



Junior Freelon "Bud" Gillham

February 13, 1927 - January 7, 2021

Junior Freelon "Bud" Gillham, 93, of Searcy passed away peacefully Thursday, January 7, 2021. He was born February 13, 1927 in Sidon, Arkansas to the late Otha Reece Gillham and Dollie Haney Gillham.

Bud was in the real estate business for 60 years, retiring at age 86 from Dalrymple Real Estate. He also served in the United States Marine Corp.

He is survived by his son, Mike Gillham (Rhonda); grandson, Michael Gillham (Jessica); great-grandchildren, Makayla Gillham, Eli Haer, Jemma Gillham and Atreyu Gillham along with other loved ones.

Visitation will be at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Monday, January 11, 2021 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. A graveside service will be held at Mt. Hebron Cemetery on Tuesday, January 12, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to St. Jude Hospital. Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)
2602 W. Beebe-Capps Expy
Searcy, AR 72143
(501) 268-7220
searcy@powellfuneralhome.net
<https://www.powellfuneralhome.net/>

Graveside Service

JAN 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

Mt. Hebron Cemetery
119 Mt. Hebron Church Road
Searcy, AR 72143

Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Junior Freelon "Bud" Gillham



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 11, 2021 at 09:34 AM



“ We're sorry to hear about Bud, he was a great guy.
Larry and Nancy Megel

Larry and Nancy Megel - January 16, 2021 at 11:49 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Junior Freelon "Bud" Gillham.



January 14, 2021 at 01:07 PM

LG

“ Bud was a wonderful person. He was full of life, and always had a smile on his face. He was a very loving, and caring man. Bud had some great stories to tell, and we would laugh so hard at them. I always enjoyed every minute I got to spend with him. Bud was a dear friend. I loved him very much. He will be missed, but never forgotten. The tribute to him was really nice.

I'm sorry I won't be able to attend the service due to Covid. I am sorry for your loss Michael, and will be praying for you and your family.

Lori Griebel

Lori Griebel - January 11, 2021 at 09:16 PM

GM

“ Uncle Bud was always positive! Fun to be around. I am proud to be part of the family!!!

Gloria mayo - January 11, 2021 at 09:11 PM

CL

“ I worked at Dalco Closing and talked with Bud often. He will be missed by many!

Prayers for his family.

Cathy Louks - January 11, 2021 at 04:08 PM

SE

“ Bud was always a joy to be around. He would come sit in Citizens Title and tell us stories and leave us in a great mood. He was a good guy and we will never forget him. Will not attend his services because of the damn Covid but he will understand!!

Sonny and Sue Ekdahl

Sue Ekdahl - January 09, 2021 at 07:14 PM

JM

“*Bud was a longtime friend. He was a wonderful, caring man. His sense of humor could keep you entertained for hours. I visited him a couple of weeks ago and we had a wonderful time. My prayers are with Mike, Micheal and the grandchildren. He had friends everywhere and will be missed by many. God Bless you Bud. Rest In Peace 🙏❤️*

judy southerland maddox - January 09, 2021 at 06:30 PM

PY

*Bud was a very special friend, and I will always hold a place for him in my heart. He was a caring, gentle soul, and will be missed by so many. I won't be able to attend the service because of Covid, but am praying for Mike and all the family.
RIP my friend*

Peggy Yancey - January 10, 2021 at 01:46 PM