



Bill Lipar

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The Remus community lost lifelong resident, Bill Lipar, on May 16, 2022, just shy of his 68th birthday. William Alvin Lipar was born on May 22, 1954 to George and Dorothy (Moore) Lipar. Bill and his siblings grew up in Remus where Bill became a graduate of Chippewa Hills, attended St. Michael's church and followed in his dad's footsteps when he became the owner/operator of the Remus Tavern for 38 years.

On November 2, 1979, Bill married his sweetheart, Brenda Kornexl. Together Bill and Brenda raised sons Craig and Marty. In their later years, Bill and Brenda spent many happy hours traveling, especially on their annual trips to Florida.

Bill was an avid hockey fan, particularly the Red Wings as any patron of the Tavern could attest. He loved hockey, baseball, and golf especially where his nephews and his grandson, Duke were involved. Bill enjoyed hunting, golfing with his sons, and anything that involved family and friends.

Bill was a pillar of his community, investing both his time and talents to improve the town and give back the support and gifts he was given, even when it wasn't noticed. He was very proud to be a business owner in Remus and worked diligently to see the place he loved thrive. As a straight shooter, one knew where they stood with Bill and whether he was busy with his family or his work, he put in his full efforts, never stagnant. He held a very special spot in the community and will be greatly missed. Left to carry on his memory are his wife, Brenda; Sons Craig (Anndee) Lipar and Marty Lipar; Grandchildren Duke, Quinn, and Remy; Sister Deb (Vince) Mako; Brothers Paul (Phyllis) and Tom (Melany) Lipar; Bill's beloved parents preceded him in death.

A visitation will take place Sunday, May 22 from 2pm-5pm at Janowicz Family Funeral Home. A mass at Saint Michael's Catholic Church will be held Monday, May 23 at 11am with Father Tom Boufford as celebrant. Family will receive relatives



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and friends one hour prior to the service, and a luncheon will be held in the Parish Hall after the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to The Myasthenia Gravis Foundation of America.






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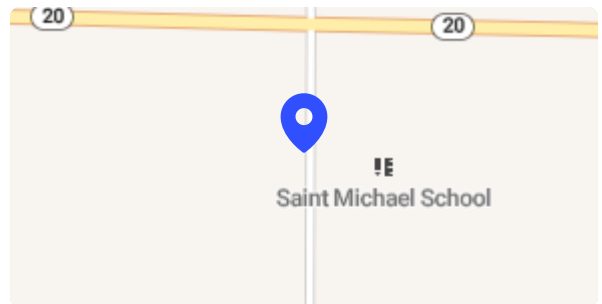
Viewing

-  **Sunday**, May 22, 2022
-  2:00 PM - 5:00 PM ET
-  **Janowicz Family Funeral Home**
469 West Wheatland, Remus MI 49340






Viewing

-  **Monday**, May 23, 2022
-  10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
-  **St. Michael's Catholic Church**
8929 50th Ave., Remus MI 49340



Service

-  **Monday**, May 23, 2022
-  11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
-  **St. Michael's Catholic Church**
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Vickie Harrison lit a candle in honor of Bill.

Bill was an awesome man. He will be greatly missed. Condolences to his family. Fly High Bill...

May 22 at 6:56 AM



Bonnie Bolf posted:

To the Deb and the entire Lipar Family. My prayers for you and know that he is in God's hands.
Bonnie Bolf

May 21 at 12:03 PM



Jeff And Kellie James sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Lipar family.

May 21 at 7:50 AM



James And Kathryn Rayburn sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Lipar family.

May 21 at 5:50 AM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Lipar family.

May 21 at 5:10 AM



Anonymous sent a Written in the Stars to the Lipar family.

May 20 at 2:36 PM





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Anonymous sent a Fiery Lily and Rose to the Lipar family.

May 20 at 11:31 AM



Eric, Denise, Sydney & Shelby sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Lipar family.

May 20 at 10:38 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Lipar family.

