



William "Bill" Wheeler, Sr.

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William Albert "Bill" Wheeler, Sr., 66, of Culpeper died Thursday, September 20, 2018 at his residence. He was born December 8, 1951 in Oneida, NY to the late Alvin and Clara Foster Wheeler.

He enjoyed bowling at Mountain Run Bowling and being with his bowling friends. Together with his wife, Sarah (while struggling with cancer) started a business that has been growing, "New 2 U" thrift store in Madison, VA. This was like another child to him, wanting to see it grow and prosper and be able to give back to the community. Some of his greatest life achievements would be his work, having worked for Memco, Inc. for more than 30 years. Bill attended Woodville Baptist Church and believed helping others was the Christian thing to do.

He is survived by his wife, Sarah Thompson Wheeler; two children, William Albert "Bill" Wheeler, Jr. and his wife, Angela of Shenandoah, VA and Carla Wheeler Shinaberry and her husband, Ashley of Deerfield, VA; two stepchildren, Travis L. Simmons of Broadway, VA, and Samantha M. Burgamy of Madison, VA; three siblings, Connie DeLeo and her husband, Jim of Clyde, NY, Evan Wheeler and his wife, Maria of Cicero, NY, and Sherry Wheeler of Oneida, NY.

Additional survivors include four grandchildren, Blake M. Wheeler of Shenandoah, VA, Brooke M. Wheeler of Shenandoah, VA, Hunter Burgamy of Madison, VA, and Hayden Burgamy of Madison, VA; one step grandchild, Courtney Shinaberry of Criglersville, VA; and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one sister, Eva Marie Wheeler Kern.

The family will receive friends on Saturday, September 22, 2018 from 5 to 9 p.m. at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel, 850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper.

A funeral service will be held on Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 2 p.m. at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel with Rev. Ronnie Poe officiating.



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If you would prefer to make a donation in lieu of flowers, please donate to Hospice of the Piedmont for the excellent care Bill received. 675 Peter Jefferson Parkway, Suite 300, Charlottesville, VA 22911.

Found and Sons Funeral Chapel of Culpeper is serving the family.



Events


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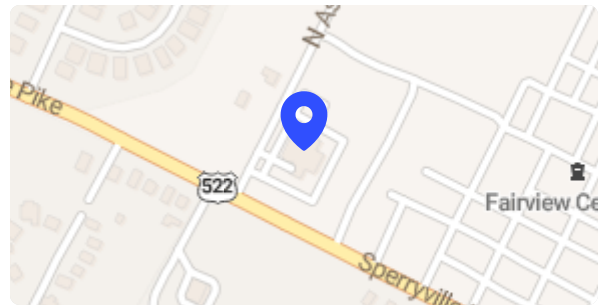
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Visitation

 **Saturday**, September 22, 2018

 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM ET


 **Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service**
850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701

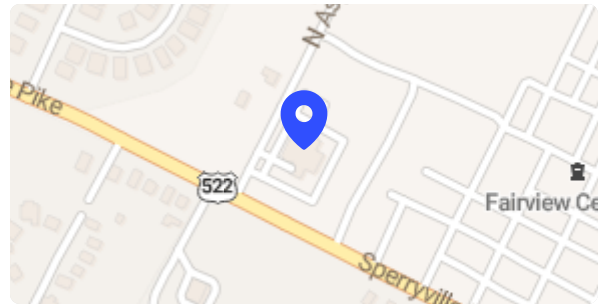


Service

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Tribute Wall

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Ben Reid posted:

I grew up with Billy and Carla. Bill took us hunting many times in WV. I'll never forget his generosity. I shot my first deer hunting with Bill and his family. I'll always have fond memories of those hunts

September 24 at 3:39 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Wheeler, Sr. family.



September 22 at 7:11 AM



Deb Sherman-Phares lit a candle in honor of William "Bill".

My deepest sympathyas we all know Bill was a very kind man. It was a pleasure to have known him

September 21 at 10:24 PM



Thomas Widgeon sent a virtual gift in honor of William "Bill".

Sorry For Your Loss Jesus Loves Me We Are Special

September 21 at 11:40 AM



Shirley And Randy Fishback posted:

Randy and I will always cherish our friendship and our memories of Bill. Love and prayers to Sarah and the family, as we also feel a part of this wonderful family.

September 21 at 7:34 AM



Anonymous sent a Grande Gourmet Fruit Basket to the Wheeler, Sr. family.



September 21 at 7:33 AM



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Wheeler, Sr. family.



September 21 at 4:56 AM



Jerry And Amber Ogert lit a candle in honor of William "Bill".

Sarah, we remember playing cards and simply hanging out on the cruise and we became "fast friends"! Bill was such a Fun Guy! We'll cherish our memories of those days and our friendship. God bless you and the family as you heal and may God give you all strength and peace. Much love to all.



September 20 at 6:04 PM



Connie Deleo posted:

I can't tell you, Bill, how much I am going to miss you. You have been the best brother that a girl could ask for. Always fun and always there to help others. Your wife, Sarah, has been such a good wife. Always by your side each time you needed her right to the end. Your family is going to miss you so much but we will always love you. And I'm sure Eva chewed you out when you finally went home. lol Love you Bill. Connie

September 20 at 3:13 PM



Deborah A. Raymond-Blankenbaker lit a candle in honor of William "Bill".

Mr. Bill was a Godsend to Allan & I in our time of need. He & Ms. Sarah helped us with Dads house items when he passed. We were so overwhelmed & did not know what to do with everything. Then we met Mr. Bill with New 2 U & he became apart of our family. Most kindest, generous man you'll ever meet. RIP my friend.



September 20 at 2:07 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William "Bill" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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