



## Larry Richard Brill

April 21, 1946 - February 11, 2021

Larry Richard Brill  
1946 - 2021

Larry Richard Brill, devoted and doting father and grandfather and retired State Farm Insurance Agent of forty-five years, died February 11th, 2021 at Cleveland Clinic Akron General, surrounded by his loving wife and family. He was 74.

Born April 21, 1946 in Zanesville, Ohio, to the late Richard Vincent Brill and Freda Hutchison Brill. Larry grew up on Chestnut Hill Road near Kimbolton, and attended Cambridge City schools. In the NROTC program Ohio University in Athens, he graduated with a degree in Business Administration. His Navy career included flight training in Pensacola, Florida followed by time as a flight-scheduler at Naval Air Station Alameda in California.

As he and Judy built their life together in Cambridge, Ohio, Larry was very involved in the community including Kiwanis Club (past president), Boy Scouts (Assistant Scoutmaster and Eagle Scout Board of Review Chair) the YMCA

Board and The Dickens Festival Committee. He was proud to have donated blood to the American Red Cross over 230 times.

Larry is survived by his high school sweetheart and wife, Judith Brill, and their children: Eric Brill

(wife Linda, children Hallie, Noah, and Ian); Corey Brill (wife Joy, children Chloe, Soon and Wallace); and Kelly DeLuca (husband Domonic, children Angelo, Leonardo, Rocco and Gino); brothers David Brill (wife, Jill) and William Brill (Molly); and many in-laws, nieces and nephews, and family.

Like many other couples from that time, Larry and Judy met at a Park Dance at the Big Pavilion in 1963. He walked her home because he worried she wouldn't be allowed to ride in his car which immediately endeared him to her parents. This was the start of a love story that lasted over 52 years.

What a wonderful father and grandfather Larry Brill was. He supported all of his children's varied passions and pursuits no matter what they were. And as grandchildren came along he loved spending time with them.

Tennis was one of his passions. He loved his time at the Cambridge City Park tennis courts with his regular crew of doubles partners and he passed the love for the sport to his children who all played on the varsity team and continue to play to this day.

In addition to tennis he loved sailing, vacations at Holden Beach NC, telling wonderful jokes and stories, giving wonderful hugs and quietly helping others. Larry had a way of making those around him feel truly heard. If you knew him, you loved him. He treated friends, clients and strangers as family - it wouldn't have occurred to him to do differently. A man of few words, he was a friend to everyone out of the kindness of his heart, never for any recognition. For the rest of their lives his family will be hearing stories of how he helped and

touched others without anyone else knowing. Larry had a kind and gentle presence that made everyone around him feel comfortable and accepted. Throughout his life his goodness never waned. He will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

He would always say that if he ever came back, he'd like it to be as a pelican. So next time you're at the ocean, look up.

A memorial service will be planned in the coming months. Donations can be made to Cleveland Clinic, Cambridge YMCA or Cambridge Kiwanis Foundation at P.O. Box 1757, Cambridge, OH 43725. Condolences may be sent to [www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com](http://www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall

YB

“ Judy I'm so sorry to hear about Larry I wish I would have kept in better touch with all of you he was just wonderful and I have never forgot any of you and memories, deepest sympathy Yvonne

Yvonne Bowman - April 04, 2021 at 12:30 AM

JF

“ Joe Farrell lit a candle in memory of Larry Richard Brill



Joe Farrell - March 03, 2021 at 07:47 PM

MB

“ We were so sorry to learn of Larry's death. It's been many years since we lived in Cambridge, but when we did, we knew Larry through the insurance business and as a relative, of sorts. What we remember about Larry is that he was always jovial, kind and helpful. My prayers go to the entire family! Marty and Steve Bakos

Marty Bakos - February 20, 2021 at 01:13 PM

WT

“ I am saddened to learn of Larry's passing. He and I were close friends (and dorm mates) at Ohio University. Sadly, we lost contact through the intervening years. Time, however, doesn't extinguish memories of a cherished friendship. My heart goes out to Judy and all of Larry's family.

William Thomas - February 18, 2021 at 09:08 PM



“ Larry was a kind, hard working man who took wonderful care of his family. His love for Judy + his kids was clear. I babysat the kids when Kelly was a baby. Sending all you my deep sympathy and pray you will comfort one another during this painful time.  
Most Sincerely,  
Ann (Pattison) Lynam

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**Ann Lynam** - February 18, 2021 at 04:23 PM

CF

“ Chuck has been sharing memories of Larry with me from as far back as the second grade. Our thoughts and sympathy are with you and your family.



