



# William "Bill" H. Brough

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**F**uneral services for William “Bill” H. Brough, 94, of New Llano, Louisiana will be held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, November 24th at the Labby Memorial Funeral Home Chapel in Leesville. The burial will follow at the Forest Lawn Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday, Nov 23rd, at 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM in the funeral home.

William, the son of Theophile and Nora Gerry Brough, was born December 23, 1920 in Amesbury, MA. He passed away at his residence in New Llano, Friday, November 20th. William was preceded in death by his parents, his beloved wife of 50 years Dorothy Louise Copeland Brough, daughter, Annette Brough Fowler and sisters Edith DeMarkis & Margaret Brough

He moved with his father and two sisters in 1933 at the age of 13 from Boston, Mass to the New Llano Colony. He lived and was an active member of the colony for many years. He worked at the ice house until he moved to Houston, TX. He returned to live in his colony home in 1963 where he lived until his passing.

William served in the US Marine Corp and was a veteran of World War II and he was a member of the American Legion Post 145 in Leesville. Throughout his life he worked construction building homes in Vernon Parish. Later in life he worked in the cottages at the Vernon Parish State School. He ended his working career at the Vernon Parish School Board in the Maintenance Dept.

He was a founding member of the New Llano Volunteer Fire Dept. serving on the original Board of Directors. He served in many capacities including Fire Chief and Treasure. He was an avid story teller and loved to share life experiences. He was an avid Wampus Cat Football fan and never missed a game. He was a loving and devoted father and Grandfather and loved family time.

He is survived by his daughters, Renee Brannon of New Llano, Lorraine and husband Britt Goodner of Largo, FL, Mary Talbort of Shreveport and Vianna and husband Darrell Cheshire of Carthage, TX; sons, Arnold and wife Donna Brough of Pineville, Gary Brough of Fort Worth, TX and Larry Dean and wife Sandy Holloway of Houston, TX and his beloved girls, Deanna and



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husband Christopher, Tanya, Ashley, Annalesha and Naomi Brannon & Gabby; 22 grandchildren and many Great Grandchildren.

Bill's family has requested that memorial donations be made to the Semper Fi Fund.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Sorry for your great loss. With heartfelt sympathy to the family. May find memories of your loved one comfort you at this time. Please consider Psalm 145:18,19. May those words bring you some consolation and a small measure of peace.

December 16 at 7:00 PM



**Donna** posted:

Sorry to hear about Mr. Brough's passing. Loved his stories....he had a great life...and I am very thankful that I was able to meet him! Prayers to you and your girls!

December 2 at 7:00 PM



**Andrea Bradford** posted:

Our thoughts, prayers and love are with you.-Andrea Bradford & Christopher Fridley

November 23 at 7:00 PM



**Andrea Bradford** posted:

Say not in grief that he is no more but say in Thankfulness that he was.

November 23 at 7:00 PM



**Andrea And Christopher** posted:

Our thoughts, prayers and love are with you.

November 23 at 7:00 PM



**Cindee Price** posted:

My deepest sympathy. Prayers and hugs for all the family! Love, Cindee & Jim Price

November 22 at 7:00 PM



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**Maebelle Richardson** posted:

My deepest condolences to the family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. A great man that will never be forgotten.

November 21 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Mrs. Renee and family, I am so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. My sympathies and prayers to all of you.

November 21 at 7:00 PM

JM

**Jackie Mcrae** posted:

Our sympathy and prayers go out to the Brough family!!! Mary Talbot, sending our love and prayers, to you!!Morris and Jackie (Crews) McRae

November 21 at 7:00 PM

TT

**Tracey Thomas** posted:

~ Tracey Thomas, New Ilano, Louisiana

November 20 at 7:00 PM

AO

**Amber Owens** posted:

Renee and family, I'm so very sorry for your loss. I love you all oodles.

November 20 at 7:00 PM

LO

**Lorraine Ott** posted:

Renee and family,iam so sorry for your loss.Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you.

November 20 at 7:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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