

William Edward Newcomb Jr.

February 24, 1964 - October 20, 2018

William Edward Newcomb, Jr., of Chestertown, MD, died on October 20, from the result of a car accident on his way to work in Morgan City, LA. He was 54.

He was born in Chestertown on February 24, 1964, the son of the late William E. Newcomb, Sr. and the late Nancy Palmatory, of Piney Neck in Rock Hall, MD.

Billy was a 1982 graduate of Kent County High School. During his adolescent years he was the mate on his father's charter boat "Miss Donna." He worked for Jay Jacobs Seafood, Buck Dickerson Painting, and Dann Marine and Towing of Chesapeake City, MD, where he started his career in the Marine Industry. In February 2003, he joined the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 25. He was employed as a Marine Engineer and worked for Weeks Marine, Great Lakes Docks and Dredging, and Moran Towing. As a Marine Engineer he traveled frequently to ports up and down the East Coast and throughout the Gulf Coast.

Billy loved his job, being on the water, and spending time with his family, friends, and Union brothers. He also enjoyed playing the guitar, skydiving, camping, golfing, trot lining, and was an avid Ravens and Orioles fan. In his younger years he played men's softball and raced go-karts.

He is survived by his daughters; Addy Newcomb of Rock Hall, Hannah Newcomb of Chestertown; his companion of nine years, Robin Merchant Hawthorne and her daughter, Emily Hawthorne of Chestertown; his sister, Donna Strong of Rock Hall; and his niece, Jennifer Zsebedics; along with his two greatnieces Abigail and Ella Zsebedics; and his Goldendoodle, Lillie.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 26, at 1:00 PM, at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home in Chestertown, where relatives and friends may call from 12:00 pm-1:00 pm. Please come in casual attire. Interment will be in Wesley Chapel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to defray costs to FHN Funeral Home, 130 Speer Road, Chestertown, MD 21620.

Cemetery Details

Wesley Chapel Cemetery

6179 Rock Hall Road
Rock Hall, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
(410) 778-0055
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

OCT **26**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 25, 2018 at 04:39 PM

RO

Beautiful

Robin - October 25, 2018 at 05:44 PM

TD

Billy was both a dear friend and brother beginning from Middle School. I will miss him, but know his journey has not ended but has just begun. God bless all of those grieving the loss of our dear brother

Tim Dove - October 26, 2018 at 10:21 AM



“ *William Edward Newcomb Jr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *William Edward Newcomb Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *William Edward Newcomb Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Amy Nickerson lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Amy Nickerson - October 28, 2018 at 02:11 PM



“ *Rose Perry lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Rose Perry - October 26, 2018 at 04:09 PM



Sosorry to hear this Billy was a great guy always knew u were ever he saw you R.I.P. Billy.

Rose Perry - October 26, 2018 at 03:13 PM



“ *Sarah Jester lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Sarah Jester - October 25, 2018 at 08:30 PM

DS

“ *Denny Dalrymple. Sr lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Denny Dalrymple. Sr - October 25, 2018 at 05:38 PM



“ *112 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 25, 2018 at 03:25 PM

JK

“ *Jimmy & Carrie Kirby lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Jimmy & Carrie Kirby - October 25, 2018 at 10:15 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Edward Newcomb Jr..*



October 25, 2018 at 09:28 AM



“ *Chrissy And Crash Beck lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Chrissy and crash beck - October 24, 2018 at 08:23 PM



“ *Katie Brilz lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



katie brilz - October 24, 2018 at 02:18 PM



“ *So sorry Robin and Emily.*



Larry Merchant. - October 24, 2018 at 12:51 PM

KS

“ *Robin as and so sorry for your loss, my prayers and thought are with you!* 🙏❤️



Kim Jim Jimmy and Shawn - October 23, 2018 at 11:32 PM

TW

“ *Our condolences to the family*




Troy & Dawn White - October 23, 2018 at 09:32 PM

JF

“ *Jennifer Frenkil sent a virtual gift in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Jennifer Frenkil - October 23, 2018 at 08:04 PM

