



## Bill McDermott

November 19, 1934 - November 21, 2025

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William Thomas McDermott of Plainview, NY passed away peacefully on November 21, 2025. He was married for 65 years to his loving wife Margaret Irene McDermott.

Bill was born and raised in The Bronx, NY and was a graduate of All Hallows High School and Manhattan College. He was the son of the late Albert McDermott and Margaret (Reidy). He was the loving brother of the late Robert McDermott and Francis McDermott and loving brother in law to Sue McDermott and Rachel McDermott respectively.

Bill worked for many years in the graphic arts business at Conde Nast in NYC. His work ethic and dedication were admired by all who crossed paths with him in the industry.

Bill lived for 60 years in his home in Plainview, Long Island. It is there where he raised his loving children Bill McDermott, Kathy Norton and Tom McDermott. He enjoyed the wonderful weddings to their respective spouses Karen McDermott, Ron Norton, and Kelly McDermott. Bill loved visits from his loving grandchildren Matthew Norton, Bridget McDermott, Megan Norton, Colleen McDermott, Katie Norton, Heather McDermott, James Norton and Connor McDermott. He was also the loving brother-in-law, uncle,

and cousin to many.

Bill was a lifelong NY Yankee and Frank Sinatra fan. Growing up, no day could be greater than seeing Joe DiMaggio play in Yankee Stadium or Frank Sinatra sing at the Paramount. He spent summers in Rockaway Beach, NY with family and friends. It was there that he met the love of his life, Irene, who would become his wife of 65 years.

Living on Long Island, Bill loved coaching his CYO basketball teams at Our Lady of Mercy parish in Hicksville, NY, where he was a lifelong parishioner. He enjoyed vacations in Montauk, tending to his vegetable garden and rooting on his NY Yankees.

He will be missed by many for his peaceful demeanor, quiet leadership and devotion to his family.