



Bill Choate

June 10, 2024

Frank William Choate (Bill)

Bill Choate passed away on Monday, June 10th, 2024 peacefully in his home surrounded by his loving wife and children.

Bill was born on March 11th, 1956 to Charles William Choate & Myra J. Miller-Choate. He resided in Marble Hill, MO for many years after graduating from Woodland High School in 1974. Bill married Karen Francis-Choate on July 16th, 1983 and was married for 40 years. They had two children Ryan Choate and Kyla Choate. Bill and Karen fulfilled their dream of moving to Gulf Shores, AL in 2018 after their retirement.

Bill owned and operated Choate's Food Mart in Marble Hill, MO for 20 years. He also owned and operated Design-A-Sign for several years. The last 20 years he has worked as a flood insurance adjuster responding to hurricanes all over the country; helping families get back on their feet after a disaster. He gained many wonderful friends during his time there. In Bill's young adult days, he was very competitive in all sports. He played slow pitch softball, tennis, & sand volleyball. Bill was a youth coach for many kids in the Marble Hill community and coached his children when they were younger as well. Recently, up until a few months ago, he competed with his son in some

intense cornhole games. He loved his family very much, and his grandchildren Elsy Mae & Tate brought him so much joy. Bill was a member of the Scopus Church of Christ and the Gulf Shores Church of Christ.

Bill is survived by his loving wife Karen Lee Choate, his two children Ryan William Choate and Kyla Danae Choate (Daryn), his two beautiful grandchildren Elsy Mae Hulvey and Tate William Holweg, his siblings Lonnie Choate (Susan) and Linda Caldwell (Don), and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father Charles W. Choate, his mother, Myra J. Choate, and sister Donna Tinnin.

Bill's family is planning a private celebration of life in Marble Hill, MO at a later time.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sherrie Caldwell (Schlenker) purchased the Gabl e Gift Box for the family of Bill Choate.*



Sherrie Caldwell (Schlenker) - June 17, 2024 at 12:10 PM