



William M. Harkins, Jr.

January 31, 1952 - March 18, 2025

William M. Harkins, Jr. on March 18, 2025 of West Deptford. Age 73. Beloved husband of Janice Harkins (nee Argentiero). Loving father of Jeanie Giuliani (Richard) of Philadelphia and William M. Harkins, III of West Deptford. Cherished brother of Kathleen Barnes of West Deptford, Robert Massanova, and the late Michael Coyle (Lisa Coyle) and Daniel S. Coyle. Brother-in-law to Regina and Joseph Syp. Devoted grandfather of Christian and Matthew Guiliani. Uncle to Jill and Janine Casella, Jaclyn and Anthomy Alcott, Justin and Mallery Syp, Matthew Barnes and Jaclene Barnes-Schembs, Michael Coyle, Patrick Coyle and Sean Coyle.

William was a U.S. Marine Corp Veteran who served from 1969-1971 during the Vietnam War. He was awarded a Purple Heart metal and Vietnam Service metal. He was involved in the Marine Corp League. And for and Toys for Tots Foundation. Bill coached for West Deptford's Little league and enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren. He was an avid Phillies and Eagles fan.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a viewing on Monday, March 24, 2025 from 9am to 11am in The Chapel at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Drive, Deptford, NJ 08096.

Funeral Service 11am in The Chapel of the funeral home.

Interment Gloucester County Veterans Cemetery, Williamstown.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans Fund by accessing <https://www.dav.org/>.

For condolences, please visit www.boucherfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Gloucester County Veterans Memorial Cemetery

240 S. Tuckahoe Road
Williamstown, NJ 08094
(856) 401-7660

Previous Events

Viewing

MAR 24. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Chapel at Boucher Funeral Home, LLC
1757 Delsea Drive
Deptford, NJ 08096
(856) 464-1097
mark@boucherfuneralhome.com
<https://www.boucherfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

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Interment

MAR **24**. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & Gloucester County Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of William M. Harkins, Jr.*



Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & County Cremation Service - March 21, 2025 at 03:59 PM



“ *Colleen m M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William M. Harkins, Jr..*

Colleen m M. - March 26, 2025 at 09:58 AM



“ Bill Harkins was a man whose presence lit up every room he entered, bringing joy, laughter, and a sense of camaraderie that will be deeply missed. We met through his involvement with the Toys for Tots program and as a cherished member of the AFUL fantasy football league—where he proudly led his team, the "Pogibaiters"—Bill created connections that went far beyond casual friendship.

Bill's humor was unmatched; he had a unique way of turning every moment into one filled with smiles and unforgettable laughter. His playful jabs, like reminding his Army veteran friends what it really stood for, "Aint Really a Marine Yet"! showed his sharp wit and his loving nature. But more than anything, Bill had a heart so big it seemed to overflow with kindness and compassion. Whenever someone was in need, you could count on him to be there, offering support without hesitation.

He was not just a friend but a brother to so many. For those of us lucky enough to know him, Bill embodied loyalty, generosity, and the purest form of friendship. His memory will live on in the countless lives he touched, and his spirit will continue to inspire us to be better, to laugh harder, and to love more fully.

Bill, thank you for the memories, the lessons, and the laughter. You will be profoundly missed, but never forgotten.

David Hans Sr. - March 24, 2025 at 07:16 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of William M. Harkins, Jr..

March 22, 2025 at 06:21 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of William M. Harkins, Jr..*



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“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of William M. Harkins, Jr..*



March 22, 2025 at 02:21 PM



“ *84 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & County Cremation Service - March 21, 2025 at 02:49 PM



“ Linda F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William M. Harkins, Jr..

Linda F. - March 21, 2025 at 11:33 AM



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