



# Billy Lee Hays

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**B**illy (Bill) Lee Hays, 76, of Santee, California, passed away on October 20, 2016 with his family by his side. Viewing will be held on Wednesday, October 26, 2016 from 4pm to 8pm at Greenwood Memorial Park. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, October 27, 2016 at 10am at Greenwood Memorial Park in the Salli Lynn Chapel. Bill was born in Raton, New Mexico to Henry and Juanita Hays on July 10, 1940. He attended elementary school in Raton and moved to San Diego, California in 1956. Bill graduated from San Diego High School in 1958 and was employed by the Lincoln Ambulance Service and Standard Oil Company. In January, 1963, Bill married Carol Ann Pfefferkorn and together they raised four sons. Bill worked for United Parcel Service for 30 years before retiring in 2002. Bill is preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Juanita Hays. Bill is survived by his wife Carol, his four sons and their spouses, Mark, Eric and Monica, Corey, Robert and Rosemie, twelve grandchildren and one great grandchild. Pallbearers will be Mark Hays and his son Garrett, Eric Hays and his son Derek, Corey Hays and Robert Hays.



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**Mark Hays** shared a photo to the **Memories** album.



March 17 at 6:53 AM



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February 4 at 8:25 AM



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MH

**Mark Hays** posted:

Dad, Today would have been your 79th birthday. I will visit with you today, but it's not the kind of visit I look forward to. There isn't a day that goes by without your memory in it and although time has healed some of the pain from your passing, your physical absence is missed everyday. You and mom did one hell of a great job raising four boys who all turned out successful, and it's the unconditional love and guidance you both gave that made me the man I am today. I am incredibly fortunate to be your son.

July 10 at 1:35 AM

RH

**Robert Hays** December 7 at 6:48 PM

I proud of you interested in what I have to say ☺ thank you 😊

KH

**Kayla Hays** November 10 at 1:34 PM

Disrespecting your father in death is the lowest thing a son could do. I know that Bill did the absolute best he could, and he loved all his sons equally.

KH

**Kayla Hays** November 10 at 1:33 PM

Robert Coming to your father's memorial page to air out family drama that you're responsible for, is quite frankly rude and incredibly tasteless. If you have something to say to Mark directly then reach out to him. Otherwise, no one is interested in hearing what you have to say.

RH

**Robert Hays** July 12 at 2:54 PM

Great job dad getting mark and Eric to hate their brother, I was happy to be your punching bag, even though it was the problems you had with your wife then your sons. helping to put your sons against each other was great, it worked out fine, you succeeded on saying I'm a user, a sponger, and a money taker, Thanks I sure do appreciate it! 😊

RH

**Robert Hays** January 19 at 12:36 PM

Taught you well in negative feelings towards brother, great job dad 😊



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**Robert Hays** posted:

Dad, you were always there for me when I needed love and support during the good and bad times in my life. I know I was hard headed to hear the truth from you, but you did get through to me. The values I have in my life now are because of the way you and mom raised me. I am forever grateful for such wonderful loving parents anyone could ever have. I promise to keep the love and values you always taught me. You always wanted me to be happy and you did everything to make it come true. I feel so guilty I was not able to thank you for everything you did to make my life better. You and mom both made that come true. If I was to be born again, there is no doubt I would choose both of you to be my parents. I will continue to make you happy. I believe one day I will see you again. Until then, please remember I LOVE YOU!! THANK YOU FOR GIVING ME A GREAT LIFE! I will always love and cherish you.

July 2 at 6:01 AM

DC

**Donna Caldwell** posted:

My dearest uncle, I'm still in shock at your sudden passing. It's left a hole in my heart that will never close. I am so blessed to have known you, to be your niece, and to have so many wonderful memories. I will miss our phone calls, always hysterical, the endless jokes, your wisdom and your love. You're one in a million. Rest easy, I love you forever. Donna Caldwell

October 30 at 4:08 PM

MH

**Mark Hays** posted:

Dad – We had your service today and it was beautiful. Although mom is heartbroken and devastated by your passing, she did exceptionally well and I know your spiritual presence helped her say her final goodbye to you. Dad, I miss you terribly and your physical absence will forever change my life. But I take comfort knowing you are in the Lord's house now and you will continue to bless us from high above. Until we meet again, I love you.

