



Bill Newman

May 23, 1936 - November 10, 2023

Billy "Bill" Dean Newman, 87, passed away November 10, 2023.

A native of Lyman, son of the late James "Bub" Newman and Masal Turner Newman, he retired from the U.S. Army National Guard after 20 years of service and was a retired employee of Springs Industries. He was a member of Burnsvieview Baptist Church where he served as music director and served as music director for 20 years at Lizze's Chapel Church in Maggie Valley, North Carolina.

Surviving is his wife, Betty Moore Newman of the home; daughter, Sondra N. Smith (Donnie) of Lyman; and sister-in-law, Syrita Jones of Lexington, S.C. He was predeceased by a brother, James J. Newman.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 14, 2023, at The Wood Mortuary. Burial will follow in Wood Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held 12:30-1:45 p.m. Tuesday, November 14, 2023, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home of his daughter at 205 Tymberbrook Dr., Lyman, S.C. 29365.

Memorials may be made to Miracle Hill Ministries, 490 S. Pleasantburg Dr., Greenville, S.C. 29607.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Wood Memorial Park

863 Gap Creek Road
Duncan, SC 29334

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 14. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 W Poinsett St
Greer, SC 29650-1595
(864) 877-3351

Service

NOV 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary Chapel
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Tribute Wall

AL

“ *Ashleigh Little sent a virtual gift in memory of Bill Newman* ”



Ashleigh Little - November 15, 2023 at 12:41 PM

AL

“ *I am so very sorry for the loss of Mr. Newman but know he is watching over his family. I will always remember watching him on his tractor mowing, like in a beautiful painting. He was such a kind man and will be dearly missed!* ”



Ashleigh Little - November 15, 2023 at 12:41 PM

TG

“ *Tonya Green lit a candle in memory of Bill Newman* ”



Tonya Green - November 14, 2023 at 08:14 PM

PA

“ *Pam sent a virtual gift in memory of Bill Newman* ”



Pam - November 14, 2023 at 10:53 AM

PA

“ I remember Bill would always make you laugh. He knew more jokes than anyone I knew. He loved to make people laugh. He loved his family and he loved God. Betty his wife., they were lifelong companions. Then there was Sondra his daughter and her husband Donnie. Sondra stood by Bill and Betty until she broke the bonds of this earth. Last but certainly not least was Betty's s sister Syrita who wanted so much to be with her family but because of distance and long term illness couldn't be there in her family's time of need. They always all made me feel like family. Goodbye for now my dear friend. I love you and your family like u were my own.



Pam - November 14, 2023 at 10:32 AM

PL

It is easy to say Mr Bill has been so wonderful to me, Ashleigh & Drew. He always had the best advice & did always make me laugh. He worked so hard to keep the grass mowed & left that beautiful plow there for us to see & enjoy. He will always be a part of this land as it grows & changes. We love you both very much.❤️: 1:🙏

pam Little - November 15, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Bill Newman.*



November 14, 2023 at 07:19 AM

EJ

“ *Many memories of mr Bill and mrs Betty at Maggie Valley and his dedication to Lizzie chapel. RIP Mr Bill singing in heavens choir now. Barry and Elyse Jackson*

Elyse Jackson - November 13, 2023 at 03:36 PM

WP

“ *Sorry to hear about Bill! We always love him and was always fun to be around . Praying for the family during this hard time that you are going through.*



Wallace & Judy Perry - November 13, 2023 at 03:14 PM

JB

“ *Jimmy B. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bill Newman.*



Jimmy B. - November 13, 2023 at 01:31 PM

RB

“ *Loved singing in the choir at Burnsview under Bill. He always had that big smile on his face.. Love and prayers to the family.*

Robert M Barton - November 12, 2023 at 03:48 PM

SC

“ Will always think of Mr. Bill singing *The Mama* song and making us cry then telling us jokes and making us laugh. Our prayers are with you.

Snoball and Janice

Snoball and Janice Clayton - November 11, 2023 at 05:06 PM

DC

Loved Mr. Bill as a co worker at Lyman Mill and as a dear Brother in Christ. I also loved to see him lead music and sing. I will miss seeing him and his bride of many years anywhere from the Wellford dump, Pizza Inn in Duncan to a little Cafe in Saluda,NC. Go now Bill and enjoy yourself with Jesus.

David Cobb - November 12, 2023 at 08:22 PM

MA

“ Betty and Sondra, Our deepest sympathies go out to you. 🙏❤️ Bill, was a true Gentleman and Christian. We loved to hear him sing. And he could tell, good clean funny jokes. We met him and Betty in Kamp-n-Kountry Campground, in Maggie Valley, over fifteen years ago. Go Rest High on That Mountain, Mr. Bill, they good and faithful Servant. 🌄🙄 Tell Daddy, I said, hello. Now, you two, are healed and can ride your mopeds, around Heaven. 🙏🙏 Love, Alice and Donald Armstrong. ❤️

Mary Alice Armstrong - November 11, 2023 at 04:56 PM

JB

Betty, Sondra and Donnie

Jimmy and I are so sorry about Bill.

We have had so much fun with all im Maggie Valley. The golf cart rides, picnics and exploring the mountain. He was such a good friend . You both are. We always enjoyed the times we spent with. You both. He will be missed. We love you both

I know he is singing in that Heavenly choir. He could sing and tell the best jokes

You and Sondra will always be in our prayers

We love you

Jimmy and Ann Beasley

Pi

Jimmy Beasley - November 13, 2023 at 09:25 PM

PJ

“ *Bill and Betty was our next door neighbor at Kamp n kuntry for 20 years. They became to be like family. They love junior and Annaas if they were their grandchildren too. Betty, Shonda and Donnie,you are very special to us. Heaven is rejoicing in having a great soul to join it.. love you the family and will miss Bill very much.*

Patsy, Junior and Anna Johnson.

Patsy Johnson - November 11, 2023 at 04:47 PM

TC

“ *Mr Bill was a True Christian and a Long Time Friend. His Word Was His Bond.*

He & Ms Betty were our neighbors in Maggie Valley, NC and we attended church together.

Tammy & Ron Cook - November 11, 2023 at 03:07 PM