



In Loving Memory Of

Billy Norman Kimmel Sr.

November 13, 1946 - December 5, 2014



Billy Norman Kimmel Sr., 68, of Sheridan, passed away at his home, on Friday, December 5, 2014 surrounded by his loving family.

Bill was born on November 13, 1946, to Jean and Margaret (Schnorf) Kimmel in Sheridan, WY.

Bill joined the Army in 1964 and served a tour in Vietnam as a helicopter pilot. He married Shirley D. Carl on September 28, 1967 in Mineral Wells, TX. Together they raised their family in Sheridan, WY. He was a gun enthusiast, enjoyed hunting, fishing, and many camping trips with family on the mountain. He especially loved spending time with his wife, Shirley, and his children and grandchildren. Bill was a lifetime member of the N.R.A.

Bill worked with his father in their own business at the Econ-o-wash following his military career. He also worked as a cement finisher prior to a 22 year career as a mechanic with Valley Motor Honda. One of his dreams was to own his own Salvage Yard which he did prior to his retirement in 2000.

Bill is preceded in death by his grandparents, parents, brother, Leonard Kimmel, sister in law, Marjorie Kimmel, and brother in law, Bernard Harnish.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley Kimmel of Sheridan, WY, children; April (Rob) McPike of Colorado Springs, CO, Melody (Kevin) Kraft of Casper, WY, Billy "BJ" Kimmel, Jr. of Sheridan, WY, Mary (Carl) Geertz of Sheridan, WY., his grandchildren; Rachel, Allison, Mitchel, Nathan, Triston, Kyler, Chloe, Bailey, Adam, Breanna, Carl Z., Austin, Jayden and great granddaughter; Phoenix. He is also survived by his sister, Alice Harnish of Sheridan, WY and brother Jean Kimmel of Sheridan, WY. and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.



*We thought of you with love today,
But that is nothing new.*

*We thought about you yesterday.
And days before that too.*

*We think of you in silence.
We often speak your name.*

*Now all we have is memories.
And your picture in a frame.*

*Your memory is our keepsake.
With which we'll never part.*

*God has you in his keeping.
We have you in our heart ♥*



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DATE OF BIRTH

November 13, 1946
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DATE OF DEATH

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CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Thursday, December 11, 2014, at 10:00 am
Bethesda Worship Center
With Full Military Honors

OFFICIATING

Pastor Scott Lee

MUSIC

Grandpa, Daddy's Hands

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Nathan Garland, Triston Garland, Mitchel McPike
Carl Zachary Geertz, Austin Geertz
Adam Kimmel

A reception to follow at Bethesda Worship Center.

Memorials to honor Bill can be made to

'Billy Kimmel Memorial Fund

First Interstate Bank

4 S. Main St.

Sheridan, WY 82801

In care of Jenny Epperson.