



Billy Esten Hill

November 1, 1927 - July 6, 2023

Billy Esten Hill, 95, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Thursday, July 6, 2023.

Bill was born November 1, 1927, to Anson and Cathern Clark Hill in Amorita, Oklahoma. He attended school in western Kansas and Amorita. He proudly served our country in the US Navy in 1946 for two years active duty and four years in the Reserves. Bill farmed in Anthony and Kiowa Kansas before his marriage to Meta Faye Gerdes in 1953. They enjoyed over 57 years together prior to her death in 2011.

Bill worked for Panhandle Eastern Gas Compression Station, the Missouri Pacific Railroad as a telegrapher, as a Kansas Game Warden until 1996 and then he became a real estate agent. In his retirement Bill authored a book, "Protecting Kansas Wildlife."

Survivors include his children, Linda M. Brown (David), David K. Hill (Patti) and Kathy J. Campbell; his brother, Garnett Hill (Pat) Wichita; sister, Wanda Thomas, Kiowa; grandchildren, Dustin Brown (Sheri), Shanna Carlson (Janelle), Amanda Essman (Eric), Sheena Schmidlein (Jake) and Ethan Hill; and numerous great-grandchildren. Bill was also preceded in death by his daughter, Sharon Kay Hill and his brother, Virgil Hill.

Funeral service will be 9 a.m. Friday, July 21, at Kevin Brennan Family

Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery, Amorita OK, at 3 p.m. Friday.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Bethel Cemetery, Amorita OK, sent in care of the funeral home.

Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com.

Cemetery Details

Bethel Cemetery

Amorita, OK

Previous Events

Funeral Service

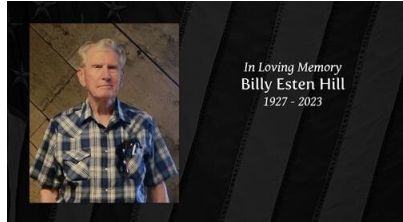
JUL 21. 9:00 AM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Billy Esten Hill



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - July 19, 2023 at 12:06 PM

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“ Bill helped us get our house here in Topeka over 20 year and we are still here. Our deepest sympathies to all the family. Karolyn and Kerry Austin.

Sandra Silver - July 21, 2023 at 03:33 PM

JA

“ Dave , Paula and I wish to express our condolences and support during this difficult time . If we can help in any way , please let us know . Jerry and Paula Anders

Jerry Anders - July 16, 2023 at 09:38 PM

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“ *Bill Hill with Greg Salisbury 1987. Kansas Fish And Game Commission*
Photo by Rob Ladner



Rob Ladner - July 09, 2023 at 05:13 PM

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“ *Jackie T. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Billy Esten Hill.*



Jackie T. - July 09, 2023 at 09:55 AM