



Billy McLeod

August 22, 1948 - April 14, 2026

William Robert “Billy” McLeod, 77, of Old Town, Florida, passed away on April 14, 2026 surrounded by his family.

Billy was born on August 22, 1948, in Ocala, Florida to William H. McLeod and Ina “Osteen” McLeod. He grew up in Dixie and Dade County. He graduated from Miami Jackson Senior High and went into the United States Military.

He worked as a carpenter and opened a successful landscaping company in S. Florida. He was honorably discharged from the United States Navy.

William R. McLeod was known for his infectious smile and love for his dog Dozer. He enjoyed fishing and hunting and found great joy in the outdoors. He was an avid Florida Gators fan. He loved watching old Westerns, specifically ones with John Wayne.

He is survived by his brother Richard D. McLeod, daughters Dina B. McLeod, Lorie E. Foster (David “DJ” Foster), son William H. McLeod (Melanie McLeod) and grandchildren Ryan H. McLeod, Gage S. Foster, and Ashlynn B. McLeod. He was preceded in death by both his parents William H. McLeod and Ina “Osteen” McLeod and his beloved dog Dozer.

William R. McLeod requested no services. His ashes will be laid to rest beside

his parents.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Save a Child's Heart.

William R. McLeod will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com