



Billy Don Middleton

October 31, 1948 - September 29, 2024

Billy Don Middleton 75, husband of Patricia "Pat" Bertuzzi Middleton and a returning resident of Bartlesville since 2011, died September 29, 2024 after a 14 year battle with Parkinson's Disease.

Bill was born in Hampden, Virginia on October 31, 1948 to Delma Irene Gauff Middleton and Frank Wayne Middleton. After Bill's Dad was discharged from service in WWII, the family resided in Fayetteville, AR so his dad could further his education and eventually made their home in Bartlesville where Bill graduated from College High School, the Class of 1967. At that time Bill was active in ROTC and eventually stationed from 1972-1975 UNITED STATES ARMY LIEUTENANT, 21 ST Replacement Battalion Frankfurt, Germany as an Adjutant, detachment commander. In 1972 he graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business. After his active duty he

graduated in 1978 with a Masters of Business Administration, Oklahoma University,
Norman, Oklahoma, Thus began his long love of OU football or as he used to say..... The
University of Oklahoma!

In 1976-1978 he was a press operator during graduate school at OU. This gave him the
opportunity after graduation in 1978 to start working at CENTRAL STATES BUSINESS
FORMS, Bartlesville, as an Administration Manager until 1982 when he started working as
a private consultant to business and individuals. In 1985-1993 he joined the team at
SERVICE AND TECHNOLOGY CORP as their Personnel Manager. Then in 1993 to current
he started his own business, ADDITION DECKS AND REMODELS, NW Arkansas.

April 1995 on a trip back to Bartlesville for his final packing and sell of his home, he met
Pat on a blind date. A common interest with antiques, Tiffany lamps, softball and an
immediate attraction by both parties, they were inseparable and the next year were
married on August 18, 1996 at the Mildred B Cooper Chapel, Bella Vista Arkansas. Both
were very active in the Bella Vista Softball community, Bill was always lead off
hitter,
playing left field and Pat was scorekeeper for the games and tournaments.

Survivors include his wife of 28 years Pat, of the home and their three cats, Merlot, Milo and Murphy. His older brother, Wayne Middleton and family, Bartlesville, OK. his older sister, Linda Middleton Hall and her family, Ontario, CA. Brother in law, Mike Bertuzzi and family, Boerne, TX and several cousins, nieces and nephews. Very special friends, David Crane, Don Cavin, Neil and Stacey Freeman, Mark and Leslee Loosen, Garry and Sally Sise Moreland and Steve and Donna Williams.

Private services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under Carter Davis and the Davis Family Funeral Home and Crematory Walker-Brown Chapel. Online condolences and remembrances may be shared at www.DavisFamilyFuneralHome.com

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Elder Care, 1223 Swan Drive, Bartlesville, OK 74006 or a charity of your choice in his name.

Tribute Wall

SP

“ There are never words at a time like this. I have so many good memories of you and Bill that this would turn into a book. He was a good man and Parkinson’s never took away his sense of humor, integrity, compassion or completing things he set out to do. He’s resting easy now and without the discomfort he had to deal with.

We were all blessed to have him in our lives

Sue Parker - October 23, 2024 at 01:41 PM

KP

“ God Bless you Bill. You were a great man and Pat is a great Lady. I was blessed to call you friends. 🙏

Ken Parker - October 23, 2024 at 12:57 AM

MB

“ Gina and I are sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He certainly toughed it out for many years and glad he is now pain free in the arms of our loving Savior Jesus Christ. May the Comfort of the Holy Spirit be with you as well Bill's family.

Mark Bertuzzi - October 20, 2024 at 09:27 AM

RL

“ Bill was a great person, It was good to know him, along with Pat m. Thoughts & Prayers.

Randy&Jeanna Lee - October 19, 2024 at 11:31 AM

GS

“ *Bill screen in my patio, he was a hard worker and always did a great job. When he became ill he was an old timex watch, he just went keep on ticking and never gave up. The Lord has him now may he rest easy in peace.*

Gordon Sise - October 04, 2024 at 10:27 PM