



Dennis M. Hill Born: March 5, 1943 Died: January 1, 2015



Dennis Hill, 71, Winfield, KS, died Thursday, Jan. 1, 2015, at the Select Specialty Hospital in Wichita, Kan. The family will conduct memorial services at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, 2015, at the Presbyterian Church 1101 Millington St., Winfield, Kan.

Dennis Michael Hill was born March 5, 1943, the son of Ernest W. and Faye M. Miles Hill in Concordia, Kan. He was a 1961 graduate of the Hutchinson High School. He attended junior college in Hutchinson before serving his country in the United States Army. After boot camp Dennis went to Military Police School at Fort Gordon, Ga., and later to dog training school at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas. Dennis and his dog were assigned to the Kansas City area. He was honorably discharged in 1966. Dennis later returned to Hutchinson and attended Hutchinson Community College until graduating with an associate degree in business. He worked at several tire stores in Wichita and Hutchinson. He later married Susan Hodges in June 1968; the couple later divorced. Dennis joined the Hutchinson Fire Department in March 1970. Dennis was a member of the International Association of Firefighters and Local 179 Firefighters Union. He retired in 1993 as a fire inspector after serving 23 years. After retirement he worked as a school bus driver in Haven, Kan. and later in Winfield, Kan. Dennis actively served as a 32nd-degree past master of Masonic Lodges in Hutchinson and Winfield.

Survivors include: his wife, **Susan Sorem**; sons, **Michael Hill** of Haysville and **Patrick Hill** and wife Brandy of Hutchinson; and nine grandchildren. He also is survived by adult stepchildren, Joshua Baker, Abigail Baker Gittin and her husband Vaughn. Dennis was preceded in death by his parents and older brother Wesley Hill.

Memorials may be made in Dennis' honor to the Firefighters Local 179, PO Box 672, Hutchinson, KS 67501 and HHS Class 1961 Memorial Scholarship Fund, (in his name) 1 N. Main, suite 501, Hutchinson, KS 67501

## **Online Obits:**

http://www.hutchnews.com/obituaries/dennis-hill/article\_9417dde4-215b-5bfa-b914-5a8eae1161d1.html? mode=jqm

And: http://www.winfieldcourier.com/obituaries/article\_42f2a4c4-9540-11e4-b291-b7e8dddf207b.html?mode=jqm

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The class scholarship will be sent in his name and his family notified.