



Billy L. Akin

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Billy L. Akin, 91, of Hendersonville, Tennessee, went to be with his Lord and Savior on December 21, 2024. He was born on September 25, 1933, in Nashville, Tennessee, to the late Charles Fred Akin and Pauline Estelle Head Akin.

He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Shirley King Akin; children, David (Kelly) Akin and Dawn (Gary) Whittaker; grandchildren, Drew (Caitlin) Akin, Drake Akin, Demi (Reed) Keener, and Derek (fiancé Racheal) Akin; great-grandchild, Brooks Keener; and sister, Jean Akin.

Billy was a devoted Christian and lived his life with one goal and that was a Heavenly home. He was an active member of Kemper Heights Church of Christ. He was active in church leadership for many years and shared his deep knowledge of Scripture. He was a loving and devoted husband to Shirley. He loved his children and family dearly. He always took the time to laugh and pull practical jokes whenever he could. He had a long career as an executive in the insurance industry and was highly respected by his peers. He had a love for God's creation and enjoyed hiking, photography, and traveling. He organized many memorable hikes up Mt. LeConte for family and friends. He will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

There will be a visitation Friday, December 27, 2024, at Spring Hill Funeral Home from 4pm until 8pm. There will also be visitation Saturday, December 28, 2024, from 10am until the time of service at 12pm. The funeral ceremony will be conducted in the Spring Hill Chapel. Burial will follow immediately after at Historic Spring Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to Spring Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5110 Gallatin Pike, Nashville, TN 37216, 615-865-1101, www.springhillfh.com.






Events

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Visitation

-  **Friday**, December 27, 2024
-  4:00 PM - 8:00 PM CT
-  **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216






Visitation

-  **Saturday**, December 28, 2024
-  10:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT
-  **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216






Funeral Ceremony

-  **Saturday**, December 28, 2024
-  12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CT
-  **Spring Hill Funeral Home**
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216



Burial

-  **Saturday**, December 28, 2024
-  1:00 PM - 1:30 PM CT
-  **Historic Spring Hill Cemetery**
5110 Gallatin Road, Nashville TN 37216





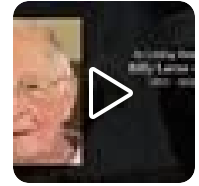
Tribute Wall

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Spring Hill Funeral Home And Cemetery shared a **Video**.



January 3 at 11:35 AM



Craig & planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Billy.



December 28 at 2:27 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Akin family.



December 25 at 6:35 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Billy.



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Martha P posted:

Billie was one of the best men I have ever known. He was a good Christian and went out of his way to help and teach what his life always was seen on his face...He will be missed by so many people that loved him.

December 24 at 11:21 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Akin family.



December 24 at 8:44 AM



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December 24 at 8:44 AM



Jerry Lee Westbrook Jr posted:

Billy Akin was a wonderful human being, Christian, and elder in the church. I feel so fortunate to have known him and remember him often. He was also a gifted Bible teacher and once in Sunday school at Riverside Drive Church of Christ he passed around an antique coin he had for us to view with Caesar's inscription on it from Rome. It was a great visual aid to teach a class on "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's". He just had this great way of weaving things all together to make you understand the scriptures better. I always enjoyed my conversations with him. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family – Shirley, Jean, his children, and grandchildren. -Jerry Westbrook

December 24 at 6:04 AM



The Dichiara Family sent an Arrive in Style to the Akin family.



December 24 at 3:59 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Akin family.



December 23 at 4:09 PM



Marilyn Hall posted:

He was so nice, and he could definitely make you laugh. I feel blessed to have known him. My prayers are with Shirley and his entire family.

December 23 at 4:04 PM



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Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Akin family.



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Join us in honoring Billy by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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