



## William J. Gott Jr.

June 19, 1948 - October 9, 2019

North Hampton – William John Gott, Jr., of North Hampton, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 9, 2019 at the Portsmouth Hospital after a brief illness. Bill was surrounded by the family he loved so dearly. Bill was born on June 19, 1948 in Bangor, ME, the only son of the late William J. and Barbara (Hayes) Gott, Sr.

Bill was raised in Maine and attended Husson College. He always had a love of politics and was very involved in his high school years, organizing political events, meeting and working with a lot of well-known Republicans. He married Wendy Crouse in 1986 and after living in Maine, New Hampshire and Florida, returned to New England in the mid-1990s and settled in Hampton to raise his family.

A proud veteran, Bill honorably served his country with the United States Army during the Vietnam War where he was awarded the Bronze Star. After his time in the service he held a number of positions with several different companies but his entrepreneurial spirit was his driving force. He always had an idea in the works, was very successful and a great provider for his family. He was “married” to his kids, loved them more than anything in the world, and the times with them were the happiest moments of his life. Over the past decade Bill was devoted to the care and recovery of his eldest daughter Myla after she sustained a traumatic brain injury on January 28, 2009.

He leaves behind his daughters, Myla Gott of North Hampton, Kira McKay and her husband, Hunter of Concord and Brie-Anna Gott of North Hampton and his son, Graylin Gott and his longtime girlfriend, Danielle Fleming of Newburyport, MA. He is also survived by his grandchildren, Asa Small and Olivia and Liliana Duckworth, his sister, Tina Bickford and her husband, Chris of Chelsea, ME and the mother of his children, Wendy Gott, of Portsmouth.

In addition to his parents, Bill was predeceased by his sister, Donna Allen.

Friends and family may visit from 2 to 5 PM on Saturday, October 19, 2019 in the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home – Crematory, 811 Lafayette Rd., Hampton. Services will follow the visitation starting at 5 PM in the funeral home. Burial will be private in the New Hampshire State Veteran's Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, Bill would want donations to assist Myla's, continued therapy. Gifts may be sent to Myla Gott's Benefit Fund, c/o Provident Bank, 1 Provident Way, Seabrook, NH 03874.

# Cemetery Details

## New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery

110 Daniel Webster Highway  
Boscawen, NH 03303

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 19. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory  
811 Lafayette Road ·  
Hampton, NH 03842  
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## Service

OCT 19. 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *William J. Gott Jr.*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Thank You for your kindness. For always believing me. for you friendship & support. May you RIP.*

**Crystal Grimes** - October 21, 2019 at 02:35 PM



“ *Bill going to miss you. God Bless*

**Clifford Blake II** - October 20, 2019 at 04:48 PM



“ *Paul Murphy lit a candle in memory of William J. Gott Jr.*



**Paul Murphy** - October 19, 2019 at 05:16 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William J. Gott Jr..*



October 18, 2019 at 09:13 PM



“ 43 files added to the album LifeTributes



Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - October 18, 2019 at 02:01 PM

ST

“ I have known Bill for over 20 years. His children were young when I first met him. I always found him to be an interesting person, with an interesting story. He loved his children and struggled to maintain his household under often times, difficult circumstances. Though it is not mentioned in his obituary, I would like for people to know that Bill was a Viet Nam Veteran, having served in the ground forces there during this conflict. I was so sorry to hear of his passing and offer prayers for the advancement of his soul, and for grace upon his loved ones that are left behind. In my experience it is rare to find someone that enjoyed talking more than I, and with his passing, we have lost one.

Steve Thompson - October 17, 2019 at 03:28 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William J. Gott Jr..



October 16, 2019 at 11:17 AM

SR

“ *My condolences to the Gott family. I worked with Bill a long time ago. We got back in touch through social media after I heard about his daughter's accident. Bill was a very nice man and very devoted to his family. I was saddened to hear of his passing. I believe he is with the Lord and I pray the best care for his daughter Myla moving forward as Bill would want. Prayers of comfort for all of his family. RIP friend.*

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**Susan R.** - October 13, 2019 at 01:58 PM

NG

“ *Bill I am so sorry to hear that you went to join Jay. I hope you both take care of each other. I will miss our texts and phone calls. Nancy Garrett*

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**Nancy Garrett** - October 13, 2019 at 12:38 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



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**Jared Landry** - October 12, 2019 at 10:19 PM

SR

*I love this photo of Bill. You see the kindness in his eyes.*

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**Susan R.** - October 13, 2019 at 02:00 PM

JA

“ My prayers and condolences to the family. Bill and I were in High School and DeMolay together and drifted apart during our working years, but recently we were able to reconnect. He never stopped talking about his family and how much you meant to him. He was truly devoted to each of you and he will be greatly missed.

Jim Anderson - October 12, 2019 at 04:50 PM

SM

“ Graylin, Myla, Kira and Brienna, i think of you often, always will. I liked hearing about you and your children thru your Dad and Myla's page. Extra thoughts are with in the times to come. Your cousin Sue

Sue Miller - October 12, 2019 at 09:33 AM

SH

“ Stephen B Hearn lit a candle in memory of William J. Gott Jr.



Stephen B Hearn - October 12, 2019 at 08:25 AM



“ As a long time member of the United Methodist Church in Hampton I got to know Bill and the girls very well in the past 7yrs. If you looked up the word devoted in the dictionary I'm sure his picture would be right there. My heartfelt condolences and prayers go out to all of his family.

RIP Sir you will be missed.

Deb Kiernan

Deb Kiernan - October 11, 2019 at 06:42 PM