May 20 at 2:23 AM



Lori posted:

Brenda and family. So sorry to hear about this. I remember talking to Bill many times over the years when you would bring him to our x-ray social events. We learned through our conversations that we shared the same birthday. He was always enjoyable to talk to and an all around good guy. Unfortunately, I will not be in town to attend the service, but know that I will be thinking of you. Please reach out if you need anything. Your friend, Lori

May 19 at 3:58 PM



Mark, Laura, Dave & Luanne sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Lipar family.

May 19 at 3:04 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Bill.

May 19 at 1:52 PM





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Anonymous sent a Lavender Reflections Spray to the Lipar family.

May 19 at 12:49 PM



Danyale M Spangler sent a Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant to the Lipar family.

May 19 at 4:44 AM



Andrea Nartker posted:

Brenda and family, I am really sorry for your loss my prayers are with you and your family!!!😞 may God guide you through this difficult time.....

May 18 at 5:52 PM



Janetlapham lit a candle in honor of Bill.

May 18 at 1:06 PM



Deb Green posted:

To the Lipar family especially Deb. I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts.

May 18 at 9:17 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Bill.

May 18 at 8:57 AM





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Jan & Dean lit a candle in honor of Bill.



May 18 at 7:21 AM



Anonymous sent a Memories to Treasure to the Lipar family.



May 18 at 7:17 AM



Shirley Denslow posted:

Brenda & families Bill was a great man, business owner, dad, grandpa, friend and boss. I enjoyed it when I went to the Remus Tavern and he would come out and talk to his patrons. He is a true icon in the Remus Community and will be missed by many. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. RIP Bill. Fly high, you are free of pain. Shirley(Mayer) & Rick Denslow

May 18 at 6:49 AM



Nancy K Bywater posted:

My last conversation with Bill was on my porch late winter. He was going to make a "rabbit" dish and needed one more rabbit. I am sure it was delicious! Many great memories. Your family has my prayers...Nancy Bywater.

May 18 at 6:19 AM



Mark And Mary Mcneilly sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Lipar family.



May 18 at 5:11 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Lipar family.



May 17 at 5:04 PM



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Cheryl Lancaster posted:

I worked with Bill and Brenda on some designs for the remodel of the Remus Tavern and their home. I always enjoyed eating there. My last interaction with Bill was when he watched our grandson from NC play hockey at FSU. To Brenda and family I send my deepest sympathy and prayers. Cheryl Oakley-Lancaster

May 17 at 1:38 PM

BB Bonnie Bolf May 22 at 3:26 PM
Deb and all the Lipar family, know that you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Bonnie Bolf

DH Dorothy Hart May 18 at 7:06 PM
This is a tough one! Bill was one of the great ones! He will be missed by so many. My prayers go out to Brenda and all the family. RIP!

JA Janetlapham May 18 at 1:05 PM
Condolences to the family, he was a real support to the sports at school, standing behind all the athletic

KP Kathy (Gepford) Poff May 18 at 10:44 AM
Brenda and family, you will be in our thoughts and prayers as you work your way through this difficult time. May all your good memories help comfort you. I will always remember Bill in the stands when the boys were playing a sport in their school years. It has been a long time since I have seen any of you but although it seems like yesterday. Sending positive thoughts and prayers. You all have our deepest sympathy.

DM Don And Linda Mayer May 18 at 6:06 AM
Brenda and family our deepest sympathy thoughts and prayers are with you. May he Rest In Peace.

TS Tina Marie Schell May 17 at 8:49 PM
:The Lipar family: My deepest condolences to your family! From the Schell family, may God be with you Brenda! My Mom sends her love, Sincerely: Linda, Tina, Fran, & Family

MM Margo Miller May 17 at 5:34 PM
My deepest sympathy to Brenda and her family. My heart goes out to you. RIP Bill.

JK Judy Flachs Kennedy May 17 at 4:21 PM
My deepest sympathy Brenda, boys and family..my thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this most difficult time..❤️🙏

GL Gary Lough May 17 at 4:11 PM
Brenda, our deepest condolences to you and the boys. Bill was a great guy and business man. He will ever be missed by Remus residence. Gary and Linda lough



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Vera And Vern Young May 17 at 2:21 PM

Our deepest sympathy to Brenda and the family. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Rest in peace Bill.



Christy Mathewson posted:

R.I.P. it was a pleasure to know you

May 17 at 1:09 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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