



William B. "Bill" Krites

June 12, 1954 - March 20, 2023

William B. "Bill" Krites, 68, of rural Wapakoneta, died 7:30 a.m., Monday, March 20, 2023, at his home with his family at his side. He was born June 12, 1954, in Lima, the son of Frederick D.

"Fritz" & Mary Lou (Campbell) Krites, who preceded him in death. On April 25, 1982, he

married Diana L. (Coyle) Krites, and she survives.

Other survivors include,

3 children, Jackie W. Earl, Ohio City, Ohio,

Christopher P. (Jenny) Earl, Toledo, Ohio,

Christine R. (Daniel) Peters, Wapakoneta;

5 grandchildren, Hunter B. (Cassandra) Earl, Christopher J. Earl,

Mason W. Earl, Olivia N. Earl,

Ethan T. Peters;

a brother, George F. (Kathy) Krites, Wapakoneta.

Bill retired from the United States Postal Service, as postmaster at the McGuffey, Ohio Post

Office. He served 43 years as an auxiliary deputy with the Auglaize County Sheriff's Office. Bill was

a member of the St. Johns United Methodist Church, the Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Aerie

#691, and a 1972 graduate of the Wapakoneta High School. He enjoyed watching The Ohio State Buckeyes and the Cincinnati Reds.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Saturday, March 25, 2023, at the Eley Funeral Home & Crematory, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Gary Rummel officiating. Burial is to follow in the St.

Joseph Cemetery, Wapakoneta. The family will receive friends 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Friday, March 24, and 9:30 -10:30 a.m., Saturday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to the family to help with medical expenses. Condolences may be expressed at www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

Wapakoneta Fisher Road
Wapakoneta, OH 45895`

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **24.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory
1102 Lincoln Ave.
Wapakoneta, OH 45895
eleyfuneralhome@gmail.com
<http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com>

Visitation

MAR **24.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

MAR 25. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Service

MAR 25. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *My sincere sympathy to the family! It was great seeing Bill at our 50th class reunion! He was always a great guy in school! May you be comforted knowing he is at peace with no more pain! Grace, Mercy and Peace!! Connie Martin (Walters)*

Connie Martin - March 25, 2023 at 10:34 AM



“ *Our sincere condolences go out to all family members (especially daughter Christy) on Bill's passing. I worked w/Christy several yrs ago at Wapak Walmart deli & my boys knew her from high school; Bert & Kelli too. I know she was close with her dad. May he truly rest in peace. Marilyn/Joe Garcia Cridersville 3/24*

Marilyn Garcia - March 24, 2023 at 02:24 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of William B. "Bill" Krites.*



March 22, 2023 at 11:01 AM