



Mr. William "Bill" Sawers

December 5, 1935 - April 22, 2016

With his loving family by his side, Bill Sawers passed away on Friday, April 22, 2016 at the age of 80. Bill will be forever loved and remembered by his wife of 61 years, Deanna; his six daughters, Brenda Sawers (Glen Springsteel), Cathy Ens (Dale), Charlene Sawers (Kris Basford), Billie-Lou Laskosky (Ken McClennon), Lynn Johnson (Kevin), and Laurie Allan (Scott). He was a very proud grandpa to 15 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. He is also survived by his dear sister, Irene Sackett and his sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Joan and Irving Bablitz, Ardina Armitage, Arlene and Gene Shtokal and Ed Dutka. The family extends their deep gratitude to the staff at the High River Hospital and Sunrise Village.

A celebration of Bill's life was held at the Highwood Golf & Country Club in High River on April 26, 2016. If friends desire, memorial tributes may be made to the High River District Health Care Foundation. 560 - 9th Ave. SW, High River, AB T1V 1B3 www.highriverhealthfoundation.ca To send condolences and view Bill's Tribute Page please visit www.lylereeves.com . Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River (403.652.4242).

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

APR **26**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Highwood Golf & Country Club
400 7th Street NW
High River, AB (CA)
<http://www.highwoodgolf.com>

Tribute Wall



“ Lyle Reeves Funerals created a Webcast in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Lyle Reeves Funerals - April 28, 2016 at 05:24 PM



“ Our sincere sympathy to the family. Cherish all the memories that you all have made over the years and it will help you get through the coming days that lay ahead.
Sincerely Len and Pat Zebedee

Pat Zebedee - May 02, 2016 at 11:24 PM



“ Dear Billie-Lou

Regretfully we could not be there today! We send our thoughts and prayers to the Sawers family... In time may you reflect upon all the fond memories you hold in your hearts and find peace within.

*Much love from the Warkentin family
Heather (Cam Rabel)*



heather Warkentin - April 27, 2016 at 12:33 AM

KM

“ *Kris McLennan lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers*



Kris McLennan - April 26, 2016 at 07:05 AM

EH

“ *We had the pleasure of meeting Deanna & Bill in Mexico. Our thoughts & sympathy are with you & your family Deanna Herb & Elli*

Eleanor & Herb - April 25, 2016 at 08:15 PM

BM

“ *Bill, you will certainly be missed by family and friends. You made me smile every day and always had wise words to share. My thoughts and prayers go out to Deanna and family.*



BJ MacKay - April 25, 2016 at 11:06 AM



“ *Gordon & Sharon Wagner lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers*



Gordon & Sharon Wagner - April 24, 2016 at 12:33 PM

SS

“ Susan & Monty Stafford lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Susan & Monty Stafford - April 24, 2016 at 10:05 AM

EG

“ Our thoughts and sympathy are with Deanna and her wonderful family this time. Auntie Margaret and Uncle Emery



Emery Grosland - April 23, 2016 at 10:42 PM



“ Bill, i got the pleasure to be one of your Care Workers at Sunrise Village. You were a wonderful man and you will be missed. My thoughts are with your wife and family.

Alicia Brown - April 23, 2016 at 07:54 PM

RG

“ Roberta Grosland lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Roberta Grosland - April 23, 2016 at 06:31 PM

WG

“ Warren Grosland lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Warren Grosland - April 23, 2016 at 06:08 PM

LH

“ Bill I was thinking about you on Monday we will meet again some

Leon Hughes

Leon Hughes - April 23, 2016 at 03:49 PM

RR

“ So many memories of always being welcome in the Sawers' home as a young girl. Now, all these years later, I offer heartfelt sympathy and condolences to you, Cathy, and your entire family. Robin Rohl

Robin Rohl - April 23, 2016 at 02:44 PM

TF

“ Sincerest sympathy to all Bill's family.



The Scoville family - April 23, 2016 at 02:29 PM

CJ

“ My sincere condolences, Brenda. It is difficult to lose a loved one. Our best to you & Glen.

Cathie Johnson - April 23, 2016 at 09:29 AM



“ I met Bill in hospital working as a nurse's aide. Even in his illness, his dignity, intelligence, kindness, and humour made it a pleasure to care for him. He was always more concerned with his wife and family than he was for himself. Hated to trouble the nurses for even the tiniest thing. Though I only knew him for a short while he quickly became special to me, and it was an honour to have known him. I'm thinking of you and your family Laurie, knowing what a huge loss this is.

Leslie Alexander - April 23, 2016 at 08:46 AM

LW

“ Linda Walsh lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Linda Walsh - April 23, 2016 at 08:10 AM

DR

“ Very sorry for you loss Brenda and family.

Diane & Jack Ryman

Diane Ryman - April 23, 2016 at 08:07 AM

JR

“ Jane & Joe Russell lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Jane & Joe Russell - April 23, 2016 at 07:26 AM

TB

“ Tammy Beach lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Tammy Beach - April 23, 2016 at 12:24 AM

JP

“ I did not get the chance to meet Bill but have had the pleasure of working with his daughter Brenda and meeting her sisters and other members of the family. He has raised a wonderful family and my thoughts and prayers are with you all *hug*

Josie Petrillo - April 23, 2016 at 12:14 AM

EB

“ Wild Bill! That's who he was known at work, CFIA (night shift) Oh the stories he told...
My sincere condolences to the Sawyer family. Your loss is heavens gain.
Liz Braat

elizabeth braat - April 22, 2016 at 11:21 PM

CF

“ Bill You were a very good man and i enjoyed working with you as Inspectors for CFIA .The night crew.So much fun we had on that shift. I will always remember we worked one Saturday alone and we ate a whole bucket of chicken left over from our Crews usual Friday night meal we ordered from town.I liked your stories and visiting you in Yuma Arizona. RIP Bill .Condolences to your wife and family.Cornell Fontaine

cornell fontaine - April 22, 2016 at 10:47 PM

KB

“ Sorry for your families loss, Bill was respected by so many, because he earned it by being fair, sharing his wealth of knowledge, and being a genuine friend. He shall be missed.
Ken and Liz Braat

Ken and Liz Braat - April 22, 2016 at 08:21 PM

SC

“ Sue And Kim Christensen lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Sawers



Sue and Kim Christensen - April 22, 2016 at 07:45 PM

TF

“ *The Small Family!*

The Small Family - April 22, 2016 at 06:36 PM

AA

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Anna-Marie Plante (Aune)



Anna-Marie Aune - April 22, 2016 at 06:31 PM

CL

“ Corene Loewen lit a candle in memory of Mr.
William "Bill" Sawers



Corene Loewen - April 22, 2016 at 06:13 PM

CC

“ Cathy Couey lit a candle in memory of Mr.
William "Bill" Sawers



Cathy Couey - April 22, 2016 at 02:53 PM