 12:04 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



April 25 at 11:02 PM



“ Dan, Pam, Jackie & Dan Jilek purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



Dan, Pam, Jackie & Dan Jilek - April 25 at 10:58 PM



“ Tom, Barb and family

Very sorry to hear of the passing of your brother Bill. As a little kid it was always fun hanging around your house and learning new things. Great memories with Bill.

Steve Skolnicki

Steve Skolnicki - April 25 at 10:54 PM



“ Tom, it is surprising to lose a younger sibling. :(I trust your family memories will be abundant with happy stories. God bless you.

Nancy Ann (Lincicome) Smith - April 25 at 10:05 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.



Jay and Ellen Wharton - April 25 at 09:20 PM



“ Bill I will miss you so much on FarmVille we played that game to all hours., I will miss your quick wit, you always called me The Boss My deepest condolences too all your family, he always talked highly of you all. Your in my thoughts and prayers

Cindy Johnson - April 25 at 08:34 PM



“ Barb, Tom and family; I so sorry to hear of Bill's passing. I remember having snowball fights in the back yard & him having a good laugh as he watched my Mom chase my brother Steve through your back yard. God bless.

Sue Evans (Skolnicki) - April 25 at 11:08 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William Joseph "Bill" Beres.



April 25 at 05:46 PM