



## William "Bill" J. Schnoor

November 1, 1958 - February 22, 2021

William "Bill" John Schnoor, 62, of South Hadley, passed in his sleep February 22, 2021. He was born in Elmhurst, NY, on November 1, 1958, to the late Roy William Schnoor and Joan Ann Oakley.

Bill served in the United States Marine Corps, and worked several years farming, driving semi-trucks, and as a mechanic.

Bill spent his best years in Vietnam. He taught American English to Vietnamese pupils. They loved to hear Bill tell of the American dream. Locals looked up to Bill so much, they gave him the entire top floor of the hotel as permanent residence.

Bill is survived by his Step Father, Paul Herbert Oakley, of Richmond KY; brothers, Troy Thomas Schnoor of Evansville IN and Robert Walter Schnoor of Northfield MA; his sisters, Lurette Wolfe and her husband Ron of Henderson KY, Allison Cardin and her husband Brian of Evansville; nephews Damon of Evansville, Jesse of Henderson, niece Annemarie of Evansville, Uncle Bill Deneke of Sevierville TN; and cousins Bill of Boonville IN, Michael of Elberfeld IN, and Teri of Sevierville. Bill was preceded in death by his grandparents, father and mother, and his Aunt Norma Deneke.

There will be a calling hour on Saturday, February 27, 2021 from 11 AM – 12

PM, followed by a Memorial Service at 12 PM at the DROZDAL FUNERAL HOME, 120 Damon Rd., Northampton, MA. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

# Previous Events

## Calling Hour

FEB 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Drozdal Funeral Home  
120 Damon Rd  
Northampton, MA 01060  
(413) 584-5306  
<https://drozdalfuneralhome.com/>

## Memorial Service

FEB 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Northampton, MA 01060  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ I have Troy Schnoor as a friend, and I can get a glimpse of Bill through Troy. Troy is both kind and thoughtful and by reading about Bill, he has blessed countless people as well. Very talented and intelligent men whom give to others with joy not wanting anything in return. What a beacon he must have been in Vietnam to all the children and persons whom get to meet an American that cares about them. Thank you for your personal service as a Marine, Bill. Rest in peace.

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**KAS** - February 27, 2021 at 10:09 AM

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“ Well, I never thought Billy would pass on before me. I knew Billy all his life, and we always got along great. We argued (not seriously) about music, sometimes but we liked many of the same things. The last time I saw Bill was at his Dad's funeral, and he looked great, and as always he came up and said: Hey David. He was always glad to see me. You accomplished many things in your life, Billy. RIP



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**David Deneke** - February 23, 2021 at 07:28 PM