



## William "Bill" Bradford Marren

December 7, 1969 - December 27, 2025

It is with overwhelming sadness that we announce the sudden passing of William "Bill" Bradford Marren, 56, on December 27, 2025 at HCA Florida Ocala Hospital.

Bill was born on December 7, 1969, in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1973. Growing up in Ocala he attended Happy Hearts, 8th Street Elementary, Osceola Middle School and Forest High School. He had a small stay in Orlando while attending and then graduating with an associate's degree in graphics arts from Valencia College. After graduation, Bill wanted a good place to plant roots and raise a family which brought him back to Ocala.

As an adult Bill was very active in organizations that helped his community and state such as the Ocala Jaycees which he was active in for over 15 years, earning status of JCI Senator. While a Jaycee he worked hundreds of local and state community projects and chaired large local projects like God and County Day and Jaycee Haunted House. Later he became active in the Kiwanis club and the Honor Flights Network for veterans. An enthusiastic fisherman, he had a particular fondness for St. George Island and would be the first to show up after a hurricane to help clean up. All that while working at Concord Print Shop, the family-owned business with his father until he became shop owner in 2005. As owner he continued his dad's support of church and community organizations while maintaining a family work

environment.

Bill was a beloved husband, father, son and brother. A true Gator fan, he was active in the Quarterback Club. He had the Irish gift for gab and was a great storyteller. Bill had the ability to make you feel like you were there when he spoke of memories from his years working at Wild Water, going to the beach with friends, surfing, lake house "events", Jaycee conferences or a crazy soccer injury he got during thirty-something years of playing. But the music stories! With those stories you got the spark in his blue eyes and the biggest smile his goatee could dress up. He loved the concert atmosphere, the sounds...and those drumsticks.

Bill is survived by his wife of 24 years Lisa (Cordova) Marren; his sons Logan Marren and Wesley Marren; mother Joanne Marren; brothers Thomas (Veronica) Marren and Michael (Elise) Marren, and sister Jennifer (Richard) McDonald; preceded by his father John Marren.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 8th 2026 from 5-7 pm at Roberts of Ocala Funeral Home; 606 SW 2nd Avenue Ocala. Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated on Saturday, January 10th at 12:00 pm at Blessed Catholic Church: 5 SE 17th Street Ocala followed by a Graveside service at Highlands Memorial Park.

"In lieu of flowers buy a concert ticket or drink/spirit with your loved ones and enjoy."

# Cemetery Details

## Highland Memorial Park

1515 NE 3rd Street  
Ocala, FL 34470

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Roberts of Ocala Downtown Chapel  
606 SW 2nd Ave  
Ocala, FL 34471  
(352) 537-8111  
info@robertsfunerals.com  
<https://www.robertsfunerals.com/>

## Memorial Mass

JAN 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church  
5 SE 17th St P  
Ocala, FL 34471-5152  
(352) 629-8092

## Committal Service

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JAN 10. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Highland Memorial Park  
1515 NE 3rd St  
Ocala, FL 34470  
(352) 502-4078

# Tribute Wall

JP

“ Jeff P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.

Jeff P. - January 08 at 08:01 PM

AB

“ Alec, Julie and the boys planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.

Alec, Julie and the boys - January 08 at 10:12 AM

AB

“ Alec, Julie and the boys purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.



Alec, Julie and the boys - January 08 at 10:12 AM

PJ

“ Past Presidents • The Ocala Jaycees purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.



Past Presidents • The Ocala Jaycees - January 07 at 09:48 PM

PE

“ Patricia E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.

Patricia E. - January 07 at 05:46 PM

FH

“ From- Lance & Sheryl Hill purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.



From- Lance & Sheryl Hill - January 06 at 10:46 PM

SW

“ Sheri Wright lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Bradford Marren



Sheri Wright - January 06 at 05:36 AM

KP

“ Kathy Pluebell lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Bradford Marren



Kathy Pluebell - January 05 at 10:35 AM

SV

“ *Sandy Vazquez lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Bradford Marren*



Sandy Vazquez - January 05 at 08:37 AM

SV

*Love and prayers to Joanne and family. RIP Bill God bless you.*

Sandy Vazquez - January 05 at 08:39 AM

LL

“ *Lisa L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.*

Lisa L. - January 04 at 11:17 AM

LH

“ *What a great 50th birthday! You will be greatly missed, rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers to Lisa and family. Embrace the wonderful memories!*



Lynda Hughes - January 03 at 10:38 PM

MC

“ *Mark Collier lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Bradford Marren*



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**Mark Collier** - January 02 at 07:32 PM

SM

“ *Sandy Manley lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Bradford Marren*



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**Sandy Manley** - January 02 at 07:27 PM

SM

“ *Bill our friend you will missed. Always had a smile on your face. Thanks for the many laughs and sharing the love of live music. Thanks for the many drinks, merch from the band and the enjoyment when you got a drum stick after the shows. I always asked Skip if we were picking you up for a show and when we arrived you had your handy cooler. I'll miss your hugs and your attentiveness while we exchange stories. We love you*



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**Sandy Manley** - January 02 at 07:24 PM

SL

“ *Skip and Frances Lynch purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of William "Bill" Bradford Marren.*



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**Skip and Frances Lynch** - January 02 at 07:22 PM