



## William "Bill" Adams

December 23, 1934 - October 19, 2020

William "Bill" Adams, age 85, resident of Clinton Township, Michigan, passed away on Monday, October 19, 2020 in Clinton Township, Michigan.

born on December 23, 1934 in Detroit, Michigan

Beloved husband of Paulette Adams

Loving father of Cindy (Tom) Pardington, Daniel Adams, Derrick Adams, Annette (Wade) Casteel, and the late Stacey Riechel.

Proud grandfather of Nick, Natalie, Corey, Aaron, Justin, Trevor, Heather, and the late William.

Dear great-grandfather of Alyson, Zoey, Chase, Aiden, Wyatt, Atlas, and Anita.

Brother of the late Walter (Wanda) Adamchuk.

Visitation at the Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. of Van Dyke) Utica Friday, October 23 from 2-8pm.

Funeral Service Saturday, October 24 11am at the funeral home

Please share a memory at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

OCT **23**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
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### Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 23, 2020 at 01:43 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 23, 2020 at 10:00 AM



“ *Love, Nina Zuk & Craig & Bunny Schmeisser purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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**Love, Nina Zuk & Craig & Bunny Schmeisser** - October 23, 2020 at 06:26 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 22, 2020 at 07:43 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



October 22, 2020 at 12:45 PM



“ *Misty Delegato purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



**Misty Delegato** - October 22, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



October 22, 2020 at 12:34 PM



“ *Randy & Wendy Taylor purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



**Randy & Wendy Taylor** - October 22, 2020 at 09:35 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 22, 2020 at 08:45 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 22, 2020 at 07:54 AM

AC

“ *Bill loved life and lived it well, exhibiting steadfast love for his family and a generous spirit, a friend to everyone. An avid storyteller, Bill drew you in with compelling tales, that typically ended with a wink of his eye or unexpected punch line.*

*He had a competitive nature and loved sports – especially football, baseball, skiing, golf and games like pool, cards, and puzzles, including crosswords and Cryptoquips. If you ever played pool or cards with Bill, you knew he was a bit of a shark, yet always played fair and remained humble. He learned to play the trumpet at Cass Tech High School and loved all musical genres, with a fondness for classical and classic jazz. He also had an appetite for reading, and was a fan of a wide range of detective novels.*

*Bill had a passion for power boating, and was honored as past Commodore of the Y-Not Boat Club. He routinely welcomed friends and family to his home and boat, with many memorable outings. He loved to cook and was a Grill-Master. He also enjoyed preparing the home-made dishes his mother made for him as a child, for his family to enjoy. Bill celebrated a fulfilling retirement after a 40-year-plus career with AAA of Michigan.*

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**Annette Casteel** - October 22, 2020 at 07:03 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 21, 2020 at 08:55 PM

GK

“ *Such a good man. Kind, generous and classy. Loved his family to pieces. He will be very missed. So sorry and you all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Gina Knight** - October 21, 2020 at 04:51 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 21, 2020 at 04:18 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.*



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October 21, 2020 at 03:55 PM

DG

“ *Such a kind, generous and amazing man. One of the founders of our YKBC Boat Club family. Definitely a charmer. Love you Bill and you will be missed.*

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**diane gettner** - October 21, 2020 at 02:51 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.



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October 21, 2020 at 12:27 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant* was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Adams.



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October 21, 2020 at 11:10 AM