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William A. Powe passed away peacefully on Monday, March 5, 2012 at the age of 74.

Beloved husband of 49 years to Brenda Wilson Powe; loving father of Pamela Powe Cerminaro (Phil) and William R. Powe (Amy); loving grandfather to Patrick, Caroline, Olivia, William and Tessa. Brother of David Powe (Diane) of Dallas, TX. He is also survived by numerous loving nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Margie Keller Powe and Albert Powe.

William served his country in the United States Marine Corps prior to beginning a career in finance. Later he joined Westinghouse Credit Corporation of Pittsburgh, PA and advanced to the position of Chairman and CEO of Westinghouse Financial Services.

After a 25 year corporate career, he retired and returned to New Orleans to be closer to family. He spent his retirement years enjoying his family, especially his five grandchildren and being involved in his church with his heart focused on the special needs area.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the memorial services from First Baptist Church of Covington, 16333 Hwy 1085, Covington, LA 70433 on Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 12:00 noon with visitation at church on Saturday from 10:00 AM until service time.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Bill's honor to First Baptist Church of Covington or to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Mississippi/Louisiana Chapter, 3636 S. I-10 Service Rd., Metairie, LA 70001.



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JM

Jim And Sophia Mcniff posted:

Mr. Powe was a wonderful man whose personal kindness and career guidance was most heartily appreciated by me and my family.

March 13 at 6:48 AM

JB

John Brady posted:

I'm very sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. John, Debbie, Drew and Rachael Brady

March 11 at 8:56 AM

DM

Diane Moran posted:

Billy was a wonderful man and he will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Diane Moran

March 10 at 4:36 AM

BH

Bill & Elly Harper posted:

To Brenda,Pam,Bill and the entire family. Bill was a wonderful man and he will be sorely missed by all who knew him. He was a great friend and we will miss his charming wit, his intelligence and loving ways. God has called home one of his best creations much too soon. Love, Bill and Elly

March 9 at 7:29 AM

BR

Bill & Vivian B. Ready posted:

Bill has been a good friend and he will be missed. We send our love and prayers to all the family.

March 9 at 7:26 AM

JA

Jason posted:

We are keeping you all in our prayers in this trying time. Billy was a good, steady man that loved his family. Love and may God bless you, from Aimee, Lucille, and Jason.

March 8 at 11:07 AM



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LG

Lynda Stafford Galloway posted:

My heart goes out to you, Brenda and family, in this great loss. Billy was such a caring man, I know you will miss him so much.

March 8 at 3:36 AM

JS

Julie Stokes posted:

Pam and family - I am so sorry for your loss. I and your other friends at Refresh will be praying for peace for your family. With Love, Julie

March 7 at 11:14 AM

GF

Glen And Dot Fitzmorris posted:

We are want to express our sincere condolences and sympathies.

March 7 at 11:07 AM

RC

Ron Clark posted:

A wonderful man who lived a life to be admired.

March 7 at 7:57 AM

TT

Toni Thompson posted:

Aunt Brenda, Pam, Bill and Family, Please know how sorry we were to hear about the loss of Uncle Billy. You all have been in our constant thoughts and prayers and will continue to keep you there that you will find peace knowing he has a brand new body now. Daddy and Uncle Bobby I am sure welcomed him Home. Love and Prayers to all of you, Toni & Joey and Glenda

March 7 at 6:56 AM



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DG

Debbie Guidry posted:

My heart goes out you, Brenda, and to you Pam and Bill, and all family members, at the passing of Billy. I loved him. Words cannot convey the impact his life made upon mine; I always knew he was a special person. He was gifted in the art of loving others just the way they are. He was magnetic in his mighty, quiet way--a strong presence who would fill a room with peace. It was very evident that he loved his family, and was thoughtful in every decision where they were concerned. That care carried over to extended family members as well. All who knew him benefited from his brilliance, his wit and his caring ways. Billy was a powerful man of God who will be greatly missed.

March 7 at 5:50 AM

RB

Rob Burdeaux posted:

Our love and prayers are with you all! May the Lord bless you with his comfort and peace!

March 7 at 5:36 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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