



## Bill Marion

January 19, 1945 - December 13, 2012

Bill Marion, lifetime resident of Lubbock, TX, son of the late J.B. and Leola Marion was born January 19, 1945 in Lubbock. He entered into rest on December 13, 2012.

Bill is the father of Heather Margaret Marion Reiner of Clarion, PA, Robert Emil Marion of Junction, TX, Jordan Baker Marion of Big Springs, TX and Amanda Thompson Wyse of Austin, TX; grandfather of Robert Todd Marion, Emily Rose Reiner, Courtney Alyson Reiner, Harrison Michael Reiner, and Rachel Catherine Marion. Bill is also survived by two sisters, Shirley Marion Welch of Santa Fe, NM and Sybil Marion Hallmark of Telluride, CO.

Bill attended Lubbock High School and played for the Lubbock Westerners. He also attended South Plains College in Lubbock. Bill served overseas in Germany with the US Army. In 2008, he retired from the US Postal Service. Bill Marion was a beloved father, wonderful grandfather, and a cherished friend to all who knew him.

Services will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association.

# Cemetery Details

## City of Lubbock Cemetery

2011 East 31st Street  
Lubbock, TX 79404

# Tribute Wall

GM

“ I served in Germany with Bill, 1st Batallion 68th Armor, our prayers go out to his family.

*Greg Mikkelsen*

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**Gregory Mikkelsen** - July 06, 2020 at 04:27 PM

SV

“ Well, one thing about Bill is that his friends and family will be able to tell really good stories about him for years and years! I worked with Bill at the post office and we remained friends after his retirement. He spoke of his kids and grandkids with such love and pride. I know you are missing him so much. When I started at the plant, I loved to work with Bill. He was really patient with us, called all us women "Sis", and when something went wrong on the machine, you could hear him cussin' all over the plant. We'd all just laugh. One night at lunch he fell asleep on the couch in the break room and I took a magic marker and drew smiley faces on his knees. He was a positive influence in so many of our lives. He was funny, a smart alec, and managed to mooch neck rubs and back rubs from several of us women. He was always welcome to join us at break or lunch, and sometimes we'd all bring extra for him and he always carried on like it was the best food he ever ate. He was funny and charming. We talked often of our kids, and I want all of you to know that he was very proud of each of you. I could tell that each one of you were his favorite at least sometimes. He enjoyed the times you were all together as a family, and was really proud of the grandkids. Each one of you were so special to him, and I hope you always remember that you were cherished. My world is certainly poorer because he's not here, but my life is much richer because I got to be his friend. God Bless You All.

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**Schelia Vrubel** - January 21, 2013 at 12:25 AM

CS

“ I am so sorry you lost your loved one. Bill's passing is also a great loss to all of his friends. I have known Bill since junior high at O.L. Slaton, riding our bicycles, getting our driver's license at 14 and moving on to Lubbock High School. Life was simpler then and our antics were all in fun. Bill was like a brother to me and we kept in contact all of these 50+ years. We loved talking about the "good ole days" and laughing through every story shared. His kindness and big heart was a special gift and that he shared with many. I will miss him! Carol Williamson Short

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**Carol Williamson Short** - January 07, 2013 at 06:52 AM

ST

“ Bill was my first love and remained a love in my life throughout all these years. He was definitely always one of my best friends and certainly one of the most entertaining! One of my favorite memories of Bill and mine "love life" was Sybil driving us to see "South Pacific" right after Barbara Bullard James had given me a haircut which necessitated a trip to see the friendly barber!! I think Sybil wondered if I was really even a girl but I have always treasured that particular date. There will never be another one like him and he will always have a large place in my heart. I will have some guilt for a long time that I didn't check on him so maybe I could have helped. Jordan, I love you, and if I can do anything for you, please call me.....Sharon Thiel

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**Sharon Thiel** - January 04, 2013 at 02:26 PM

BJ

“ Bill was a life-long friend of mine, attending Dupre Elementary School, O.L. Slaton Jr. High, and Lubbock High School together. In fact, Bill gave me my very first box of Valentine candy and took me to the movie (my very first date) in the fourth grade. I always adored Bill and knew that if I ever was in need that he would do anything within his power to come to my aid. His passing is a most poignant and sad event for many of us who have been "together" for so many years. We ALL loved him and are greatly saddened to know that he will no longer be with us on this earth. If you didn't know, he had a beautiful voice and just might be singing in that Heavenly choir! Love and condolences to his family and to us all...Barbara Bullard James

BARBARA BULLARD JAMES - December 23, 2012 at 06:05 PM

HR

Thank you! We all enjoyed meeting you so much!

Heather Marion Reiner - January 04, 2013 at 05:39 AM

SU

“ Suzanne Bauman, USPS lit a candle in memory of Bill Marion



Suzanne Bauman, USPS - December 23, 2012 at 01:53 PM

ME

“ Jordon, We are so saddened to hear of the loss of your father. Amy (Cortez) called several nights ago to let us know. May peace be with you and your family. Melissa, Gil and Matthew

Melissa Edwards - December 23, 2012 at 01:44 PM

JU

“ *Jerry Smith, USPS lit a candle in memory of Bill Marion*



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**Jerry Smith, USPS** - December 21, 2012 at 02:54 AM

AL

“ *Altha Lewis lit a candle in memory of Bill Marion*



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**Altha Lewis** - December 19, 2012 at 04:49 PM