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William Alexander "Bill" Hipps

Dec. 12, 1958 - Sept. 16, 2014

William Alexander "Bill" Hipps, 55, of Morganton, NC died Tuesday, September 16, 2014. Born in Burke County, NC on December 12, 1958, he was the son of the late Bobby Truett Hipps and Nancy Nell Roper Hipps. For many years Bill was employed as a plumber.

A loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother and uncle, Bill is survived by his wife, Patricia Ann Olds Hipps; a son, Charles Wesley Hipps of Morganton; daughter, Melissa Ann Hipps and her companion, Todd Barlow, of Morganton; granddaughters, Jocelyn, Serenity, Kimber, Anna, Kaylee, and Hannah; a brother, Bobby Hipps and his wife, Kimberly, of Nebo, NC; a sister, Pam Hipps Michael and her husband, Ray, of Morganton; and a number of beloved nieces.

In addition to his parents, Bill was preceded in death by his grandparents, Coy and Mattie Hipps and John and Hattie Roper.

The family will receive friends Saturday evening from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. at Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, 3101 Industrial Drive, Suite 210, Raleigh, NC 27609.

## Tribute Wall

