

Memorial Minute - William Norman King Lee

March 30, 1942 - September 23, 2015

Bill Lee was a member of the Friends Meeting of Washington for nearly forty years.

He was a birthright member of Providence Monthly Meeting, in Media, Pennsylvania, where he attended First Day School as a child.

In December 1968, Bill married Doris Jean Butler in Philadelphia. They were blessed with two sons, Norman L. Lee, now in Nevada, and Jason W. Lee, now in California.

Doris died in June 2004 on her sixty-first birthday. Bill is survived by their two sons and two grandsons.

After graduating from Lincoln University, Bill moved to the Washington, DC metro area and served as a planning official for the DC Government's Department of Human Resources. Bill was also a commercially rated airline pilot. It was during his successful thirty-five year career in the civil service that he earned an MBA in Financial Analysis from American University.

An avid chess player, Bill was a member of the Arlington [Virginia] Chess Club and ranked by the United States Chess Federation.

Bill served as an usher at FMW throughout the 1980s and 1990s. His family and work obligations prevented him from committee work. When they lived in Burke, Virginia, in the 1980s, Doris and Bill were active in Friendly 8s.

At the time of his death he was living with the family of his son Norman, in Nevada.

A memorial meeting was conducted at FMW on Sunday April 3, 2016.