
William ROBERTS



ROBERTS, William "Bill," 77, went to be with the Lord, in the early hours of August 19, 2011, after a battle with Amy-trophic lateral sclerosis (ALS). A native of Tampa, Bill was a Christian, a husband, a family man, a semiprofessional beekeeper and a retired District Chief with the City of Tampa Fire Department. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Mary Fay; a son, "Pug"; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his sister, Mary Dixon. A visitation will take place 6-8 p.m. Friday, August 26, at Serenity Meadows Funeral Home at 6919 Providence Road in Riverview, Fla. A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Matthews Cemetery, near the 600 block on South Taylor Road, Seffner, Fla. Memorial donations, in lieu of flowers, may be made to LifePath Hospice, 12973 Telecom Parkway, Suite 100, Temple Terrace, FL 33637.

