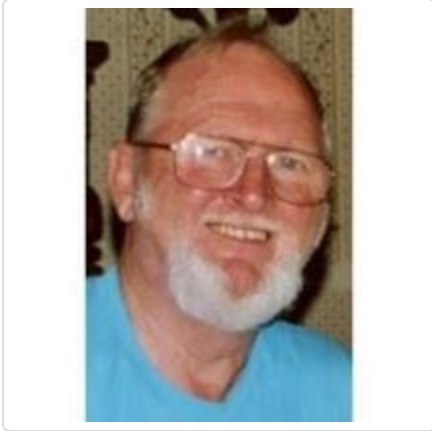




William J. Emerson

May 19, 1932 - March 11, 2013

William J. Emerson May 19, 1932 - March 11, 2013 Bill Emerson, 80, of Nedrow, New York, died Monday, March 11, 2013 at University Hospital. A native and life resident of the Syracuse, New York area, he was the son of the late Albert and Mary Boland Emerson. Bill spent many great enjoyable years coaching little league baseball and softball. He was an avid hunter, fisherman and was a member of the New York State Big Buck Club. He spent many enjoyable years following Onondaga Central High School sports. Mr. Emerson retired in 1993 from Niagara Mohawk following 35 years of service in the gas and electric service departments. Following retirement he drove school bus for LaFayette Central Schools for 11 years. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in the Korean Conflict. In addition to his parents he was predeceased by a sister, Frances.

Surviving are his wife of 60 years, the former Jane Brenchley; sons, Patrick (Janet) of S. Otselic, New York, Michael (Kathleen) of Ontario, New York and Mark (Rebecca) Emerson of S. Onondaga, New York; daughters, Julie (Ralph) Piccinino of Rush, New York and Jennifer (John) Nakoski of San Diego, California; brothers, Jack (Jean) of Marcellus, New York and Daniel (Barbara) Emerson of Georgetown, New York; sisters, Elaine (Fred) Melvin of Bridgeport, New York and Diane Ross of Cleveland, New York; grandchildren, Amanda Card, Erin Patel, Brandon and Shanna Emerson, Kaitlyn, Bradley, Kaylee Emerson, Alexa Collins, Alaina and Nathan Nakoski; great grandchildren, Zachary, Connor, Dhevin and Colin.

Services will be at 10 a.m. on Friday, March 15, 2013 in St. Patricks Church, Route 80, Otisco, New York.

Burial will be in South Onondaga Cemetery, Makyes Road, South Onondaga, New York.

Calling hours will be from 4 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 14, 2013 at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane, LaFayette, New York 13084.

Contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Central New York Chapter, 100 Metropolitan Park Drive, Suite 400, Liverpool, New York 13088 or to Hospice Foundation of CNY, 990 Seventh North Street, Liverpool, New York 13088-3148.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William J. Emerson*

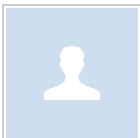


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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My parents wish to express their condolences, as well. It's been a long time, but I still remember the good times and the dancing at the Pastime Club. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

March 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *PLEASE MY HEART GOES OUT TO ALL OF YOU . BE BLESSED AND THANKFUL YOU ARE STILL TOGETHER , BILL WILL BE WITH FRANNIE AND MOM AND DAD NOW , I HOPE HE SEES MY PARENTS , GARY RONNIE WAYNE AND DARLENE , MAY GOD BE WITH ALL . ELAINE I KNOW YOU HATE THIS PART , DIANE AND DANNY , STILL THINK OF US AS KIDS HOPE ALL IS WONDERFUL. GOD BE WITH ALL AS WE AGE AND DEPART . CATHY*

March 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ To the whole Emerson Family, I'm deeply sorry for your loss. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

March 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Emerson Family,
I'm so sorry for your lose. I have fond memories of Bill coaching the apple valley softball. My prayers are with all of you.
Linda VanAuken Annable

March 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM



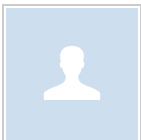
“ To the Emerson Family - I am very sorry for your loss. What a great guy! Many awesome memories at Brown Tract, "The Barn" and various local sporting events. He will surely be missed.

March 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Jane and Family,
I was so sorry to hear about Bill. Becky told me he was not well. I will continue to pray for all of you.
God bless,
Phyllis

March 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for the loss of a great guy. We had many good times at wildwood archery club. Bill's spirit will be traveling the Tully Hillsides for ever. Glad to have known all the Emersons.

March 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Emerson Family - I am a co worker of Shanna Emersons's here at EarthLink Business. I want to express my sympathy to you; your family and my prayers/thoughts are with you as well. I'm grateful to have a friend like Shanna. God Bless

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Julie, we are so sorry for your loss and extend our thoughts and prayers to your whole family.

Barbara and Jerry

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Emerson Family,
My deepest condolences and sympathies to you all. I have many chreished memories of all the good times I had with your family, especially at camp. I consider Bill and Jane good friends and have missed you all since I moved out of state. I hope all the wonderful memories you have of Bill will give you comfort.
Dan Kelly aka Mr Scrubbing Bubbles aka Fanny

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Elaine, so sorry to hear of your brother's passing. I hope all the happy memories will help to get you through your grief. Shirley

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Julie, I am sorry for your loss. Please know you are in my family's thoughts and prayers.

The Miller Family

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Thinking of your family and sending prayers.

*Love,
The Cox Family*

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Mike and family, sorry for your loss.

March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Jane,Pat ,Mike, Julie,Jenny,Mark
So sorry about your dad (I was shocked!) he was great.
The 1st to come to my house when my mom passed
Funny all the stuff we did as kids, the swings he made us, whiffle
ball games
you house was the fun place to be. You were lucky to have him as a
dad
And your mom lucky to have had such a good husband.
If theres anything at all you need or we can do please call Lori 329-
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