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**Chuck and Shana Fair** - February 18, 2021 at 03:10 PM

JR

“ Larry was a wonderful man. Judy and Larry ran a great insurance business . Hugs and prayers to the family. Saw a Pelican today. It stated at me near the beach. I'm sure it was Larry. Too cold in Ohio.

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**Jane Rawlings** - February 17, 2021 at 07:15 PM

ZP

“ My condolences to the Brill family. May they find peace, knowing of all the wonderful memories they shared. Zynness Platts



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**Zynness Platts** - February 17, 2021 at 03:57 PM

BK

“ *Dear Judy*

*Our deepest sympathies go out to you and your family. You have known Larry since high school, and have been with him ever since. I am sure there is a deep hole in your life since Larr will not be with you every day and nite. He has been your closest and nearest companion for most of your life. We have only known you and Larry since our son married your only daughter about 18 years ago. We have felt so close to you and Larry that you were one of the reasons that we moved from Northeast Ohio to Cambridge 16 years ago.*

*Larry always had a smile. He will be missed.*

*Bill and Jeanette Knuff*

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**Bill Knuff** - February 17, 2021 at 06:47 AM

BF

“ *Our deepest sympathies to the entire Brill family.*

*We have fond memories of Larry and Judy in our career pursuits over the past 40 years. I will always appreciate his kindness and soft spoken ways. We all could learn from his kind demeanor.*

*He will be missed by all that knew him.*

*Bill and Elaine Flesher*

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**Bill Flesher** - February 16, 2021 at 06:58 PM

PM

“ *Judy and family,*

*I am so sorry about Larry's death. I know he will really be missed.  
You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Phyllis(Polen)Mehaffey*

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**Phyllis Mehaffey** - February 16, 2021 at 03:29 PM

MC

“ *Dear Judy and Family,*

*Just want you to know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Larry was a wonderful person. May God comfort you and your family. It is always difficult to lose someone you love, but know we will all be together in Heaven someday.*

*May God Bless and Comfort you and your family,  
Mrs. Theresa Cochran & Family  
Delaware, OH*

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**Mrs. Theresa Cochran** - February 16, 2021 at 02:28 PM

TN

“ *My prayers are with you at the loss of one of the goods guys: father, husband, grandfather.  
A man respected and loved*



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**Teresa Brooks (mother of Casey and Nick)** - February 15, 2021 at 11:56 PM

NB

“ To Judy & family. Your in our thoughts & prayers. Nancy & Fred Butcher, Friendsville, Tn.



Nancy Butcher - February 15, 2021 at 06:30 PM

BW

“ Judy and family, we were shocked and very sad to hear of Larry’s death. You are in our thoughts. We will always think of Larry when we are at Seneca Lake. Brenda and Jim Workman

Brenda & Jim Workman - February 15, 2021 at 01:49 PM

SS

“ I was saddened to read about Larry's passing. He was a very good person and when I saw him he always had a smile. My thoughts and prayers are with his family. God bless you.



Stephanie (Evans) Snavely - February 15, 2021 at 12:37 PM

TB

“ So sorry about Larry's passing, he was a very humble, fatherly and warm hearted man.  
He helped me in my training. Larry always spoke of his children and grandchildren with such passion.  
Larry was a great State Farm agent and cared for his city very much.  
He will be missed by all.  
Tim Blue

Tim Blue - February 15, 2021 at 11:17 AM

MR

“ Judy and family, It was such a shock to all of us . We know that God, our Father in Heaven, is with all of you now and is with Larry. Many Blessings to each of you. I know Amy would want to express her condolences to her friend Eric. Love,  
Cal and Martha Rice

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**Martha Rice** - February 14, 2021 at 04:09 PM

CH

“ Condolences, prayers & hugs to all.

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**Cheri Harding** - February 14, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ 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 Larry Richard Brill, 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, Larry Richard Brill, 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 †

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - February 14, 2021 at 01:55 PM

KA

“ I read this poem last night and it says some of what I feel about losing Larry.

