



## William M. Hartigan Sr.

June 10, 1933 - January 9, 2025

William M Hartigan Sr. (Bill/Boppy), devoted husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather passed away peacefully at home on January 9th at the age of 91 after a prolonged illness.

Bill will be reunited in heaven with his late wife, Frances J Hartigan. He is survived by his devoted and loving family: daughter Joan Hartigan (Larry Griffin) of Newington, son William Hartigan Jr. of Newington, daughter Jennifer Battaglia (Steve Battaglia) of Glastonbury, granddaughter Ashley Corino (Jim Corino) of New Jersey, granddaughter Amanda Brown of California, grandson Brendan Hartigan (Andrew Autunno) of West Hartford, granddaughter Brittany Battaglia of North Carolina, grandson Michael Battaglia of Pennsylvania, and great grandchildren James and Madison Corino of New Jersey.

Bill was dedicated to his family and loved spending time with them, especially during big family events where he would enjoy directing the chefs in the kitchen on meal preparation. Boppy gravy and Boppy stuffing were always in huge demand and though the recipe remains they will be missing something this year.

Bill was also an avid fan of Boston Red Sox, New York Giants and UConn Women's basketball and most of his activities would be scheduled around games so he could watch and provide his own color commentary on his

favorite teams.

Bill's family would like to thank all his physicians and caregivers from the UCONN Medical Center, Masonicare Hospice and the Veterans Administration for the exceptional care given him over the past several years.

He will be remembered for his love and commitment to his family, his strength when you needed someone to lean on and his always sharp wit when dealing with Yankee fans.

Bill served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict era and the family asks that donations to the VA or another Veterans organization be made in lieu of flowers.

Calling hours will be held on January 15th, 2025, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Molloy Funeral Home, 906 Farmington Ave., West Hartford, CT and services on January 16th at 10 a.m. at St Mark's Church, 467 Quaker Lane S., West Hartford, CT. After Mass, the burial will take place at Fairview Cemetery, 200 Whitman Ave., West Hartford, CT.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

200 Whitman Ave  
West Hartford, CT 06107  
(860) 521-5270

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JAN **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Molloy Funeral Home  
906 Farmington Avenue  
West Hartford, CT 06119  
(860) 232-1322

## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St Mark the Evangelist Church  
467 Quaker Ln S  
West Hartford, CT 06110

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..*



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January 15, 2025 at 09:20 AM



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

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January 15, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..*



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January 15, 2025 at 06:46 AM



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

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January 15, 2025 at 06:46 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



January 14, 2025 at 06:54 PM



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

January 14, 2025 at 06:54 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



January 14, 2025 at 12:06 PM



“ Jeff and Kathy Lederman purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



**Jeff and Kathy Lederman** - January 14, 2025 at 11:34 AM

LC

“ Love, Terri, MaryAnn and Cindy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



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Love, Terri, MaryAnn and Cindy - January 14, 2025 at 10:29 AM

LC

“ Love, Terri, MaryAnn and Cindy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William M. Hartigan Sr..

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Love, Terri, MaryAnn and Cindy - January 14, 2025 at 10:29 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



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January 14, 2025 at 10:18 AM



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

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January 14, 2025 at 10:18 AM

KC

“ Karin Paulsen Couillard lit a candle in memory of William M. Hartigan Sr.



Karin Paulsen Couillard - January 13, 2025 at 11:07 PM

KC

“ I have so many memories of Bill. Being married to my sister, Frances, our family would visit the “Hartigan Clan” on many Sunday afternoons. Bill was a wonderful loving husband and dad. Joan, Billy, and Jennifer, my heart aches for you and your families. It is never easy losing a beloved parent. Please know that all the love and prayers being sent to you from many people, will help sustain you during this difficult time. Love you and God Bless you all, Karin

Karin Paulsen Couillard - January 13, 2025 at 11:06 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of William M. Hartigan Sr..



January 13, 2025 at 08:45 PM

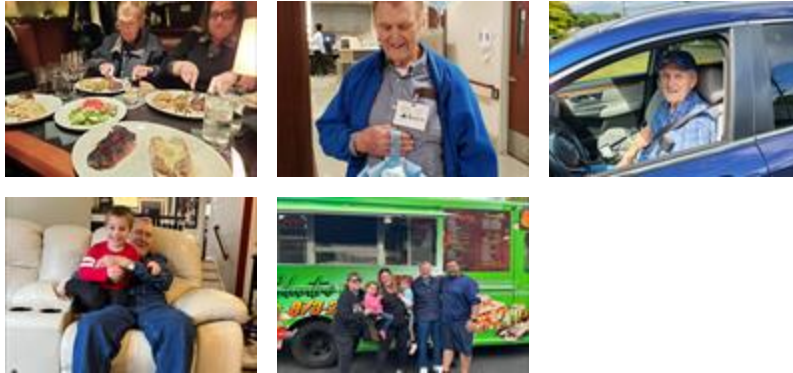
BK

“ We are very sorry to hear the loss of your father/grandfather. We have fond memories of him cheering for the girls during soccer games. Hope that his family will cherish those wonderful memories of Boppy.  
Bonnie and Dave Krauss

BONNIE KRAUSS - January 13, 2025 at 07:47 PM

LG

“ 7 files added to the album Boppy



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**Larry Griffin** - January 13, 2025 at 07:12 PM

LG

“ *Loved that everytime we hired someone to work on our house you would assign yourself project management role and drop by to supervise.*

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**Larry Griffin** - January 13, 2025 at 05:37 PM