



## William "Bill" Fillmore Peabody

July 6, 1924 - September 1, 2022

William (Bill) Fillmore Peabody, age 98, passed from this world into his Heavenly home on Thursday, September 01, 2022, in Siloam Spring, Arkansas. He was born on July 06, 1924, in Gentry, Arkansas to Benjamin H. Peabody and Ottie (Wright) Peabody. He attended and graduated from Gentry Public Schools and went on to serve as a Navy tail gunner on a PBY-5A Catalina Flying Boat until 1946. He married Mary Corinne Maple on March 13, 1952 and moved to Siloam Springs, where he enjoyed a career at PetMilk for 25 years, then retired from Waukesha. Bill enjoyed woodworking, playing in his band, traveling, and teaching Bible studies. He was a man with a heart of gold, a sharp wit and smile for everyone.

He is preceded in death by both parents, two sisters, Dorothy (Peabody) Hall, Maxine (Peabody) Woody, brothers-in-law Henry Hall, Burtice Woody, Charles Maple, Leon Boles; Sister-in-law Lavona (Johnson) Maple, Helen Eva (Maple) Boles, and nieces, Connie (Woody) Reed, Beverly (Maple) Reed and Sandra (Boles) Dunlap.

He is survived in death by nephews, Gary Maple (spouse, Nancy), Charles Boles (spouse, Joni), Ronald Boles (spouse, Linda), Jeff Boles (spouse, Tammy), Ben Woody (spouse, Twilla); niece, Dianna (Maple) Baptiste; great nieces, Pennie Easter (spouse, Bill), Kara Blakenship (spouse, Jaymi), Teresa Woody, Kayla Grey (spouse, Austin), Kimberly Galasso; great nephew Brian

Woody (spouse, Nicole); with a host of extended family, church family and friends.

Visitation will be Friday, September 16, 2022, from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., at Wasson Funeral Home, 441 W. Hwy. 412, Siloam Springs, AR. Funeral services will be Saturday, September 17, at 10:30 a.m., in the Wasson Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, in Siloam Springs. To sign the online guestbook, please visit: [www.wassonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wassonfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.  
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **16**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home  
441 U.S. 412  
Siloam Springs, AR 72761  
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## Funeral Service

SEP **17**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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## Burial

SEP 17. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ We recently learned of Bill's passing. We have wonderful memories of visiting family in Gentry and Siloam Springs. Blessings to all of the family. Jon & Kathy LeChien

Jon LeChien - October 04, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Fillmore Peabody.



September 14, 2022 at 01:03 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Fillmore Peabody.



September 14, 2022 at 01:38 AM



“ Bill was a good friend and played in my band and on my radio show in the late 50s and early 60s along with Tommy Southworth and Truman Lankford, we also played in what is now the parking lot across the street from 28 Springs on the north side, we were sponsored by Delbert Allen Sr., a lot of good times good laughs, and many memories. Montie Jones

Billie Jones - September 07, 2022 at 03:58 PM