 Robert Stoops

“ *my buddy on the dredge and at home in rock hall . you will be missed . RIP nuke*



Robert Stoops - October 23, 2018 at 07:53 PM

FR

“ *Frances & George Rodney lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Frances & George Rodney - October 23, 2018 at 07:31 PM

AR

“ *Allen Riley lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



allen riley - October 23, 2018 at 06:18 PM

CR

“ *Cheryl Reihl lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Cheryl Reihl - October 23, 2018 at 05:26 PM

DH

“ *So very sorry to hear of Billy,s passing. 😭.
RIP*



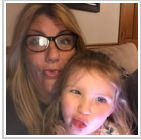
Denise Gray Hollon - October 23, 2018 at 03:22 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of William Edward Newcomb Jr..*



October 23, 2018 at 03:21 PM



“ *Dawn Cain lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Dawn Cain - October 23, 2018 at 03:16 PM



“ *Sheila Blyman Dlugoborski lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Sheila Blyman Dlugoborski - October 23, 2018 at 02:40 PM



“ *Bonnie & Ron Edwards lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Bonnie & Ron Edwards - October 23, 2018 at 02:35 PM

LW

“ *Lauren Walls lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Lauren Walls - October 23, 2018 at 02:22 PM



“ *Mary Riley lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Mary Riley - October 23, 2018 at 01:53 PM



“ *Debbi Cannon lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Debbi Cannon - October 23, 2018 at 01:30 PM

LH

“ *Lisa And Michael Harrington lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Lisa and Michael Harrington - October 23, 2018 at 11:42 AM

DJ

“ *Denny Dalrymple Jr. lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Denny Dalrymple Jr. - October 23, 2018 at 09:42 AM

DD

“ *Debbie Dalrymple lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Debbie Dalrymple - October 23, 2018 at 09:42 AM

CM

“ *Connie Morris lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Connie Morris - October 23, 2018 at 09:11 AM

RO

“ *RJ & Kristi Osborn lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



RJ & Kristi Osborn - October 23, 2018 at 09:04 AM

PJ

“ *Pres & Sherrie Jacobs lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Pres & Sherrie Jacobs - October 23, 2018 at 08:08 AM

TS

“ *Todd And Diane Smith lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



Todd and Diane Smith - October 23, 2018 at 07:04 AM

RJ

“ *Robin Jamar lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



robin jamar - October 22, 2018 at 10:29 PM

BR

“ *With deepest sympathy and sorrow. RIP.*



Betty Richardson - October 22, 2018 at 10:23 PM

TP

“ Tina Pierce lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Tina Pierce - October 22, 2018 at 08:29 PM

TJ

“ Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell - October 22, 2018 at 08:08 PM

VR

“ Valerie Reihl lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Valerie Reihl - October 22, 2018 at 07:51 PM

CE

“ Charles & Donna Edwards lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Charles & Donna Edwards - October 22, 2018 at 06:52 PM

DE

“ So Sorry for your loss, Rest In Peace Billy



Denise Ewing - October 22, 2018 at 06:21 PM

JP

“ So very sorry. Billy was a sweet soul.



Jeff and Debi Pinder - October 22, 2018 at 05:40 PM

LS

“ So very sorry. RIP Billy.



Lisa Shaw - October 22, 2018 at 04:52 PM

GC

“ Gail Kendall Claggett lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Gail Kendall Claggett - October 22, 2018 at 04:32 PM

PM

“ Pam & Tommy Marvel lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Pam & Tommy Marvel - October 22, 2018 at 03:27 PM

JB

“ Robin I am so sorry!!! Hugs



Joyce Benton - October 22, 2018 at 03:21 PM

Donna Blackiston

“ Good memories with Billy in school. So sorry for his loss. 💖



Donna Blackiston - October 22, 2018 at 03:09 PM

MU

“ Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.



Marie Usilton - October 22, 2018 at 02:25 PM

JL

“ *John M Larrimore lit a candle in memory of William Edward Newcomb Jr.*



John M Larrimore - October 22, 2018 at 01:54 PM