



# William "Bill" Polk

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**W**illiam "Bill" Polk passed away at home in Mansfield TX on Wednesday, February 22, 2017 surrounded by his family and into the arms of his Lord and Savior.

A private celebration of Bill's life will be held by the family.

Bill was born in Belton, TX on June 30, 1935 to William and Lillian Polk. He was an avid outdoorsman from a very young age and found pleasure and peace being among nature and wildlife. He loved to fish and hunt and spend time surrounded by his family. He graduated from Southwestern University in 1958 and had a long and successful career. He was a devoted husband and a loving father and brother. He was strong and gentle and loved deeply by all who had the honor of knowing him. He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters.

He is survived by his loving wife, Kaye; his son, Bill Polk and his wife Patti; his son Colby Cates and his wife Sarah Kay; his daughter Perri Polk; his daughter Kacy Santoscoy and her husband Jorge; his daughter Sara Hille and her husband Rudy; his sister Sandra Wooley and her husband Bill; his sister Charlsie Carr; and his beloved grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.



# Tribute Wall

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**Susan Stephens** lit a candle in honor of William.

Perri, Bill & family, My deepest sympathies for your loss. I always admired your Dad for his love of the outdoors and for taking time to enjoy it with his family when camping and fishing. I also enjoyed visiting your home because your Dad was welcoming and gracious- even when his home was filled with teenage girls! He will be greatly missed but remembered fondly. Deepest condolences, Susan McDermott Stephens



February 26 at 2:25 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Polk family.



February 26 at 12:35 PM



**Kitty Carr-Perez** posted:

Uncle Bill was my mother's baby brother. He was a sweet, kind and gentle man who loved to go fishing and didn't mind my tagging along. I have wonderful memories of sharing time with this special man.

February 26 at 11:40 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Polk family.



February 25 at 5:11 PM



**Joyce Aylor** posted:

Kaye, Colby, Sarah, We are so sorry to hear this and will be praying for all of you! In the midst of your pain and sorrow, please know our prayers are for your strength and comfort from the Lord!

February 25 at 12:18 PM



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**John D. "Jack" Russell** posted:

Bill and I were first cousins and about the same age. I remember coming to Bartlett, TX and spending a week with him, those were good times. I will miss him greatly. With love and sympathy to his family.  
Jack Russell

February 25 at 9:41 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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