



## William Harrison Tomes

July 19, 2011

William Harrison "Bill" Tomes, 88, passed away peacefully Tuesday July 19, 2011 at Hosparus Inpatient Care Center. He was born in Brownsville, KY to George & Minnie M. (Gilbert) Tomes. Bill was a retired meter reader Supervisor for L.G.& E., a WW II Navy Veteran, a Mason and a member of First United Baptist Church (Longfield). He was preceded in death by his Parents, 3 Brothers: Carl, Thomas "Junior" and Harlan Tomes; 2 Sisters: Ruby Hornback and Pearl Darnell. Left to cherish his memory, his wife of 65 years: Catherine (Soufflas) Tomes; his children: Van Tomes (Gayle), Diane Garner (Jack) and Susan Laws (Mark); 5 Grandchildren, 7 Great Grandchildren. 3 Brothers: Samuel (Laverne), Sherman and Marion (Margie) Tomes; 2 Sisters: Goldie Woosley and Jewell Tomes and many nieces & nephews. Funeral Service will be 11:00 AM Friday at First United Baptist Church (Longfield), 5507 Cartledge Ct., Louisville, KY 40214. "Bill" will be laid to rest in Lone Hill United Baptist Church Cemetery, with military honors. Visitation will be 2 - 9 PM Thursday at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Hwy. and after 10 AM Friday at Church. Expressions of Sympathy: Alzheimers Assoc. & Hosparus of Louisville. online condolences: [owenfuneralhome.com](http://owenfuneralhome.com) The family would like to thank the team of caseworkers at the Veterans Administration and the "Angels" who gave care to him at Hosparus of Louisville. He had countless friends in life and was a giving, humble man.....

# Tribute Wall

SD

“ We'll be remembering your family. We will miss Brother Bill. So thankful we know we'll see him again. God bless you all.  
With love & sympathy,  
Steve & Debbie

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**Steve & Debbie Duvall** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

JB

“ Diane, I was very sorry to read about your dad, if you need anything please call me. I know it's been a long time, but i'm still there for you.

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**Joan Brown** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

PC

“ Please know that your family is in our thoughts & prayers.  
  
Bill was a good,kind Christian man who will be remembered.

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**Phil & Carolyn Clemons** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

BC

“ Sorry for you loss.

Sincerely,

Brandon Cowles

My father is Benton and grandfather was Ruble Cowles.

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**Brandon Cowles** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

CC

“ Dear Family, It's hard to know what to say at a time like this so I'll just speak my heart. I'm so sad for those left behind; but, at the same time happy for Uncle Bill's home-going. He made preparations for this day long ago. I was privileged to worship with him many times and felt that he loved The Richards Family, beyond measure. "Uncle Bill" as I called him wasn't really any relation naturally speaking, that was just an honorary title, a show of respect. He was a wonderful friend and a brother in Christ! One of the last times he worshiped at Longfield, he arose from his seat and went and hugged his Niece "Ava Rose" as she was singing and she began to shout the praises of God. That memory will always be a treasure to me. I believe all of you know how much I love you and I grieve with you, not for him. Heaven is getting sweeter to me everyday because of all the saints who have gone home to be with the Lord. I pray that God would wrap his loving arms around you and bring to you a peace that surpasses all understanding and that he would bring comfort that can only come from him. I love you each and everyone.

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**Charlene Richards Comer** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

NB

“ Susan and family,  
We are so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Please know that we are praying for peace and comfort during this difficult time.

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**Nathan and Jessica Begley Hall, and Wallace Begley** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

JT

“ Susan,  
Just wanted to let you know how very sorry we were to hear of your father's passing...Please know that you and your family will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers.  
Love you,  
Joyce & Wayne

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**Joyce & Wayne Tate** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

DG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are such a dear friend and I want you to know that you and your family are thought of and I will hold you in my heart. Be encouraged and know that God holds him in his arms and peace is his covering. God bless you Susie.

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**Debbie and Steve Gulley** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

PA

“ Susan and Mark,  
  
So sorry to hear the news of you Dad's passing. May the Lord surround you with peace and love.  
  
Pam & Donnie

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**Pam & Donnie Alexander** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM

NP

“ Our heartfelt condolences to Susan Laws and family for the loss of Susan's father William Tomes. My God give you all strength to bear the loss and peace to the departed soul.

- Nate and Mita Patel.

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**Nate Patel** - June 28, 2018 at 04:47 PM