



Eugene Wilburn Bernardini Sr.

February 3, 1950 - November 25, 2019

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Eugene Wilburn “Bill” Bernardini, Sr. 69, of Olive Branch, MS, passed away November 25, 2019. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, November 27, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Coleman Funeral Home (6815 Parkview Blvd, Olive Branch, MS) with a funeral service immediately following at 12:00 p.m. Burial will follow at 1:30 p.m. at Calvary Cemetery (1663 Elvis Presley Blvd, Memphis, TN). Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch is in charge of arrangements.

Bill was born on February 3, 1950 in Memphis, TN. He won the 2005 Award for Outstanding Leadership from the Juvenile Court of Shelby County. He was a former director of Dismas House-Memphis, TN and Auxiliary Juvenile Probation Officer. He was an avid outdoorsman, entrepreneur, family man and strong in his faith.

Bill leaves behind his wife, Rebecca Hays Bernardini of Olive Branch, MS; sons, Eugene Wilburn (Danielle) Bernardini, Jr. of Memphis, TN; Joseph William (Cathy) Bernardini of Paragould, AR; daughter, Christian Ann Bernardini of Olive Branch, MS; son, Matthew Jacob (Mary Marie) Bernardini of Southaven, MS; sister, Lisa Bernardini Spencer of Murfreesboro, TN; six grandchildren, four great grandchildren, one niece and one nephew.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, Nello Eugene and Joan Robinson Bernardini.

In lieu of traditional gifts, memorials can be made in honor of Eugene Wilburn Bernardini, Sr. to American Diabetes Association (www.diabetes.org).

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch
6815 Parkview Boulevard
Olive Branch, MS 38654
(662) 893-3900
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Funeral Service

NOV 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

NOV 27. 1:30 PM (CT)

Calvary Cemetery
1663 Elvis Presley Boulevard
Memphis, TN 38106

Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Tribute Video in memory of Eugene Wilburn Bernardini Sr.



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“ Lived down the street on Verne Rd from Billy. Was always a nice person. Sorry for his loss.

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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eugene Wilburn Bernardini Sr..



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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eugene Wilburn Bernardini Sr..



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“ We were in Bobby Brown's back yard and Bobby brought out some boxing gloves. Billy asked me to teach him to box. I was reluctant, but I said okay. I told Billy to keep his left hand up as I was a right handed boxer and he could block my jabs. We sparred for a little while and I hit him a few good shots and I told him again to keep his left up. After a little while longer, he backed up and started taking off his gloves. I asked what was the matter. He said, "I don't think I want to learn as bad as I thought." Billy was a part of a great group of neighborhood friends to grow up with.

Bill Warmath

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