



William Ray Bremenkamp

December 22, 1941 - September 2, 2021

William Ray Bremenkamp, 79, of Kansas City, Kansas went to be with the Lord Thursday, September 2, 2021. He was born on December 22, 1941 in Emporia, Kansas. He proudly served his country in the United States Air Force. Bill met Eunice, impromptu. He was gritty after a long weekend of hunting and she still had curlers in her hair, but they were smitten! Three months later they were engaged and on June 3, 1967 were united in Holy Matrimony. Together they happily raised two children and eventually became grandparents and great grandparents. Bill worked until retirement on the Santa Fe Railroad as a Machinist. He was a member of Our Lady of Unity Catholic Parish.

Bill is survived by his wife of 54 years, Eunice; two children, Mary L. Follin and William J. Bremenkamp; son in law, Terry Follin; grandchildren Michaela (Samuel) Turntine, and McKinley Follin; and great granddaughter Maeve Turntine. He's also survived by many dearly loved cousins, nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents George and Dora Bremenkamp and a brother George L. Bremenkamp.

Bill gladly served in his Christian vocation, making hard work seem like child's play. Mechanically minded, he enjoyed woodworking, inventing, drawing, building, and repairing. He was always willing to lend a helping hand and found it important to pass along his knowledge and skills to the next

generation. Bill had a passion for all things planes, trains and automobiles. An animal enthusiast, he and Eunice enjoyed traveling and exploring God's creation. Those who knew Bill personally, or through the affections of his family and friends, have undoubtedly their own fond stories to remember him by.

Foundational to all of the things we loved about him, was his steadfast faith in Christ the Crucified. Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. Bill has entered joy and glory; we look forward to being reunited with him in life everlasting!

A visitation will be held from 1:00-2:00 PM with Funeral Services beginning at 2:00 PM Tuesday September 7, 2021 at Maple Hill Funeral Home. Burial will follow at the Maple Hill Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S 34th St
Kansas City, KS 66106
(913) 262-6610
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home
3300 Shawnee Dr
Kansas City, KS 66106
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<https://maplehillfuneralhome.com>

Funeral

SEP 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of William Ray Bremenkamp*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - September 07, 2021 at 09:09 AM



“ *William Ray Bremenkamp*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *William Ray Bremenkamp*

September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM

GW

“ I was a pure joy to work with Bill as he was so knowledgeable and fun to be around at Argentine LMIT! Another guy I look forward to seeing in the great by and by...

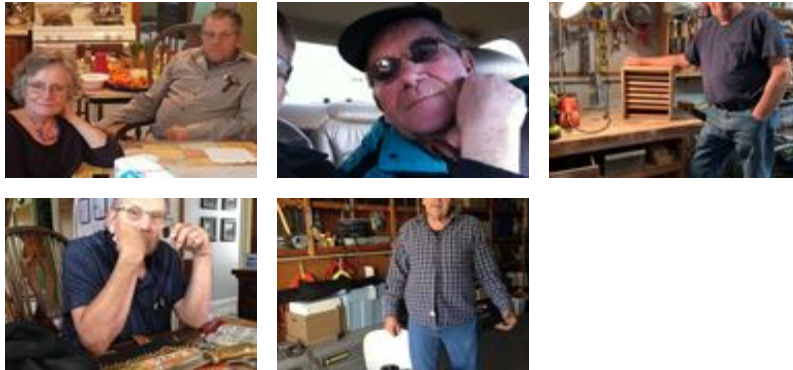
*To the Family:
I hear the Angels Singing,
The Earth no longer roam...
Don't greave in my absence,
I've just gone home.*

Greg Wadley Machinist BNSF Railroad

Greg Wadley - May 20, 2022 at 08:59 AM



“ 49 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - September 07, 2021 at 09:08 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of William Ray Bremenkamp.



September 07, 2021 at 12:09 AM



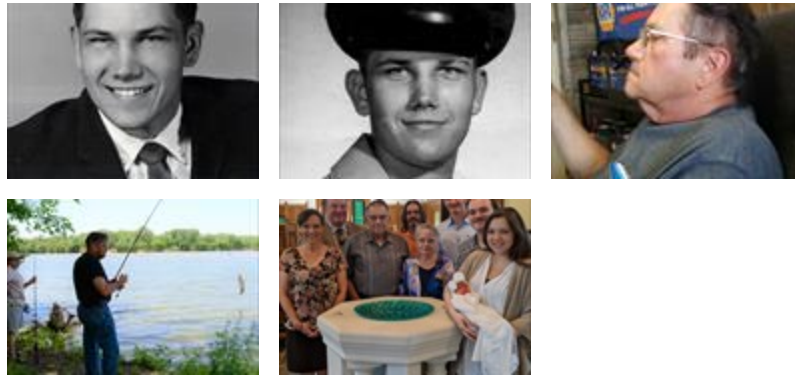
“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *William Ray Bremenkamp*.



September 06, 2021 at 09:01 PM



“ *49 files added to the album Memories Album*



Mary Follin - September 06, 2021 at 07:27 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of *William Ray Bremenkamp*.



September 06, 2021 at 02:19 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Ray Bremenkamp.*



September 06, 2021 at 10:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William Ray Bremenkamp.*



September 05, 2021 at 11:48 AM



“ *I remember me and Uncle Bill wrestling around and I almost put his butt through the kitchen window. I will miss him so much. I love you. Your niece Margaret*

Margaret Southern - September 05, 2021 at 11:42 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. He will be missed. Love & Prayers for you and the family.*



Linda & Donnie - September 03, 2021 at 09:27 PM

LD

“ *Linda & Donnie lit a candle in memory of William Ray Bremenkamp*



Linda & Donnie - September 03, 2021 at 09:24 PM

SF

“ *Stephen and Mary Jay and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of William Ray Bremenkamp.*



Stephen and Mary Jay and Family - September 03, 2021 at 12:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Ray Bremenkamp.*



September 03, 2021 at 12:25 PM