



Bill Shuttleworth

May 14, 1945 - March 8, 2018

Beloved husband of the late Rosemary.

Loving father of Dawn (Tom) Donoher and Daniel Shuttleworth.

Dear grandfather of Timothy and Emily, step grandfather of Tommy Donoher and Brittany Bauss.

Great grandfather of 5 great grandchildren.

Bill graduated from Detroit College of Business in 1965 with a Bachelor's Degree of Science and Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice. He was hired by the Federal Bureau of Investigation as an Agent then joined the military serving as Naval Security Officer Central Intelligence. Following his naval service, he hired in as a Public Safety Officer in 1973. During his career Bill received 2 Merit citations, 1 life saving medal and 1 letter of Commendation. Bill also served the Oak Park Officers Association for 2 years as Vice President and 3 years as President. In 1982 he worked closely with Sterling Heights Police Department for the purpose of starting a k-9 unit in Oak Park, Michigan. His last k-9 in training is currently with the family, a purebred German Shephard, Maxine, who is 10 years of age. The devotion that the two of them shared with each other is unbelievable. In his private time, he was involved with the Knights of Columbus. Bill was the 1st male PTO president for Warner Elementary School. He also coached baseball for Sterling Heights Parks and Recreation teams for over 10 years. Bill was a court officer for the 41st District Court and served as president and vice president of C-PAM. He then started a National Night Out program in Roseville and East Pointe.

During 1999, Bill, retired from the Oak Park Police Department after 26 years of service and received his PI license and initiated the Citizens Police Academy of Oak Park. Following retirement Bill joined Beaumont security and worked there for 15 years. During those 15 years, 10 of those he spent teaching self-protection and domestic violence classes at Beaumont troy and later added on relationship abuse at Traverse City High School. Besides his work and volunteer life he loved to travel. One of his favorite places was Siesta Key, Florida. When Bill retired from Beaumont Security he tried to travel as much as possible and spend as much time as possible with his family. In lieu of flowers the family requests you make donations to an organization close to Bill's heart by protecting the paws that protect us.

Projectpawsalive.org

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

MAR 18. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Sterling Heights
3801 18 Mile Road
Sterling Heights, MI 48314
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Memorial Visitation

MAR 19. 9:00 AM (ET)

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Memorial Service

MAR 19. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bill Shuttleworth*

October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *Bill Shuttleworth*

January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Daddy, yesterday we held your memorial service I hope we did you proud.... everyone who came for the last 2 days said the most wonderful things about you, so many things I didn't know about you. You were such an honorable humble man, I am so proud that I was blessed to have been called your daughter! I only can hope that I can live up to the potential you have laid before Danny and me... your truly a hard act to follow. Max is doing ok... she misses you terribly but Sandi is taking extremely good care of her, we all will one day be ok daddy, time does heal all wounds they say... not sure I believe it right now, but know that your in no more pain, and are truly at peace makes each day a little bit better. Miss you like crazy, until we see each other again daddy toot a loo and nitey nite..... love you forever ❤️ Dawn*

dawn donoher - March 20, 2018 at 07:04 AM

RC

“ I were so sorry to hear of Bill's Passing. There was not a more genuine person than Bill. He had a heart of gold, and always took the time to say kind words along with a warm smile!! I will always remember your stories when you were with the PD and Security.

Rest in Peace my Friend. Till we meet again!

Ray Cavaliere - March 19, 2018 at 09:35 AM

 Fran Vitale

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Bill's family and close friends. I knew Bill through working at PCCA and he was a joy to know. I was happy for Sandi that they where together they made each other happy again. Till we meet again Bill you will be missed by many

Fran Vitale

Fran Vitale - March 17, 2018 at 03:14 PM

TS

“ Dan,
Ramon, and I want you to know we are so very sorry to hear of the loss of your father. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We made a donation to project paws in your father's memory.

Many hugs and prayers to you!

Treena Salaysay - March 16, 2018 at 07:49 PM

GC

“ Bill was sunshine on a rainy day! I loved him for this! I have so many wonderful memories of dinners and outings both here in Michigan and time spent in Siesta Key with him and Sandi and we always had amazing fun. I will never travel again without the countdown of days left and a "wakeup" that he always did for us. What i loved most is that he made my sister, Sandi Lange, happy. He brought her love, joy and happiness and the time they had together over the years was special. Bill was a special part of our family and will be missed. Heaven has gained a special angel. He taught me all about the "Big Bopper" in Siesta Key and those memories of all that laughter we had will always be cherished. Rest easy in heaven - No more pain or suffering for you.... Until we meet again ... <3

Gail Cross

Gail Cross - March 15, 2018 at 12:57 PM

SA

“ It was such a pleasure and honor to care for Bill!! He set the bar for respect, kindness and humor. Bills smile would brighten anyone's day! Bill had an uncanny ability to remember peoples name and always made you feel cared for, but deep inside there was only one person he cared the most for...Sandi !! Bill you will be missed and I can honestly say I was honored that you allowed me to care for you, in return for the many years you cared and watched over us at Beaumont!! You are at peace. Respectfully, Sam Allen

Sam Allen - March 14, 2018 at 08:02 PM

PL

“ I met Bill through PCCA he was always a kind and caring friend. My thoughts and prayer are with his family and friends.
Pam Ledbetter

Pam Ledbetter - March 14, 2018 at 01:29 PM

JG

“ Dawn, so sorry for your loss. I am SURE my mom greeted him in heaven. My sisters and I have donated to Pawsalive.org in his memory.

