



William Earl Golden

August 19, 1936 - June 27, 2009

Wm Earl "Bill" Golden

Wm Earl "Bill" Golden 72, of Frankfort, KY, died June 27, 2009, at his home with his family at his side.

Mr. Golden was born August 19, 1936 in Montgomery County, to the late William Dewey and Mary Lou Hutchison Golden. He was a member of the Faith Baptist Church, Bridgeport, KY. He was a loving father, grandfather and brother. He had been a farmer in Bourbon and Montgomery Counties for many years. He worked as a mechanic where he retired with Ryder Truck Rental. He loved to play Bluegrass and Gospel music with his Dobro. He volunteered his time and music at nursing homes to share his love of music for folks to hear.

Survivors include his wife, Carolyn Cathorall Golden of Frankfort; two daughters, Pam (Craig) Means of Winchester, and Gayle (Kevin) Thomas of Lexington; one granddaughter, Ashley Means of Winchester; two step-sons, Chris (Patti) Endicott of Pleasureville, and Chuck Endicott of Frankfort; one step-daughter, Johanna (Richard) Owens of Cocoa, Florida; three step-granddaughters, Jessica Wright, Lindsey Owens, Shelby Owens all of Cocoa, Florida, and one step-grandson, Brian Endicott of Arkansas; two sisters, Rachel Blevins and Mary Ruth (Doug) Fletcher and a brother-in-law, Kenneth Hall, all of Mt. Sterling. Survivors also include several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Barbara Jean Hall and Deborah Duley, a brother-in-law Walter Blevins, Jr., and a step-

granddaughter, Tiffany Watts.

The funeral service will be Thursday, 11a.m., at LeCompte-Johnson-Taylor Funeral Home, Frankfort, Kentucky with Bro. Everett Hawkins officiating.

Burial will follow in the Frankfort Cemetery. Visitation will be from 3-8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be: Craig Means, Kevin Thomas, Richard Owens, Chris Endicott, Chuck Endicott, and Ronnie Bledsoe.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to Hospice of the Bluegrass, 208 Steel Street, Frankfort, KY 40601 or Faith Baptist Church, 50 Bridgeport Benson Rd, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Tribute Wall



“ Mother just called with the news of William Earl's passing. I know William Earl is playing some sweet music and my Dad is sitting there tapping his foot and enjoying the "great music and fellowship". William Earl was a good friend to all of us, but espe##imported-begin##OwenGolden##imported-end##

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“ I have been friends with Williams Earl for many years starting from around 1952. I am so sorry to hear of his passing and wish to convey my deepish comdolences.##imported-begin##BettyMatherly Williams##imported-end##

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“ Unfortunately I never knew Mr. Golden but I personally know his daughter Pam. The person that she is, directly reflect to her father and mother and how she was raised. If I could tell Mr. Golden anything now it would be what a great job he did in raising##imported-begin##KennyCarroll##imported-end##

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“ Carolyn, Rachel, Ruth and all the family; I am so sorry about William Earl. I remember the good old days when we had music in our homes and at the Bunker Hill Store. That was some of my favorite memories of Wm. Earl.##imported-begin##RubyVice##imported-end##

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“ I want to add Pam and Gayle to the list in my first condolence. I'm sorry I didn't do it right the first time.
I also want to pass on condolences from my nephew, Jimmy Browning, Jean Browning & family of Richlands, NC. I called them yesterday and told t##imported-begin##RubyVice##imported-end##

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“ I worked with Carolyn at Ky Housing Corp, and when Bill came into her workplace he always had a smile on his face.

To the Golden Family my prays are with you. Rmember the 3 things in life that Bill had Love ,Family&Friends and Kindness. Now he is in a##imported-begin##cedricponds##imported-end##

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“ I've known Bill since I began playing bluegrass music. He was an inspiration to me in both music and in living a life determined to do what makes you happy. I don't know a kinder, friendlier person than Bill. I will miss him very much. I'll never hear "I##imported-begin##DianeMurphy##imported-end##

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“ I have had the privilege of knowing Mr. Golden through where I work for about 5 years. He was always smiling and sweet to us girls in the office. I will miss him coming in and talking to us, or me sneaking out to the car to say hello to him when he felt##imported-begin##JenniferSpringman##imported-end##

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“ Dear Carolyn and Family,

We are sorry for your loss. Bill would always enter a room smiling and that smile carried through in his love for Bluegrass music and friends. Jim and I feel honored to have known Bill. Our best to you and yours.

Love,

Ju###imported-begin##June/JimWilloughby##imported-end##

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“ *I was priviledged to spend many evenings pick'n & grin'n with Bill. I and all the band will miss him.##imported-begin##KennyRayborn##imported-end##*

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“ *Gayle, Kevin, and family--I am so sorry to hear about your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Take care!
Diana Chapman (Frazier)##imported-begin##DianaChapman##imported-end##*

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“ *Carolyn and family, I am so grateful for you and your children for taking such good care of my brother. May God bless and keep you all in his loving care. Let me know if there is anything I can do for you. And please keep in touch.##imported-begin##RachelB##imported-end##*

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