



## William "Billybob" Gerald Godwin

February 21, 1966 - August 8, 2024

William Gerald Godwin (Billybob), 58, died August 8, 2024, in Crawfordville, Florida.

Billybob was born in Jacksonville, Florida, on February 21st, 1966, to Beverly and Garland Godwin. He was the third oldest of eight kids.

Billybob was married in 1985 to Sandra Chester for eight years and had two children, William Godwin (1985) and Colby Godwin (1989). Billybob then married Stacy Howell in 1994, and they had a daughter, Rebeca Godwin, in 1996.

Billybob Godwin was a skilled wood worker and craftsman for over 30 years, specializing in acoustical drop ceilings. He was a member of the Tallahassee Moose Lodge for the past two years. He was well known in Wakulla County for throwing horseshoes and playing a good game of pool. He was also known for his passion for grilling amazing meals and being an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, and camping as his favorite pastimes. Billybob felt most comfortable with a beer in his hand, immersed in nature and enjoying the outdoors. He was often the life of the party, and he had an outgoing personality and a good sense of humor.

Billybob was preceded in death by his father (Garland) and grandparents. He is survived by his mother, (Beverly), his two sons (William and Colby), his

daughter (Rebeca), his grandchildren (Adley, Gatlin and one granddaughter on the way), his brothers, (Cleve, Troy and Jeffrey) and his sisters, (Teresa, Robin, Loretta and Charlotte), as well as multiple aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life event will be held at The Moose Lodge in Tallahassee 1478 Capital Cir NW, Tallahassee, FL 32303 from 12-3 pm on Saturday, August 31st.

Skip & Trey Young along with Paula and Kimberly are assisting the family.  
850-926-5919; [Familyfhc.com](http://Familyfhc.com)

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG **31**. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Moose Lodge  
1478 Capital Circle NW  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

# Tribute Wall

BJ

“ Rest in peace my friend. Prayers for the family.



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**Barbara Jones** - August 15, 2024 at 11:43 AM

SH

“ All of my first childhood memories are with you. I can still hear you calling me and Beca from miles away with your "heeeeup" sound that echoed the neighborhood. I have always been so proud to say that you are my uncle, especially when we would hear the song that goes "baby baby babyyyyy" in the truck after a long adventure and you and aunt Stacey were always so proud to hear me sing along. I could be here for years speaking on all the memories because if there was one thing I know you were good at, it was making sure everyone around had an amazing time. Everyone knows you weren't the most affectionate man, but last Easter when I seen you, you made sure to come up to me and hug me and tell me how much you love me, had I known it would be the last I would of held on a little longer. I know my daddy was was waiting in the cloud for you and was probably one of the first to show you some love. I know y'all are woods riding and going to the heavenly river together like the old days. I love you so much and I find joy in knowing how much peace you feel now and even though we may not be feeling the same peace down here, but I know each and every one of us will keep your memories alive.

*Fly high and rest easy Uncle Billy Bob, Love Shy Shy*

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**Shyanne** - August 14, 2024 at 09:24 PM

RG

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Rebeca Godwin - August 14, 2024 at 06:31 PM

SM

Love u cuz u r in my prayers

Stacey Metcalf - August 14, 2024 at 07:29 PM

RG

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Rebeca Godwin - August 14, 2024 at 06:22 PM

SM

“ Where do I start uncle Billy u broke me with this one u was my favorite and always will be u had a heart of gold and was always there for the ones u loved u was crazy at times lol but wouldn't have u any other way things will never be the same without I love u so much and will miss u even more rest now u r finally at peace 💔😞

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**Stacey Metcalf** - August 14, 2024 at 06:06 PM

HC

“ Rest in Peace Billy.

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**Heather Chason** - August 14, 2024 at 06:03 PM

DT

“ He was part of the family. In fact, if he hadn't had the ingenuity that he had, I'd still have a broken down Juke sitting in my yard. LOL! Only those that were there will laugh at this post!

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**Debra deFend Thomas** - August 14, 2024 at 02:25 PM