John R Garozzo - March 14, 2018 at 10:10 AM



“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I met Bill at PCCA years ago - he taught us self defense. He was like sunshine when he came in to the office, always smiling and having a positive thing to say or a little joke. You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Rene

Kathleen Morrissette - March 14, 2018 at 09:54 AM



Patricia Swain

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Bill's family and close friends. I knew Bill through working at PCCA and he was a joy to know. He was a wonderful person and I'm sure he will be the most perfect Angel. God Bless!
Patricia Swain

Patricia Swain - March 13, 2018 at 09:19 PM

CB

“ So sorry to hear of Bill's passing. I met Bill while I was working at PCCA. He always had a smile and we looked forward to the daily question, What day is it? In case you would like to know today is veteran K9 day. Kinda fitting isn't it. I am sure his side kick Maxine will miss him dearly, as well as everyone that knew him.

RIP Bill

Cody Bishop

cody Bishop - March 13, 2018 at 06:06 PM

RI

“ So sorry to hear of Bill's passing. It was a pleasure to work with him at Oak Park for 25 years, someone you could always count on no matter what happened.

Richard Cain

richard - March 13, 2018 at 02:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Bill Shuttleworth.



March 13, 2018 at 02:03 PM

RS

“ A donation has been made to Project Paws by Dan Ward.

Raquel Salaysay - March 13, 2018 at 01:53 PM

MB

“ I had the pleasure of working with Bill for many years at Oak Park. He was a great guy to be around and work with because of his sense of humor, character, and work ethic. Thoughts and prayers are with the family during this time of mourning.

Mike Barnard - March 13, 2018 at 08:39 AM

RC

“ I was blessed to work with Bill at Beaumont Hospital in Troy for many years. He was a man of great warmth and stellar character. He invested time and talent in many ventures beyond his work in security, enriching the culture of the hospital and endearing himself to countless friends. He will be missed in our lives.

Rik Cryderman - March 13, 2018 at 03:19 AM

CH

“ We met Bill through Sandi and also through his association with PCCA. A truly good man with a big heart. Our condolences to the extended families. A donation on Bill's behalf has been sent to Project Paws Alive. We regret that we will not be in town during the service, but our thoughts and prayers will be with you. Chris & Debbie Hughes

christopher Hughes - March 12, 2018 at 09:36 PM

GK

“ So sorry to hear about Bill's passing. I too worked with this fine person in Oak Park. He was a pleasure to be around, had a great sense of humor (once you got to know him), & was strong as an ox! Bev & I are in Florida until late Monday night so unfortunately will not be able to attend Bill's service, but will definitely keep & his family in our thoughts & prayers.

Gary Koesters - March 12, 2018 at 08:49 PM

JN

“ Jack And Nancy sent a virtual gift in memory of Bill Shuttleworth



jack and nancy - March 12, 2018 at 06:26 PM

TH

“ We extend our deepest sympathy to the Shuttleworth and Donoher family members in the loss of their loved one. We have never met Bill's children or grandchildren, but he often mentioned them when we were together. What began in the work field at Beaumont and with Pulmonary & Critical Care Associates, an admirable relationship developed with Bill and his life-partner, Sandi Lange. They became very close and dear friends of ours over the years. During retirement, we would meet regularly for lunches at a favorite deli where our good times always included much laughter. In recent years, we met in Siesta Key on our mutual vacations, and last year we got to meet K-9, Maxine. Bill was special, and will never be forgotten. He was a man's man with a most sensitive and caring soul. Rest in peace dear friend. Grace and Richard Herbert

The Herberts - March 12, 2018 at 06:23 PM

JG

“ Bill was a friend and a pleasure to be around and work with for 25 years in Oak Park. Wish I could visit and express regrets to Dawn and Dan and their families in person, but I am in Florida now. May he rest in peace.

Jim Grindem - March 12, 2018 at 06:08 PM

JB

“ Bill was a very good friend and partner of my husband, Ron Butkus. They shared lots of laughs and good times over their years together at the Oak Park Public Safety Department. May he rest in peace knowing that he had a wonderful family that loved him very much. God Bless - Juli Butkus

Juli Butkus - March 12, 2018 at 05:58 PM

BC

“ Rest in peace Bill. To his family" memories last a lifetime.
God Bless Barb Ciesinski

Barbara cIESINSKI - March 12, 2018 at 05:25 PM

SH

“ So many memories in growing up. I've known you since I was 16 (all be it time has slipped away from us) at times you were just like a father to me. You will be truly missed

shelley - March 12, 2018 at 03:22 PM