



## John William Reid

December 5, 2017

John William Reid, known to his friends and family as “Bill”, passed away on Dec. 5, 2017, at the age of 71 years.

Born in Salem, MA, and growing up in Beverly, MA, he graduated from Beverly High School. After one year at Cushing Academy, Bill went to Kent State University where he earned his degree, but more importantly met his wife Diane, and they started their wonderful life together.

Bill’s career in consumer products spanned more than 40 years working executive roles in Johnson & Johnson, GSK, Rembrandt, and Del Pharmaceutical.

As a resident of Callawassie Island, SC, he pursued his love for golf and fishing. Every year hoping for that elusive hole in one and winning the island bass tournament. On Saturday’s in the fall, he was always rooting for his Buckeyes, and every spring had high hopes for another Boston Red Sox World Series win.

His true passion was his family. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Diane; his children Scott Reid and his wife Molly of Ridgefield, CT, and Lisa Matos and her husband Joey of Western Springs, IL; his grandchildren McKenna Reid, Meghan Reid, Colton John William Reid, Reid Matos, and Daniel William Reid; his siblings, Susan Reid, Marsha Farnham, Robert Reid; sister in law, Melinda Reiss, and many nieces and nephews.

A requiem mass will be celebrated for Bill’s life 10:30 am Tues. Dec. 12, 2017 at the Trinity Episcopal Church, 207 W. Main St. Moorestown, NJ.

Interment immediately following in the church memorial garden.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Pathfinder Village Foundation, 3 Chenango Road, Edmeston, NY, 13335, Attn: Leatherstocking Scholarship Fund, <http://pathfindervillage.org/get-involved/donate/>

# Cemetery Details

## Trinity Episcopal Church Memorial Garden

207 W. Main Street  
Moorestown, NJ 08057

# Previous Events

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 12. 10:30 AM (ET)

Trinity Episcopal Church  
207 West Main Street  
Moorestown, NJ 08057  
(856) 235-0811

# Tribute Wall



“ *John William Reid*

October 09, 2023 at 03:30 AM



“ *John William Reid*

November 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM

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“ *Diane, Scott and Lisa*

*The Moore family would like you to know our thoughts, our cares and our prayers are with you and all of your family as you accept the loss of your Husband and Father. Bill enjoyed a wonderful life as exemplified thru the lives of his children. His legacy will live on thru Scott and Lisa and the Grandchildren. Bill is at peace and is free from pain and suffering in his earthly body. May God rest his soul!*

**Roger and Kaye Moore** - December 12, 2017 at 10:46 AM

CS

“ *Dear Diane and Family ..... We are truly sorry to hear of Bill's passing. Our thoughts go back to our wonderful times together. Kathy & Craig Spicer*

**Craig & Kathy Spicer** - December 10, 2017 at 09:08 AM

MH

“ *Dear Diane, Scott and Lisa:*

*Bill was probably one of the most wonderful persons I've known. Diane was and still is a very good friend. I always loved the banter those two had, kidding each other and just being silly with each other. I was in their wedding 48 years ago. Amazing how fast time flies. I still see us as kids. Diane - you stay strong - you always are and remember that Bill is always with you. I loved him too. I will always be grateful that he was my friend.*

**Maryann Haginas** - December 07, 2017 at 07:29 PM



“ Thinking of you Reid Family...Diane, Scott, Lisa and family. Our heartfelt sympathies go out to you all.

*The Densmore's - Kendra (sister to Molly), Phil, Kate & Claire*

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**Kendra Moore Densmore** - December 07, 2017 at 05:01 PM