



William P. Cramer

July 28, 2009 - July 28, 2009

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William "Bill" Cramer, 82, passed away peacefully in his sleep, July 26, 2009. Bill served in the Air Force as a meteorologist after graduating from Southwest Texas State Teachers College and earning a Master's Degree from Texas A&M. In retirement Bill received the National Weather Service Special Service award when information from him allowed their forecasters to issue more precise area flood warnings in October 1998 and 3 similar times in 1987, 1991 and 1993. Bill is survived by his wife, Mary; son, James and his wife, Betty; daughter, Janet; niece, Nancy Cramer and sister-in-law, Gazelle Sump. Having never met a stranger, Bill leaves behind too many friends to list. He will be dearly missed and forever loved. Visitation will be held Tuesday, July 28, 2009 from 5-7 PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Graveside Service will be Wednesday, July 29, 2009 at 9:15 AM at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery followed by a Memorial Service at 1 PM at University United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Bill's memory be made to The Salvation Army, a charity he supported, or to the senior adult ministries at UUMC.

Tribute Wall

DD

“ *Mary, Janet, and Jim,
My deepest sympathies to each of you on your lose. I'm sorry I missed the service. I foldly remember being part of your family, and share now in your grief. I know how difficult this time is for your family. God bless you all.*

Dana DeVries - August 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ *Mary,
I was so sad to hear of your loss. I haven't seen or spoken to Bill in years, but he was such a fine person. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Regards, Penny DiRago*

Penny DiRago - August 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WB

“ *Julie and I send our prayers and condolences for your loss. I always enjoyed talking with Bill upon our rare meetings every few years. We will miss him!!
Wayne & Julie Battenfield*

Wayne Battenfield - July 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ *Dear Mary and Family.
You have my condolences for the loss of Bill. I have worked with hundreds officers in my career and Bill was the finest.He always had the correct answer for any question put to him and always had a joke to fit the occasion.
Bless y*

Gene Lewis - July 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Dear Mary and family,
I was so sorry to hear of Bill's death. His sense of humor and
weather up dates will be missed. I will always remember his
Reincarnation Joke. Mary, your devotion to him epitomizes the vows
you took 50 years ago, "for better, fo

Jeaneen Close - July 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Dear Cramer Family:

*It is with deepest sadness that I extend my condolences to you on
the loss of your beloved.*

*As Chair of the Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs and Military
Installations, I am sincerely thankful for his valiant service and ded*

Senator Leticia Van de Putte - July 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GZ

“ Mary, I am so sorry to hear of
Bill's death. He was a wonderful
man and friend to many. You and
your family are in my prayers.
Love and blessings, gay zinn

gay zinn - July 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *Mary and Family,*

We are sorry to hear of Bill's passing. Not many a day go by that we do not think about the "good" neighbors we had when living next to you. Bill was never short of stories and experiences, especially of his Air Force days, and I trul

Mark & Renee Pawzun - July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Dear Jim and family,*

Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. May God provide you with love and strength to help guide you through this trying time. God Bless - Lisa Faulkner and family.

Lisa Faulkner - July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *Dear James and Family:*

Dana and I were saddened to read of your Dads passing. We remember him as a very nice man. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mark and Dana Millender - July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ *Mary*

We were saddened to hear of your loss. Bill was a special person and an wonderful storyteller. I was lucky to have you two as neighbors. We are glad you were both a part of our lives.

Butch and Lea Stokes

Lea Stokes - July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Mary*

I was so saddened to hear of your great loss and extend to you and family my heart felt sympathy. You must know that Bill's and my careers intermingled the last eight of our AF duty. Surely he must have shared something of our personal encounters

Joe Hope - July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM