



Mr. Bill and Mrs. Sandra Stevens

March 29, 2016

Bill and Sandi died peacefully together on March 28, 2016 at their home in Waldport, Oregon.

Bill was born on March 23, 1939 to his parents Harold and Maxine Stevens in Coquille, Oregon. He graduated in 1957 from Marshfield High School in Coos Bay, Oregon, then enrolled in the University of Oregon and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1961. He worked for General Foods for 25 years before retiring.

Sandi was born on April 19, 1947 to her parents David and Shirley DeMoss in Fergus Falls, Minnesota. She graduated from Sacred Heart School of Nursing in 1969 and worked at Eugene Hospital and Clinic for 20 years before retiring. After she retired, she enjoyed sewing and crafting.

Bill met Sandi in 1977 at a weight loss clinic in Eugene where she was employed. It was "love at first sight" and they married on January 28, 1978.

They loved to travel and go camping, first in their motorhome, then later in a travel trailer. Their favorite trip was when they drove across the United States by car to the east coast and back. Their home came alive with family and friends during Thanksgiving week.

Bill loved University of Oregon football and track and field. He and his best friend attended football games for 45 years. Their tailgate parties became very popular. They also attended many track meets including the N.C.A.A. Championships and Olympic Trials.

Bill was preceded in death by his father, mother and older brother, Hal.

Sandi was preceded in death by her father and mother. She is survived by two sisters; Donna Hiebert and Joanna Scott.

Bill and Sandi were survived by their children: son Ray Stevens and his wife Anna Stevens; daughters Trudi Newman, her husband Dan Newman; Mindi Krummel and her husband Robin Krummel; Amy Sullivan and her husband Joseph Sullivan; grandchildren: Tabatha Stevens; Sabreena Cook and her husband Blair Cook; Travis Newman; Brittani Krummel; Kyli McLaughlin and her husband Jeremy McLaughlin; Caitlin Savard and her husband Robbie Savard; two great granddaughters: Honor McLaughlin and Harley Savard; nephew Mike Stevens and niece Kim Stevens. They are also survived by so many friends.

There will be a celebration of life in Waldport, Oregon sometime in May.

Arrangements are being entrusted to the Bateman Funeral Home, Newport, Oregon.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the University of Oregon Duck Athletic Fund.

Please sign the guest book at www.registerguard.com/legacy.

Tribute Wall

DI

“ Oh my gosh, they will be so very much missed! I considered Bill the neighborhood mayor. He always had a friendly greeting and watched our place as the best security system we could have--even turned off the water if he saw it was left on. He was a fabulous neighbor. I enjoyed all my visits with both Sandi and Bill in the two years we have known them. What a loss this is to the 'hood. Our next trip to the coast will be sad without their waves from the view window. We hope to be there on the 21st to honor them.

Dianne - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ To all of you who are reading this!! The Celebration for Dad and Mom has been set for Saturday, May 21st at 2:00. "Block Party" at the neighbors beach house in Waldport! Please come join our family! Love, Trudi, Ray, Mindi and Amy

Trudi - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Bill, You were like the big brother I always wanted. You were the first to take me to Disneyland and Knott's Berry Farm when I was a kid, humored me when I was a teenager and rescued me when things got a little crazy(you know). You and Sandra were the greatest parents to my sweet Ray and Trudi and for that I will always be grateful. Bill,I will miss your huge laugh , great smile and warm hugs!Peace...Love you, Sara

Sara - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ Bill and Sandi, I've known and loved the two of you for over 40 years...years filled with laughter, stories, tears, hugs and a glass of wine. My grandchildren could not have had more loving grandparents if they'd been born into your family. Bill, you took my mother "Toots 2" under your wing after dad died. The 3 of you traveled well together. When mom "popped her clogs" several years ago, you took me under your wing. I will not go by your house without a honk on my way by to let you know that I've arrived safely. You'll be missed forever and always...

Robyn - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ William J Stevens, Thank you for being the best DAD a girl could ask for. You took me in and taught me more than I could have ever hoped. Thank you for making my Mom happy for so many years. Your Little MissMom, Thank you for EVERYTHING!! I miss you. I love you. Your daughter, Amy

Amy - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ Uncle Bill, You knew me my whole life, you will be truly missed.

Ron - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ I met Bill in 1965. We have been friends through thick and thin! Life will never be the same. I love you Bill Jim. Avie Baby

Avie - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *The love you gave your family and friends will warm their hearts and memories forever.*

Kathy - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *Kathy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bill and Mrs. Sandra Stevens*



Kathy - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *This man is a Legacy. I watched him from the outside. He grew patient As the years passed. He could light up a room. So many memories of Palm Springs, Thanksgiving, foot rubs since he was the master in shoe sales:). Will never forget our outdoor bonfire talks:). Mama you are the most patient woman I know. The fondest memories with you were sitting in our Greeley house planning an amazing wedding. Thanks for being there for me. Will never forget your endless love:)*

Anne - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *One of my very best friends since 1953, will miss our weekly phone calls. Fair well dear friend until we meet again--save me a beer.*

Duane & Connie (Moffitt) Lowe - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TI

“ I met Bill in 2008 when my best friend, George Stehlik, Bills neighbor passed away and I was the executor to his estate. He and Sandra treated my wife Kathy and I very well. Bill and I became instant friends and kept in touch for the next eight years. He was a great friend and a good man.

Timothy - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ Daddy, I could use just one more hug! Mom, thanks for being my Mom! Thanks for giving us all so much LOVE!! Forever her Daddy's little girl, Trudi

Trudi - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ We shall never forget the wonderful travel memories with you both. Your friendship meant everything to us.

Greg & Yvonne Harder - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

NL

“ Life gives us all a second chance. You both will live on together. The memories left are of laughter and wise words. Bill was a man who told it like it was, and lived life. You both will be truly missed.

Nancy & Jeff Little - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ Grandma & Grandpa, Thank you for all the wonderful memories and traditions we experienced over my lifetime. Although I wish we had more time, you guys were the best grandparents anyone could ask for. You will always be missed but I know we will see each other again someday! Love you both so much.

Travis - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MI

“Daddy and Sandra, I'll live in your light forever, your smile makes me melt, your scent lingers in my memories of comfort . Your arms surround me in protection . Forever I'll walk with you at my side and wish you were closer . I miss you to the moon and back .~ Mindi Krummel

Mindi - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DA

“B&S , Trudi and I visited this place near Sumpter, Or a couple of years ago. They say it's as close to Heaven as you can get on Earth. We will give you a call next time we are there. Until we meet again, I've got your girl. Love Dan.

Dan - May 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SY

“Bill was always so special to me....as a little girl I considered him the big brother I never had. I am most proud of who he was as a father to my darling nephew Ray and my sweet niece Trudi. He could always make me laugh, always had a good story to tell, some of them about my escapades as a teenager. His smile and uproarious laugh could fill up an entire room. His devotion to Sandy and all his family was always an example of how to love unconditionally. I am so grateful to have had Bill in my life!Love you all, Sara

Sara K Youngbar - April 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SY

“Sara Younbar lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bill and Mrs. Sandra Stevens



Sara Younbar - April 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM