



William E. "Bill" Florence Sr.

June 11, 1950 - May 24, 2022

William "Bill" Florence 71 passed away May 24, 2022, at University of Kentucky Hospital in Lexington with his wife by his side. He was born in Bourbon County on June 11, 1950, he was the son of the late Charles and Alva Reed Florence. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Retta Watkins Florence, a son Michael Florence (Brandon) of Fleming County, three grandchildren Shane, Alex, and Draven Florence of Nicholas County, four great-grandchildren Avianna, Walker, Arian, and Addax Florence, one brother, Jimmie (JoAnn) Florence of Paris, Ky and one sister Jackie Anderson of Tennessee. He was preceded in death by a son William "Willie" Florence Jr., a sister Nancy Crawford. Bill was a avid horseman and worked for over forty years for Hinkle Farms in Paris. He loved softball, fishing, golfing, and bowling and most any other sport. But his greatest love was his family. There will be no service at this time, but the family plans to have a memorial service and dinner in his honor at Oakland Mills Methodist Church on June 11, 2022, at 2 pm. Carlisle-Clark Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Services

JUN 11. 2:00 PM (ET)

Oakland Mills Methodist Church
Highway 68
Carlisle, KY 40311

Tribute Wall



“ *William E. "Bill" Florence Sr.*

January 30, 2023 at 06:04 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of William E. "Bill" Florence Sr..*



June 10, 2022 at 11:20 PM



“ *Jackie And Cindy Watkins lit a candle in memory of William E. "Bill" Florence Sr.*



Jackie and Cindy Watkins - May 25, 2022 at 06:27 PM



“ *Bill wanted to know who the old man was bringing Retta tomatoes around behind the house. Love you Retta, Doug and Lois Gates.*

Lois Gates - May 25, 2022 at 05:17 PM