*People come into our lives  
and walk with us a mile.  
And then for some unknown reason  
they only stay a while.*

*They meet a need within the days  
that move so quickly by,  
and oft are gone beyond our reach-  
we often wonder why.*

*God only knows the reason  
that we meet and share a smile  
Why people come into our lives  
and walk with us a mile.*

- Anonymous

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**Kathi Albertson** - February 14, 2021 at 12:13 PM

KB

“ We will certainly miss seeing Larry down at the lake. My heart goes out to Judy and family. We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.

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**kathleen Bogart** - February 14, 2021 at 11:51 AM

JM

“ Judy and family  
So very sorry for your loss. Prayers 🙏  
Joyce and Don Moore

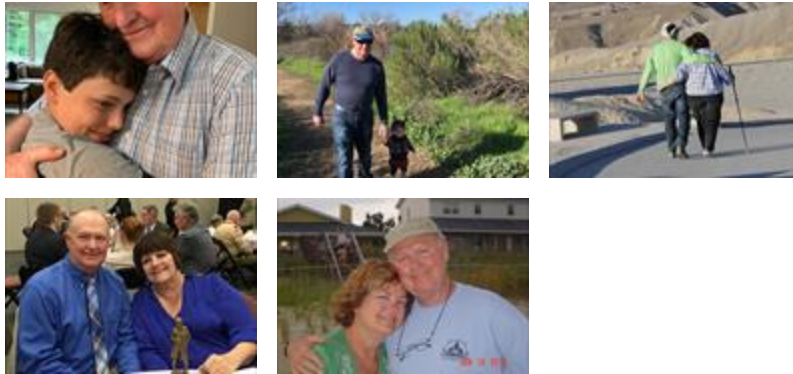


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**Joyce Moore** - February 14, 2021 at 11:22 AM

KD

“ 11 files added to the album more pictures



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**Kelly DeLuca** - February 14, 2021 at 11:07 AM

JH

“ Judy and family we are so sorry for your loss. We hope your  
memories of good times will comfort you during this difficult time.

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**Jim and Sharon Hayes** - February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM

SE

“ Larry Was A Great Guy He Was My Insurance  
Man For As Long As I Can Remember  
.Prayers For The Family,He Will Be Missed.



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**Sherry A Eddy** - February 14, 2021 at 10:58 AM

MA

“ A man who truly lived by the Scout Oath and Scout Law.



Mark Albertson - February 14, 2021 at 10:44 AM

LE

“ Jim and I are so sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed seeing Larry at the Y. He was always pleasant and friendly. He will be missed by many.

Lynn C Echard - February 14, 2021 at 09:26 AM

JG

“ So sorry for your loss. Larry will be missed by all who knew him.

Jerry and Delores Gibson - February 14, 2021 at 09:05 AM

TK

“ Larry Brill was a true nice person. In business he strived to do the best. His smile was genuine. Deepest sympathies to the family. This loss is a terrible tragedy. God Bless

Ted and Patty Khune - February 14, 2021 at 08:09 AM

LW

“ Larry was a very kind man who will be greatly missed! Much Love and prayers to Judy and family. God Bless, Larry and Sandy 💙✝️



Larry and Sandy West - February 14, 2021 at 07:43 AM

CC

“ *Judy and family,  
So very sorry for your great loss. You have my deepest sympathy  
and prayers for comfort during this very difficult time.  
God bless you all, Connie Chappellelear*

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**Connie Chappellelear** - February 14, 2021 at 06:17 AM

LQ

“ *What a wonderful man! Judy and family, we are so sorry for your  
great loss! Our thoughts and prayers are with you! Aaron and Lovel  
Quinn*

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**Lovel Quinn** - February 13, 2021 at 10:02 PM

RJ

“ *Deepest sympathies.*

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**Rod Johnson** - February 13, 2021 at 09:46 PM

JT

“ *Judy and family so sorry to hear of Larry's death. What a special  
person he was . Enjoyed working for and with him. I also remember  
going sailing with you two and what a wonderful time that was. You  
have my deepest sympathy and prayers for comfort during this time.*

*Jean & Ray Tuite*

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**Jean Tuite** - February 13, 2021 at 08:55 PM

JW

“ *A life well lived-a family well loved-what a wonderful legacy. So very  
sorry for all of you. Larry was my insurance agent for 20 years. Jo  
Weidman*

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**Jo Weidman** - February 13, 2021 at 08:46 PM

EH

“ So sorry for your loss. We always knew we could trust Larry with our insurance needs. He was a kind and considerate person. He will be missed by all who knew him. Prayers for you Judy and family during this difficult time.

