



## William "Bill" Jacobsen

December 19, 1959 - April 16, 2015

William "Bill" Jo Jacobsen, age 61, passed away Thursday, April 16, 2015 with his wife by his side at home in Glendive, Montana. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive with Reverend Brad Kelly officiating. Silha Funeral Home in Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Bill was born on December 19, 1953 in Beach, North Dakota to Marie (Blake) and Kenneth Jacobsen. He has three brothers and three sisters. Bill was educated in Glendive. He graduated from Dawson County High School with the class of 1972. Bill later graduated college in Butte, Montana. He later married Kathy Brown in 1980 in Glendive.

Following school Bill worked for the Jordan Inn remodeling. Later he worked as a plumber assistant for Mike Fisher and later for Clint Sallee. Following that he was the manager at Whisper Trees Trailer Court until his health deteriorated.

Bill was preceded in death by both parents and mother-in-law, Virginia Brown. Bill is survived by his wife Kathy, brothers, Bob, Jerald, and Andy; sisters, Loraine Harbor, Gayle Cooksey, and Kathryn Carr; father-in-law, Roland Brown; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silhafuneralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

APR **29**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home  
221 North Meade Avenue  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Jacobsen*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Billy was born in 1954!!!!!!! from his sis Gayle*

**Gayle Jacobsen** - May 01, 2015 at 08:40 PM



“ *I am so sorry about the loss of Billy. We always had so much fun when our families would get together when we were kids. May God give you peace and comfort now and in the days to come. Sympathy to the family. Delane and Beverly (Fisher) Rath.*

**Beverly Rath** - April 28, 2015 at 11:53 PM

SE

“ Bob, Jed, Lorraine, Andy, Kathy, and Gayle, I'm so sorry for the loss of your brother Billy. Thinking about him brings back so many memories of growing up – all the fun we had at your old school house, Grandpa Fisher's farm right down the hill from Grandpa Blake's farm, working and playing together at my folks' farm, pillow fights at your house in Glendive, roaming the hills out at your Grandma Blake's with adults playing cards and Mrs. Blake making wonderful meals in a tiny kitchen. Her lefse! I think about your mom scaring a very young Rick with a chicken when he wouldn't quit bawling. What fun it was to come and visit in Marsh – we explored every square inch of that town. The mischief – there wasn't anything we couldn't think of when the 12 of us put our heads together. And the music! There was always great music whenever Fishers, Blakes, and Jacobsens were together. Beautiful memories. Rest in peace Billy. Sandra (Fisher) and Curt Ehman

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**Sandra Ehman** - April 27, 2015 at 08:24 PM

JG

“ We shared a lot of good times with Billy and all his brothers and sisters when we were growing up. Many good memories of times our families spent together--at Marsh, Glendive, and his Grandma Blake's home. With our sympathy. Greg and Judy (Fisher) Gunderson.

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**Judy Gunderson** - April 27, 2015 at 08:14 PM

DS

“ Donna Latka Stanfill lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Jacobsen



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**Donna Latka Stanfill** - April 27, 2015 at 04:17 PM

EG

“ Emma Graham lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Jacobsen



Emma Graham - April 26, 2015 at 10:52 PM

EG

*Bill was like a young brother. He's at peace now.*

Emma Graham - April 26, 2015 at 10:54 PM

GC

“ My Brother Billy was so fun, and so funny.. ....The best times were in Mash, jumping off the Cliff, wallowing in the mud, and throwin tomatos at the bums on the freight trains. He was really good at walking on stilts, and walking on his hands. He sure learned how to run cuz all his brothers were older than him- he was either trying to run with them or run away from them. We have all hurt so much watching his life ebb away. He was so very loyal, and was there for you if you needed him. He spent time in Canada with me and helped me so much- I miss him and always will. We all love him. Gayle. Neat to see some of the posts, I remember Bobby and Franki both

Gayle Cooksey - April 25, 2015 at 08:15 PM

SB

*My sincere condolences on the loss of Bill. I remember all the fun times we had. Rest in peace Bill. Sandra Sorlie Brown*

Sandra Sorlie Brown - April 29, 2015 at 10:42 AM

GJ

*thanks, Sam*

Gayle Jacobsen - May 01, 2015 at 08:43 PM

AJ

“ *Many happy and fun memories of my little bro. Rest in peace Billy, you deserve it.*  
*Your brother, Andy*

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**Andrew Jacobsen** - April 25, 2015 at 06:38 PM

FB

“ *I remember all the good times in Makoshika.*

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**Frank Benoit** - April 21, 2015 at 05:56 PM

BT

*Me Too, The 70's and eighty's we sure good to us. Bill was a good friend.*

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**Bob Treftz** - May 08, 2015 at 02:10 AM

BD

“ *Always thinking of you fondly Bill. Love your wonderful sense of humor. See you when I get there*

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**brenda dickson** - April 20, 2015 at 05:57 PM

DM

“ *Our Prayers & love are with you always.*  
*Brandon & Debby Martin*



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**Debby Martin** - April 20, 2015 at 09:14 AM

BC

“ yuup ,billy and i, grade school thru h.s., thrown eggs at kingdom,hall momm wonder where all her eggs went. dads his dads big buckle overshoes,winter time thrown snow balls at cars gonn by ,one wae the sheriff, run like the dickens hardly made it to dads garage . friday nites, most of time, midnite at the scary movie on black and white made mom get up and sleep on the couch. scared. and heres a another, ridnn our bikes ALL OVER GLENDIVE EHTAN YOUNG,VIC. OUTDOOR THEATER, KNOLLS SAND PILES WATCHNN THE MOVIE. FISHNN ON THE BIKES MORE SWIMMMNN, BLACK BRIDGE, LOVE U ALWAYS BILLY. THANKS FOR BENN A AWSOME FRIEND. BOBBY.

BOBBY CABELL - April 20, 2015 at 08:51 AM

DM

“ My prayers and Love are with you always.  
Debby & Brandon Martin



Debby Martin - April 20, 2015 at 08:46 AM

DS

“ Share a memory of William "Bill" Jacobson or send condolences to the family.



Dave and JoAnn Schipman - April 19, 2015 at 07:45 PM

GM

“ *Gene And Leslie Micheletto lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Jacobsen*



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**Gene and Leslie Micheletto** - April 19, 2015 at 07:11 PM