



## William Lee Lisk

July 31, 1946 - October 10, 2018

William “Bill” Lisk, 72, of Siloam Springs, AR died Oct. 10, 2018 at the University of Kansas Medical Center, following a sudden illness. Born in Toledo, OH to Henry and MarthaLee (Troutman) Lisk, Bill moved to the Ozarks following his graduation from the University of Toledo with a degree in social work. He earned a masters degree from Pittsburg State University and lived in Joplin, MO and the surrounding area for many years. His career included service in the US Army, social work, program management and administration for health & wellness and mental health, and he was a special education teacher. He and wife, Deanna Lisk, moved to Siloam Springs after their marriage in 1998. Bill was father to three biological children, Miach (Boseman, Montana), Casey (Seneca, Missouri) and Caitlyn (Roeland Park, Kansas) and step father to Darren Bradfield (Atchison, Kansas). He is survived by his wife, children, daughter -in- law, Laura Bradfield, and two granddaughters, Lucy and Jo Bradfield.

A self taught musician with a passion for sharing his love of Folk, Old Time and Traditional Music, he created and managed the Second Saturday Summer Concert Series which just finished its sixteenth season in Siloam Springs. Bill and Deanna, performed as a duo, “Two Cents Worth” for many years where they have were featured at festivals, community performances, private events and old time dances. A memorial and celebration of his life will be held in the Community Building in Siloam Springs from 1:30-4:00 on November 3, 2018.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

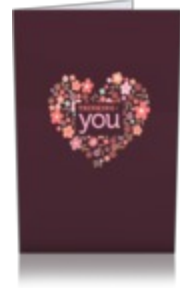
NOV 3. 1:30 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

City of Siloam Springs Community Building  
110 N Mt Olive Street  
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

# Tribute Wall



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of William Lee Lisk.*



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November 02, 2018 at 05:23 PM



“ *Mary B. purchased a sympathy card for the family of William Lee Lisk.*



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**Mary B.** - November 02, 2018 at 05:22 PM



“ *I remember when my cousin, Deanna tracked me down at Winfield (Walnut Valley Bluegrass & Flatpicking Festival) and invited me over to her and Bill's camp to jam, probably in the mid 90's. I've always enjoyed being part of their family - sharing my son Eliot, being surrounded by great music & friends, and Bill's never-ending lust for life. Bill was always instigating some kind of fun, always excited about something, always eager to include as many friends as possible. He laughed easily, had a quick wit, and enjoyed silly puns. He will certainly be missed.*

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**Laura Lee Williard** - October 17, 2018 at 01:19 PM

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“ Will always have fond memories of Bill from our times at the Walnut Valley Festival. Sad to hear of his passing. Love & peace to Deanna & family.

*Elaine Davis*

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**Elaine Davis** - October 16, 2018 at 10:21 PM

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“ My memories of Bill are surrounded by music. We met when he and Deanna were hosting a monthly Irish session. I have so many memories of us playing "Whisky Before Breakfast" and having a slow race to who could play "Drowsy Maggie" the fastest. Last person standing. Bill will live on in spirit and memory.

*Carol Widder*

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**Carol Widder** - October 16, 2018 at 09:12 PM