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**Ed & Jean Helmick** - February 13, 2021 at 08:06 PM

DS

“ Many good times with Larry at Kiwanis and after Bingo. It was our pleasure to know him and to read what a great guy he was. Our prayers go out for Judy.

*Don and Jolene*

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**Don Sigman** - February 13, 2021 at 07:47 PM

CC

“ So sorry for your loss. Larry was my one and only agent for my car insurance since I was 16. Many , many years The same goes for my son, until he moved out of state at age 25ish. I always felt safe knowing Larry had my back . God bless you all

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**Cheryl cota** - February 13, 2021 at 05:57 PM

KA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Kathi Albertson** - February 13, 2021 at 05:45 PM

KA

*Larry was a great neighbor and an important influence in the lives of our 3 scouting sons. He will be greatly missed by all of us on 13th St.*

**Kathi Albertson** - February 13, 2021 at 05:52 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Larry Richard Brill.*



February 13, 2021 at 05:37 PM

LU

“ *So sorry to hear of Larry's passing. He had been our family's insurance agent for over 30 years. He was a wonderful person. Our condolences to his wife Judy, the family and his State Farm Family. You all are in our thoughts and prayers!*

*Ken, John, Anna Luczak and families*

**Luczak** - February 13, 2021 at 04:03 PM

MA

“ *Thoughts and prayers to the family 🙏🙏*

**mike Andrews** - February 13, 2021 at 03:49 PM

MM

“ *Sending condolences to Judy and the family.  
Sorry to hear about Larry passing  
He was a classmate in the class of 64.*

*Rest In Peace Larry*

*Margaret j Murgatroyd  
Peggy*

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**margaret j murgatroyd** - February 13, 2021 at 03:35 PM

JV

“ *So very sorry to hear such sad news Judy and family. May God  
comfort you all with his loving arms. Sending our sympathy, Joyce  
and Tom VanDyne 🙏🙏🙏*

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**joyce vandyne** - February 13, 2021 at 03:16 PM

CI

“ *So sorry for your loss. It was a tragic ending to a very likeable and  
loveable person. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Phil  
DeLuca and Carol Iacobucci*

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**Carol Iacobucci** - February 13, 2021 at 02:59 PM

PA

“ *My favorite memories of Mr. Brill,*

*Seeing him enjoy himself at the Rally in the Alley.*

*Hearing him recite a poem by Robert Service as he drove us to junior high.*

*Thoughts and prayers!*

*The Arizona Albertsons*

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**PAUL D ALBERTSON** - February 13, 2021 at 02:01 PM

TA

“ *The Arizona Albertsons purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Larry Richard Brill.*



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**The Arizona Albertsons** - February 13, 2021 at 01:59 PM

MM

“ *So very sorry for you Judy and your beautiful family..It has been a privilege to have known Larry with warm memories of fun times with you both. Prayers for you all.*

*Marilyn and Rob Moorehead*

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**marilyn and Rob Moorehead** - February 13, 2021 at 01:55 PM

PB

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

*Jim & Paula Bakos*

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**Paula Bakos** - February 13, 2021 at 01:39 PM

TR

“ Larry was truly as kind and caring as anyone I've ever known. I remember first meeting him on the docks at the Land O' Lakes Yacht Club back in the days when we put in the docks ourselves. He had on a grungy old Ohio University sweatshirt (we were all pretty grungy on those put-in and take-out days). Being an OU grad myself we had something to talk about right away. I was a newby but Larry was kind and welcoming and showed me the ropes. When I got my 20' Gloucester sailboat, Larry and Judy were among the first to sail in it with me. I sailed with them several times over the years. They were great company to sit with during club parties. When my insurance man retired I was happy to switch my policies to Larry. He will certainly be missed by many at our boat club. Our deepest condolences to Judy and the rest of his family.

*Tom and Ann Rattine*

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**Thomas Rattine** - February 13, 2021 at 11:27 AM

JT

“ Judy, so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. I will always remember the times on W 8th street where we shared a building. John Taylor

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**John Taylor** - February 13, 2021 at 11:25 AM



“ Judy I am so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. I will remember the fun times at the Y with you and Larry. June & Mike Kruzan

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**June Kruzan** - February 13, 2021 at 10:23 AM