October 27 at 11:51 AM

PS

**Phil Saal** posted:

Bill and I spent 10 years out in east San Diego , 92105, he was a hard worker , a friend and when he retired, He became a close friend and led to all the retirees he was one of the good guys and will be sorely missed, I am sure he made it through the front doors of Heaven long before the Devil knew he was gone from the earth, rest in peace brother rest in peace, Phil Saal

October 26 at 9:53 AM



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JN

**Joe Nunez** posted:

Billy had so many "Best Friends" of which I am proud to have been one them. While we worked at UPS for so many years his light hearted sense of humor kept us going. I am going to miss all our outings, our meeting for breakfast, going to Gonzo's, our many conversations about our kids and grandkids but most of all just knowing he was always there. I will always remember him and will sorely miss him. Joe Nunez

October 26 at 7:24 AM

VV

**Victor Vega** posted:

It's hard to describe what a great loss was the passing of Billy....He was one of my best friends, everyone's friend and great human being. Just saw him not too long ago at our get together s in Gonzos house....we had some good laughs, talked about work and some of our co workers that had passed. We looked at each other, smiled and said "Who's Next" Goes to show you..life has no guarantees. Our deepest condolences to the Hays family "( Victor & Pita Vega

October 26 at 6:44 AM

JL

**Jeff Lakin** posted:

To Carol and family, I am so sorry to hear of Billy passing. I had the pleasure of knowing Billy since 1984. We worked together at UPS. I know he was very proud of his family. I will miss him at our breakfast every month. It was always good to shake his hand and ask how he was doing. I pray that during this difficult time your family can gather strength through one another. Billy was one of the best and was taken away far too soon. RIP Billy. Jeff Lakin

October 26 at 3:16 AM

DB

**Dale Biby** posted:

My sincere condolences to you Carol and your family. You and I only met maybe once but Bill and I were good friends throughout my UPS career and after retirement through e-mails. We had a lot of laughs and shared our common problems at UPS and I always looked up to Bill as a mentor for me. He was always there whenever I needed advice or anything else. He will always be in my memories. Sincerely, Dale Biby, Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

October 26 at 1:04 AM



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DF

**David Foy** posted:

My deepest condolences to the Hayes family. . . There are very few people in the world that are as easy to respect and admire. Bill was the perfect example of what it means to be a gentleman. Friend, buddy, and overall a great man. I fell honored and blessed to have known him! Dave Foy

October 25 at 4:21 PM

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October 25 at 1:15 PM

SS

**Sylvia Dupre Stark** posted:

My prayers to Carol, and the whole family Bill you are going to be missed very greatly our friend for over 50 years, a great man your friendship meant a lot to all my family. every time you were mentioned to our nieces they always thought of Granny Goose chips that you provided for the whole neighborhood and than you had to change jobs and UPS didn't provided us with chips anymore. I just want to let you know that you left us too soon and we'll keep an eye on Carol and keep her company by phone every day....Rest In Peace my dearest friend!!!!...Sylvia, Jim. Mary (Angelina), Joe and Family

October 25 at 4:12 AM

JH

**Judith Hildreth** posted:

My second dad for 39 years. You were always good for a bad joke, a catch up conversation, or a life problem needing solving. I am reminded through my sorrow of all the laughs we had sometimes at your expense...the pop rocks or some shaving cream while you tried to catch some ZZzs on the couch or the sarcastic comments when you thought no one was listening. Thank you for your love and constant encouragement. I will miss you and pray for you every day. I love you!!!!

October 24 at 10:43 AM



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**Charles Brown** posted:

Bill my dear friend, you will always be in my memory. I will miss our "garage" chats where we solved all the world's problems with just plain common sense. I will miss the e-mails and the jokes we shared and our mutual distrust of all politicians. I still look out my window and see you walking down your driveway heading toward my house. My friend, you were one hell of a good man. Charlie Brown

October 23 at 3:20 PM



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