



Mr. William Thane Garretson

July 3, 1961 - September 25, 2019

William Thane Garretson, 58, of Plant City, Florida, born in Boise, Idaho on July 3, 1961, entered into eternal rest on September 25, 2019. He retired as a deputy after many years at Polk County Sheriff's Office. He enjoyed golf cart rides with his grandson Will, fishing, golfing, football, rock-n-roll, and sitting on the patio listening to his music. He is survived by his wife, Ronnie Garretson; children, Amanda Manie (Scott) of Brooksville, Layne Northrop (Ethan, SrA, USAF) of Navarre, Audra Garretson of Gainesville, Tiffany Bullard (John) of Plant City, and Erica Anne Meyers of New York, New York; 5 grandchildren (with 1 on the way); siblings, Natalie Neff (Pat) of Plant City, Amy Peters (Mark) of Dover, and Paul Garretson of Memphis, Tennessee; mother, Vicki Garretson; father, Bill Garretson (Bryanne); and mother-in-law, Marion Glass. A funeral service will be held Wednesday, October 2 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 S County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00. A.M. Committal to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to First Baptist Church Plant City, fbcpc.com. Expressions of condolence at HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South
Plant City, FL 33567
(813) 737-3128
office@hopewellfuneral.com
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

OCT 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ My prayers 🙏 for the family. I used to work with Will and played many rounds of 🏌️ with him and had many good times together at work. We were on the same shift as well. RIP my friend. Terri Joy

Terri Joy - October 06, 2019 at 02:09 PM

KM

“ You will be greatly missed my friend Roy & Kim McDonald



Kim McDonald - October 01, 2019 at 08:29 PM

AH

“ You will be missed my friend! We hung out a lot together through High school and into our twenties. Went to my first rock concert with you and our dates 7/4/1976. Eagles and Fleetwood Mac in the Old Tampa stadium. My dad drove us and picked us up because I still had my learners permit. Many good memories!

alan hinkley - October 01, 2019 at 04:27 PM

PS

“ Billy and I became friends at Plant City First Baptist with Wil and "Ronnie" and became very close. We were so excited he became a Christian and he and "Ronnie" got married. Every Sunday we looked forward to talking to him and getting our hugs. We will hug you again one day in heaven Wil. Love you and your family and praying for comfort. Love, Billy and Pattye Starrett

Pattye Starrett - September 29, 2019 at 06:28 PM

DG

“ *Don & Kathy Glass lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Thane Garretson*



Don & Kathy Glass - September 29, 2019 at 05:50 AM

DG

RIP Will;;; I know we only met you once but it was a pleasure! Our prayers are with you Ronnie & the family!!!

Don and Kathy Glass - September 29, 2019 at 05:55 AM

RK

Ronnie, Peter and I are so sorry to hear this news. It seems like we just met Will at our garage sale and you were so happy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you always. I would love to give you a hug and cry and pray together.

Robin Kramer - October 04, 2019 at 04:50 PM

DH

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you and the family.*

Donna Haas - September 28, 2019 at 10:35 PM

KR

“ *In 197...something, Thane and I rode an elevator for the first time. We spent hours just going up and down. My condolences to all his life touched. Thank you Thane for some awesome laughs.*

Kenneth Ramey - September 28, 2019 at 09:37 PM

NN

“ Dear brother, all of your girls are so sad, broken hearts and trying hard to pull ourselves together. We all have faith that your beautiful soul is with each of us and your filled with more joy than we can ever process. I'll do my best to always take care of your wife, your daughters, your grandchildren and the one lady who has been in your life since you came into this earthly world. All my love brother, see you in heaven. Your big sissy natalie.



Natalie Neff - September 28, 2019 at 10:27 AM