



William M. "Bill" Kelso Sr.

November 28, 1937 - April 22, 2013

William M. "Bill" Kelso, Sr. 75 of Zanesville, died 2:21 AM Monday, April 22, 2013 at his residence following a lengthy illness. He was born Sunday, November 28, 1937 in Zanesville the son of James Homer Kelso and Verna M. (Kovaleski) Kelso. He married Marcella "Faye" (Willey) Kelso, his wife for 53 years on Saturday, November 8, 1958.

Mr. Kelso retired in 1993 from Armco Steel Corp. following 36 years of service. He was also been employed at the Combs and Finlaw Lumber Company and served in the Ohio Army National Guard. Bill enjoyed hunting and was an avid fisherman. He was a loving and caring husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather.

Bill is survived by one daughter Tammie S. & Don Yester and one son: William M. & Joyce Kelso, Jr. both of Zanesville; 16 grandchildren; numerous great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren; four sisters-in-law: Barbara & Jerry Acheson and Betty Willey both of Roseville and Mary & Gene Swingle and Billie Willey of Zanesville; one brother -in-law: Dick Franklin of Zanesville; many nieces, nephews cousins and two special pet friends: Ty & Yogi.

In addition to his parents, Bill was preceded in death by the love of his life: Faye Kelso; one daughter: Sherrie Lynn Kelso; one son: Jeffrey Lee Kelso; two brothers: Richard & Paul Kelso; two sisters: Laura Franklin & Donna &

Harvey Ritchey; several sisters & brothers-in-law: Ruth & Dillard Caw, Ralph & Agnes Willey, Russell Willey and Dean Willey.

Calling hours will be held from 5:00 to 9:00 PM, Wednesday, April 24, 2013 at The Hillis, Combs & Nestor Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue, where funeral services will be held 1:00 PM Thursday, with Rev. Dr. Steve Dupler officiating. Bill will be laid to rest next to his beloved Faye in Zanesville Memorial Park. To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.hilliscombsnestor.com

Cemetery Details

Zanesville Memorial Park

1475 Military Road
Zanesville, OH 43701

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hillis Combs Funeral Home
935 Forest Avenue
Zanesville, OH 43701
(740) 452-5494
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Funeral Service

APR **25**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William M. "Bill" Kelso Sr.*

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about Uncle Bill's passing. Thoughts and Prayers to the entire family. Love you all and sorry couldn't make it to the service. Dean & Madessa Willey*

Dean Willey - April 25, 2013 at 05:27 PM



“ *Sparky lit a candle in memory of William M. "Bill" Kelso Sr.*



Sparky - April 25, 2013 at 08:22 AM



“ *I am sorry I wasn't able to come to the funeral home. I just read Bills Obituary just this evening (Wednesday). Your family are in my prayers, may God comfort you through your difficult days ahead. Love Missy Acheson*

Missy Acheson - April 24, 2013 at 07:19 PM

MA

“ *Missy Acheson lit a candle in memory of William M. "Bill" Kelso Sr.*



Missy Acheson - April 24, 2013 at 07:14 PM

SM

“ *So sorry to hear of Uncle Bill's death. He was good person who loved his family and provided for them. He is with Aunt Faye, Sherry, Jeff and his siblings once again. Keeping all of you in my thoughts and prayers. RIP Uncle Bill.*

Shirley Mason - April 24, 2013 at 04:13 PM

TC

“ *The Bilco Company would like to express its deepest sympathy to the family. We hope that you find comfort in your faith, family, and friends in your time of need.*

The Bilco Company - April 24, 2013 at 09:17 AM

TI

“ *We are sorry for your loss, we will keep you in are prayers, sorry we could not be there. Tim and Margaret Willey*

Tim - April 24, 2013 at 08:03 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of William M. "Bill" Kelso Sr..*



April 24, 2013 at 07:57 AM



“ *Prayers to all of you, he will be sorley missed! Just remember hes looking down on you and will always be with you in sprite and love!*
Jim & Bev

Bev Savage - April 23, 2013 at 09:26 AM