



Charles W Spade

February 3, 1946 - August 7, 2020

Charles W. Spade (Bill), died August 7, 2020 after a year long illness of ALS.

Born in Shamokin, Pennsylvania, he moved to Hazlet, NJ as a youth. Bill graduated from Raritan High School, class of 1965. After high school, he served in the U.S. Army during a tour in Vietnam in 1967. Upon being honorably discharged he worked for Met Life Insurance Company for 15 years. Having an interest in Taxidermy, he opened his own shop under the name 'Bills Taxidermy', which he continued to work at, over the next 40 years. He would retire in 2015.

Bill lived in Old Bridge, NJ for 17 years, then moved to Morganville for 25 years. He would then settle in Freehold for the past year.

Bill is survived by his wife of 54 years, high school sweethearts, Gail (Scott) Spade, a daughter Lisa (Spade) Zurick of South Amboy, NJ, a son William and his wife Lisa Spade of Colts Neck, NJ, a daughter Janine (Spade) Bavosa and her husband Nick, of Gilbert, AZ. Four grandchildren, Jordan Spade, Brianna Spade, Nina Zurick, and Christian Bavosa, a sister Yvonne (Spade) Thorne of North Carolina a brother James Spade and his wife Kim of Virginia, and a brother Albert Spade Jr. and his wife Kerry, Bill is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

A Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM on Thursday at the Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service located at 3377 US Highway 9 Old Bridge, New Jersey 08857.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 12, 2020, at Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home For Funerals and Cremation Service, 3377 US Highway 9, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

In lieu of flowers the Spade family asks that donations in Bill's memory are made to the JSUMC ALS Center Aftercare.

During the current reopening phase the maximum amount of people allowed inside the funeral home is 50. We kindly ask that after paying your respects you exit the funeral home to allow other family and friends to enter and pay their respects. Thank you for your understanding.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **12**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Michael Hegarty & John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals and Cremation Service
3377 US Highway 9
Old Bridge, NJ 08857
(732) 679-4422
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Service

AUG **13**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

AUG **13** (ET)

Marlboro Memorial Cemetery
361 HWY 79
Morganville, NJ 07751

Tribute Wall



“ *Charles W Spade*

October 05, 2023 at 11:16 AM



“ *Bill is made whole again. He had a wonderful life and touched many on his journey. Let his faith and strength be an example to those who knew him. We pray for peace and healing for ALL his family and friends that he leaves behind. Bill, you will be greatly missed. Until we meet again, rest in peace.*

Yvonne, Gary and Jennifer Thorne

Thorne Family - August 11, 2020 at 09:20 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about the death of a fantastic man. Bill was an avid hunter, taxidermist, and friend. Bill dearly loved his wife, children, and extended family. He will be missed by all who were impacted by his life. All we have left now are our memories. Bill, thank you for our lifetime memories. Dick and Mary Guizar*

Richard Guizar - August 10, 2020 at 09:11 PM



“ *Bill was a great brother who was dearly loved. I couldn't have asked for a better brother. We shared a love of hunting and a lot of great memories. I love you, Bill, and will miss you. For Gail, Lisa, Billy and Janine I know you will miss him, he was a good husband and father. I know this is hard but keep the good memories close to your hearts. We love you guys. Jim and Kim*

Jim and Kim spade - August 08, 2020 at 09:35 PM

GS

It's been one year. Seems like yesterday. You are surely missed every day of my life. I hope u are resting comfortably you will always be the love of my life

gail m spade - August 19, 2021 at 06:37 PM

GS

Bill went to be with the lord 3years ago on August 7 th 2020. He is missed every day. Love you always and forever your wife Gail m spade

gail spade - August 10, 2023 at 10:53 PM

GS

Happy valentine. My love I know you are in haven with the lord you will always be my valentine and the love of my life. You're missed every day. Hope to see you soon with the lord.

gail spade - February 14, 2024 at 07:06 PM