



William Goode

April 24, 2007

Goode, William (Bill) A. age 75 of Little Ferry died Tuesday April 24, 2007 following a short battle with cancer. Bill was born and raised in Hoboken, NJ and lived in Little Ferry for the past 47 years. Beloved husband of Doris. Devoted Father of Bill Jr. and his wife Maryann, Laura Goode and her husband Raymond Koonce, Jeanne Keating and her husband Rob, and Maureen Valentinetti and her husband William. Cherished Grandfather of Billy, Jason, Kelsey and Thomas John. Bill was the loving former husband of Mary Jane Goode. Loving Papa to "The Hans". Bill is also survived by loving nieces and nephews. Bill is predeceased by his parents, Helen and Thomas, his sister Helen Sgambati and brother Thomas. Bill was a combat veteran of the Korean War, a life member of VFW Post 809, a past State Commander of the NJ Veterans of Foreign War, Bill held this organization dear to his heart. Most recently, he was appointed as the National Chief of Staff of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Before retiring in 1993, Bill owned Goode Plumbing and Heating of Little Ferry. Bill will be remembered as a man that loved his wife, children, grandchildren, friends and country. His quick wit and love of a good joke made him a person everyone enjoyed being with. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Saturday 10AM at St. Margaret's RC Church, Little Ferry. All to meet at church. Interment to follow at George Washington Memorial Park, Paramus. Family and friends are invited to visit Thursday 7-9 PM and Friday 2-4 and 7-9PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Hospice of New Jersey, 400 Broad Acres Dr., Bloomfield, NJ 07003 or VFW Post 809, 100 Main Street, Little Ferry, NJ 07643 would be greatly appreciated.

Tribute Wall



“ William Goode

October 08, 2023 at 09:59 PM



“ William Goode

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“ William Goode

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ I only knew Bill for a short time through the VFW , but he made you feel like you knew him longer. It was a privilege to have know him and I am glad I had the chance . We are all sad to have lost a good friend###imported-begin###Joe Stavolta###imported-end###

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“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Doris and Bills family. Bill will be missed by all in his other family, the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Frank Moore State Commander###imported-begin###Frank & Peg Moore###imported-end###

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“ The V.F.W.has lost another good Veteran. God Bless Bill and Gob\d Bless his Family###imported-begin###Roland Gendron###imported-end###

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“ Theresa and I send our thoughts and prayers to Bill's family at this most difficult time. Paul Lloyd, District 4 Commander NH VFW.###imported-begin###Paul Lloyd###imported-end###

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“ On behalf of Rita and I, we extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Bill. He will be remembered as a friend and a comrade who contributed his personal efforts to our great Veterans of Foreign Wars organization. May your memories comfort you in this time of sorrow. Robert & Rita Van Kirk Past State Commander Department of Massachusetts###imported-begin##Robert M. Van Kirk###imported-end##

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“ Bill was an excellent State Commander and a great man. It was a privilege to be a part of his team while serving as District 10 Auxiliary President. He loved his wife, family, "the Hans", the VFW & his country. We will always remeber his wonder sense if humor. I rmember him saying and I quote "a royal flush always beats a full house." Bill rest in peace, we are glad to have known you. Our thoughts & prayers go out to your family.###imported-begin##Liz & Ray Sann###imported-end##

April 25, 2007 at 04:32 PM



“ I will always remember Uncle Billy's great sense of humor. I am thankful that I spoke to him shortly before he returned home from the hospital and I remember how happy he was to know he was going home. I am also thankful that we had some great laughs at Richard's party in December. Uncle Billy will be dearly missed by all who loved him. God Bless you!###imported-begin##Ann Marie (Goode) Keck###imported-end##

April 24, 2007 at 10:46 PM