



William "Bill" J Adami

August 4, 1956 - January 28, 2013

William J. Adami

"Bill"

William J. Adami, age 56, of New Castle, DE went home to be with the Lord on Monday, January 28, 2013 after a courageous battle with cancer.

Bill has been with Easter Seals Delaware & Maryland's Eastern Shore, Inc. for more than 20 years in a variety of leadership roles. In March 2008, Bill became the President/CEO. His 30+ year career in disability services was driven by his passion that people with disabilities should have opportunities to be engaged in their community.

Bill centered each day of his life around his loving wife and his family. He adored his wife, Anne, and his family. He will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

Bill was a great cook, enjoyed reading, and cheering on all New England sports teams.

Bill is survived by his loving wife of 28 years, Anne D. Adami; son, Andrew G. Adami; daughters, Lindsay A. Adami and Katherine M. Adami; his mother, Frances T. Adami; sister, Ellen A. Fortin and husband Stephen; and a hosts of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and in-laws; James F. Dunn and wife Susan, Veronica Doherty and husband Michael, Susan Tamul and husband Edward, Mary A. Dunn, Joseph M. Dunn and wife Carmen. He was preceded in death by his father, George C. Adami.

A visitation for family and friends will be held on Friday, February 1, 2013 at

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Road, Newark, DE 19702 from 5pm to 8pm. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, February 2nd at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 345 Bear Christiana Road, Bear, DE 19701 at 1pm. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Easter Seals of Delaware, 61 Corporate Circle, New Castle, DE 19720. For directions and to express an online condolence, visit www.strano-feeley.com.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Service

FEB 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church
345 Bear-Christiana Road
Bear, DE

Tribute Wall

JB

“ Anne and family.... I was so saddened to hear the news about Bill. He was always such a friendly, upbeat fellow whenever our paths crossed, primarily at the library. May comfort and peace be with all of you during this difficult time.

Sincerely Julie Billips (and Kim & Mark)

Julie Billips - February 11, 2013 at 05:56 PM

LF

“ Anne...I worked with you many years ago at Bradlees in Walpole...met Billy through the "boys"...he always had a smile on his face and such a great laugh. I have many fond memories of him. Even though I haven't seen either of you in many years, I was so very sad for his loss. God bless you and your family, you have my sincerest condolences..oxox
Laureen (Dower) Finn

Laureen Finn - January 31, 2013 at 05:15 PM

SH

“ To The Family,
Please accept my condolence. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. I hope that you are able to draw comfort from the scriptures during this difficult time. One of my favorite text is Job 14:14,15 which says, “If an able-bodied man dies can he live again? You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.” (Job 14:14, 15).

Sherry - January 31, 2013 at 09:19 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William "Bill" J Adami.*



January 30, 2013 at 07:33 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Billy grew up with my children. We were next door neighbors for years. Our condolences to his wife, children, mother Fran and sister Ellen. Lucille Burke & family*

Lucille Burke - January 30, 2013 at 03:53 PM



“ *Anne thinking of you! love, McVey Cafeteria Staff*



katrina cross - January 30, 2013 at 12:15 PM



“ *Anne, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your children. Bill was a kind, caring, and funny man. I will never forget his emails during the volleyball challenge. Bill will be missed by all who knew him. Please know that you have friends and family to lean on....please do it.*

Karen Lasky - January 30, 2013 at 11:15 AM

MG

“ Dear Anne and children: we were so sorry to hear about Bill. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. If there is anything at all that you need or we can do for you, please don't hesitate to call us (832-7776). Sincerely, Tony, Mary Ann & Lauren Gagliardino

Mary Ann Gagliardino - January 30, 2013 at 10:46 AM

CG

“ DEAR ANNE AND FAMILY, MY HEART GOES OUT TO YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN IN YOUR TIME OF SORROW.I KNOW THE ANGELS AND GOD GREETED BILL AT THE GATES OF HEAVEN , AND WELCOME BILL WITH OPEN ARMS.ANNE YOU HAVE LOVING MEMORIES FOREVER IN YOUR HEART .HOLD ON TO THEM GIRLFRIEND BILL LOVE YOU GUYS REST IN PEACE BILL LOVE CHRIS GOUGE.



christina gouge - January 30, 2013 at 06:57 AM

NR

“ Anne - My thoughts and prayers are with you and the kids. Bill was a great guy and we will miss him tremendously.

Nancy Ranalli - January 30, 2013 at 06:35 AM

AS

“ My deepest sympathy and condolences..My thoughts and prayers go out to Bill's family during this difficult time!

Alan Shores - January 29, 2013 at 05:02 PM



My thoughts and prayers are with they entire Adami family at this time.

Melissa Morley-Kelly - January 30, 2013 at 12:40 PM