



Clark "Bill" W. Howell II

August 11, 1943 - June 17, 2021

CLARK W. "BILL" HOWELL II

Clark W. "Bill" Howell II, 77, of Vestal, NY and formerly of New Milford, PA was called home to be with the Lord on June 17, 2021.

He is survived by his childhood sweetheart and beloved wife of almost 60 years, Kathleen Russell Howell; the best father to, Milissa Plescia (husband Glenn), JoAnn Mannetti, Christine De Luca (husband Michael), Bridget Martin, and Kari Pepe (husband Carlo); his cherished grandchildren, Joseph Sabina Jr. (wife Arielle), Christopher Sabina, Danielle Restrepo (husband David), Olivia Mannetti, Daniel Mannetti, John De Luca, Sarah De Luca, Catherine De Luca, Anthony Howell (wife Alexandra), Shawn Feldman, Hannah Howell, Jacob Feldman, Connor Pepe, and Kayleen Pepe; his pride and joy, his great grandchildren, Maisey Howell and Jerome Howell; his brother, Richard W. Howell; sisters-in-law, Carolyn Ross (husband Larry), Dixie Russell, and Aggie Russell; many nieces, nephews, extended family members, and friends; and his precious companion dog, Junie B. Jones. He was predeceased by his parents, Clark W. and Lula Howell; a sister, Donna Cramer (Robert); son-in-law, Toby Martin; brothers-in-law, John Russell, Richard Russell, and infant Joey Russell; sister-in-law, Shirley Howell; and a nephew, Joe Russell. Following high school, Bill enlisted with the United States Navy on 8-11-1960, active duty from 1960-1962 aboard the USS Essex and the USS Independence, with time in the Reserves from 1962-1966. He worked in computer programming for various companies including IBM, SUNY, Seibles

Bruce, and Litton Computer Services. He retired from BASF Corporation in 2001.

Bill took great pleasure in recording his daughters singing, playing his guitar, and composing music. He was an avid reader, enjoyed assembling puzzles, was a model railroad enthusiast, and flew for many years with his private pilot's license.

As a devout Roman Catholic, Bill was a life time member of the Knights of Columbus, past Grand Knight of Don Bosco 7784, Newton, NJ, and a member in Endicott Counsel 1839.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, Great Bend, PA. Interment will be made in St. Lawrence Cemetery. Friends may call from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Monday at the Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc., Hallstead, PA. In lieu of flowers, please consider memorial donations to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 38056, Phoenix, AZ 85069.

Cemetery Details

St. Lawrence Cemetery

Great Bend, PA 18821

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.
25 Susquehanna Ave.
P.O. Box 936
Hallstead, PA 18822
(570) 879-2287
ayeisley@gmail.com

Visitation

JUN 21. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Lawrence Catholic Church
Great Bend, PA 18821

Tribute Wall

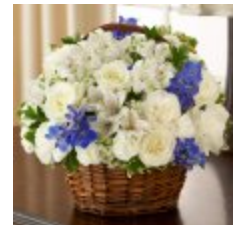
JQ

“ As a friend for many years (since the 1980s BASF days), Bill has always been an inspiration to me. On the job, we worked closely together solving mainframe performance issues, but we shared many lunch hours visiting local music stores exploring the new emerging technology of home recording using synthesizers and guitars. We had a lot of common interests- music, model railroading, photography, woodworking (besides Bill, who else do you know that has made a complete harpsicord from scratch?), so we were drawn together to learn and share everything we could, from computers to drill bits. He was a true Renaissance man.
I offer sincere condolences to “Kath” and family. Bill was a special person to many people for many reasons, and he will surely be missed by all. He had a marked influence on me, and I will always be grateful for our friendship.
Jim Quinby

Jim Quinby - June 20, 2021 at 10:58 AM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II.



June 19, 2021 at 04:43 PM

JA

“ Prayers for the entire family. As a man of faith, family, devotion and music - surely these will all live on.
Janice



Janice - June 19, 2021 at 12:51 PM



“ Healing Tears - Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II.



June 19, 2021 at 09:17 AM

JB

“ Jane Brown lit a candle in memory of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II



Jane Brown - June 18, 2021 at 01:53 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II.



June 18, 2021 at 10:47 AM

CD

“ Carol Douglas lit a candle in memory of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II



carol douglas - June 18, 2021 at 10:40 AM

CD

“ Kate and Family>> My heart goes out to you all at the loss of a Wonderful Husband, and Father. Bill had a heart of Gold and was A Friend to many people. He and I graduated together and had a special friendship through life and its many twists and turns. His sense of humor and witticisms will be remembered by all of us who knew and Loved him. R.I.P. DEAR DEAR FRIEND > until we meet again in Heaven.

carol douglas - June 18, 2021 at 10:39 AM

YF

“ Your BASF Family purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II.



Your BASF Family - June 18, 2021 at 09:50 AM

CW

“ Cherrie Wells lit a candle in memory of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II



Cherrie Wells - June 18, 2021 at 06:52 AM

DH

“ Dave And Connie Humbert lit a candle in memory of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II



Dave and Connie Humbert - June 18, 2021 at 06:09 AM

VD

“ Kate and Family, it saddens me to hear of Bill's passing. The world has lost a wonderful person who will be greatly missed by everyone. My heart goes out to the Howell family for their loss. I remember him fondly in reference to his leadership in our class reunions and the website he created for us. May you find peace in your wonderful memories. May he rest in peace in God's hands.

Virginia Decker - June 17, 2021 at 09:56 PM



“ Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Clark "Bill" W. Howell II.



June 17, 2021 at 09:48 PM