



## Billy Childs

July 8, 1946 - June 6, 2023

Billy Childs, 76, of Kankakee, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, June 6, 2023, at his home.

Billy Childs was born on July 8, 1946, the son of George and Priscilla (Drauss) Childs. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy from 1965-1967. Billy Childs worked at Ford Motor Company as a welder.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia Childs; three daughters, Jennie Childs, Kari LaGesse (Joseph), and Lisa Easton; one son, Chris Childs (Kelly Taylor); one brother, John Childs (Phyllis); and eight grandchildren.

Billy is preceded in death by his parents, George and Priscilla Childs.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

In lieu of flowers, memorials will be made to the wishes of the family.

All arrangements are being made by Jensen Funeral Home in Kankakee.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Billy Childs*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *"BG-Bear"; What a great 'story teller'! We'd smoke our pipes and share tales of our 'adventures'. Like a fine bowl of tobacco; we end up smoke and ash with a lingering scent of remembrance.*

**Pat Callaghan** - June 24, 2023 at 09:52 PM



*His pipes and the smell of the tobacco are the first thing I grab to remember him. Everyone knew him for his pipe.*

**Kari Childs Lagesse** - June 02, 2024 at 01:23 PM



*& of course his stories. First thing all of my friends told me was how much they'd miss his stories. Thank you for being a good friend !*

**Kari Childs Lagesse** - June 02, 2024 at 01:25 PM



“ *Lorraine Watson lit a candle in memory of Billy Childs*



**lorraine watson** - June 09, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Billy Childs.*



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June 07, 2023 at 08:29 PM