



Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.

December 20, 1943 - September 16, 2020

William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr., 76, husband of Deborah "Debbie" James Pechanec, of 6030 Lake Point East Drive, Seneca, passed away Wednesday, September 16, 2020, at his home.

A native of Houston, TX, Mr. Pechanec was the son of the late William Charles Pechanec, Sr. and Lillian Zadraba Pechanec. He retired from Square D after 38 years as an Engineering Manager. He received his Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Texas A&M University. Mr. Pechanec loved being on the water, golfing and spending time with the family especially his kids and grandkids. He was raised in the Catholic faith.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Pechanec is survived by his children: Julie C. Pechanec Smith of Plano, TX, William Charles Pechanec, III of Seneca, SC, Faith Hedden (Danny) of Mountain Rest, SC and Leah Kelley (Chris) of Walhalla, SC; sisters: Patricia Jefferson (Richard) of New Braunfels, TX and Joyce Pickens of Cedar Park, TX; grandchildren: Ashley Ann Smith, Lauren Mallory Smith, Kyle Kelley, Colt Hedden, Jacob Kelley and Austin Hedden; and mother-in-law: Grace Whittaker of Walhalla, SC.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Pechanec was preceded in death by his sister: Mary Ann Brugger; and grandson: Case Hedden.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM, Saturday, September 19, 2020, at Davenport Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Heritage Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 PM, Friday, September 18, 2020, at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers are accepted.

The family is at their respective homes.

Cemetery Details

Heritage Memorial Gardens

4500 South Highway 11
Westminster, SC 29693

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **18**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
311 S Highway 11
West Union, SC 29696
(864) 638-3611
davenportfhome@gmail.com
<https://www.davenportfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *Theresa Deal lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.*



Theresa Deal - September 20, 2020 at 09:11 PM



“ *Larry And Wanda Harden lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.*



Larry and Wanda Harden - September 20, 2020 at 08:01 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..*



September 19, 2020 at 11:12 AM

WB

“ Wallace Beebe lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.



Wallace Beebe - September 18, 2020 at 07:36 PM

VC

“ Van & Angie Chapman lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.



Van & Angie Chapman - September 18, 2020 at 05:20 PM

RJ

“ Richard and Pat Jefferson purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..



Richard and Pat Jefferson - September 18, 2020 at 12:12 PM

JJ

“ Juanita Butrell Johns lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.



Juanita Butrell Johns - September 17, 2020 at 03:34 PM

WW

“ Wes & Jacquie Worley and Mike & Amy Worley purchased the *Basket of Memories* for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..



Wes & Jacquie Worley and Mike & Amy Worley - September 17, 2020 at 03:10 PM

LS

“ When SqD's Team Seneca earned the privilege to move a new product - switchboards - into the plant, someone was needed who knew the product, processes and sales team well. Bill was that guy. He accepted our offer and moved to Seneca from Texas to join the team to spearhead that product move. Bill "owned" that product and everything about it. His leadership helped assure a successful startup for the plant and satisfaction for our customers. A large number of jobs were added, and many associates, myself included, benefited greatly from Bill's knowledge and expertise. Very grateful for Bill.

Larry Smith - September 17, 2020 at 02:56 PM

LS

“ Larry and Judy Smith purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..



Larry and Judy Smith - September 17, 2020 at 02:41 PM

TH

“ *Tim And Cindy Hafner lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.*



Tim and Cindy Hafner - September 17, 2020 at 12:04 PM

JM

“ *This family has lost a wonderful husband, father and grandfather and I have lost a great friend and golfing buddy. So many great memories with him. Prayers to the family!!RIP Mr Bill!!*

Jim McCoy - September 17, 2020 at 11:39 AM

LT

“ *Leland And Richadene Talley lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.*



Leland and Richadene Talley - September 16, 2020 at 09:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..*



September 16, 2020 at 04:59 PM

CH

“ Chris Hamor lit a candle in memory of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr.



Chris Hamor - September 16, 2020 at 04:53 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. William "Bill" Charles Pechanec, Jr..



September 16, 2020 at 04:22 PM

LR

“ My deepest condolences at this time. Prayers are with you all.
Lynn Rogers

Lynn Rogers - September 16, 2020 at 03:48 PM

DR

Debbie, I'm so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.

David Rogers - September 17, 2020 at 08:34 AM

LB

Really enjoyed working with Bill at SQD. May he rest in peace.

Lee Blackmon

Lee Blackmon - September 18, 2020 at 10:56 AM

MM

In 1996 after 21 years at the Square D Columbia plant I was asked to move with a product line to the Smyrna, TN facility. As my wife and I are natives of Spartanburg County we had lots of family and friends in the upstate. Bill had an opening in his group and accepted me for this opening. I'll always be indebted to Bill (and to Larry Smith) for "taking me in." Bill was a great boss and colleague. Prayers and thoughts go out to his family now and in the days to come. Mac and Karen McMillin

Mac McMillin - September 19, 2020 at 07:12 AM