



Robert William Maitlen

September 10, 1948 - March 24, 2020

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

Robert William "Bill" Maitlen, age 71, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 6:45 p.m. on Tuesday, March 24, 2020, at home surrounded by his family.

Bill was born in Winchester, Indiana, on September 10, 1948, to Charles and Gladys (McIntyre) Maitlen. He married Lynn Janney on December 7, 1974, in Normal City United Methodist Church in Muncie, Indiana.

He was a graduate of Earlham, Ball State, and the American University of the Caribbean where he attained his Doctorate of Medicine. He then opened his own practice in Connersville prior to joining Jasper Family Physicians in 1993. He practiced in Jasper for 23 years and retired in 2016.

He was a member of Shiloh United Methodist Church.

He loved spending time with his children and grandchildren. He enjoyed listening to music, car rides, especially driving his 1968 Corvette. Above all he loved practicing medicine and taking care of his patients.

Surviving are his wife, Lynn Maitlen, Jasper, Indiana, one daughter Vanna (Branden) Lauer, Huntingburg, IN, three sons, Steve (Anji) Maitlen, Princeton,

IN, Eric Maitlen, Jasper, IN, Doug Maitlen, Jasper, IN, one sister, Lynda (Virgil) Burns, Greenville, OH and seven grandchildren, Abby, Corey, Samantha, Dalylah, Jaxin, Axl, and Mya.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Charles and Gladys Maitlen, two brothers, John and Tom Maitlen, and one sister, Mary Alyce Ford.

Private funeral services were held at Becher-Kluesner Funeral Home in Jasper, Indiana, with burial at Shiloh Cemetery in Jasper.

Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh United Methodist Church.

Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com

Cemetery Details

Shiloh Cemetery

4060 W. Shiloh Rd.
Jasper, IN 47546

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert William Maitlen*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Dr. Maitlin was an amazing man, not just a great doctor, but a friend and he always took the time to listen. We were patients of Dr. Maitlin since 1994. We moved out of Dubois Co in 2008 due to the Military. I have always missed him. God Bless You Dr. Maitlen and your wife, children & grandchildren. I am Blessed to have known you. I will see you again one day. Love to you.*

Carla Nicholson - March 30, 2020 at 01:23 PM



“ *My family, too, had the privilege of knowing Dr. Maitlen as more than a physician. I could always depend on him and his care. He knew us all so well and treated us as such. A beautiful person as well as a special human being. We certainly loved him. I'm sure he's in God's hands and resting in Peace!*

Carolyn Williams - March 29, 2020 at 01:01 PM



“ *As my doctor, Mr. Maitlen was the best! He not only took care of me physically but, during my time of depression, he was a true blessing. Kind and caring, understanding and cheerful. I have misses our talks about his family and my love for teaching but, I will never forget how special he was to so many people who needed him. God bless his family and friends. Donna Linette*



Donna Linette - March 27, 2020 at 10:37 PM

DL

“ My sympathy to the family but, I am personally reaching out to one of his granddaughters, Abby. Oh how he loved you!!! Since I was your first teacher from Shiloh Promiseland Preschool, we would talk about your love for learning and how special you are during my visits with him. He would always make me feel special when he would tell me about your sharing your experiences with him from school. His love for you will never die! He is with you in spirit helping and guiding you. I am praying for you Abby that God gives you peace and love knowing this and hope those memories of love remain close to your heart always. Friends always, Ms. Donna



Donna Linette - March 27, 2020 at 10:23 PM

GM

“ Dr Maitlen was our family’s doc for many years. If the world had more people as kind & caring as Dr Maitlen, what a wonderful place it would be!! He was truly a gem & I’m certain he has a special place in Heaven.

Gwen Mehringer - March 26, 2020 at 09:57 PM

RG

“ My sincerest sympathy to you all. Doc was just the best guy ever--kind and considerate. God bless his soul--will never forget him.

Reen Gutsell - March 26, 2020 at 09:32 PM

RS

“ Lynn and family, It was my honor to be his colleague during my years at Memorial Hospital. I always appreciated his gentle nature and his wisdom. Prayers to you and your children as you navigate this time of grief. Ryan Sherer, MD

Ryan Sherer - March 26, 2020 at 08:32 PM

NM

“ No Ann Mehringer lit a candle in memory of Robert William Maitlen



No Ann Mehringer - March 26, 2020 at 07:51 PM

MM

“ I started seeing Dr Maitlen as a patient when I was in the second grade in 1990. He was my doctor up until his retirement. He was the most amazing man. I always felt like he really cared about me. He had that personal touch that is hard to find. We lost a great doctor and an even better person.

Mark McComish - March 26, 2020 at 06:54 PM



“ I started seeing him as a teenager, and my kids saw him. I havent bern able to find a dr as good as home since.. he put me on a med one time that started giving me some weird side effects and instead of telling me I was crazy we talked through it all he was the best..



Jen Glover - March 26, 2020 at 06:40 PM

LE

“ I started seeing Dr. Maitlen at age 12. I loved him like a dad. I'm he took care of me then both of my sons since the day they were born and made us feel like we were family. I was devastated when he retired and I am so sad now to learn he's gone. He was a wonderful man and will truly be missed. I feel my life was greatly enhanced by having him in it. There will never be another that compares to him.

Lori Englert - March 26, 2020 at 05:11 PM

KB

“ Dr Maitlen was a great dr and man. He always took the time to answer all your questions and always asked about the family. He was my dr for many years. I really hated to see him retire. My love, prayers and sympathy goes to his family. He will be missed greatly.

Kathy Bledsoe - March 26, 2020 at 04:59 PM

PW

“ Dr. Maitlen was my doc for a very long time. Over the years he also became my friend. I was so sad when he retired. My sympathy goes out to his family. Rest easy my friend...

Pam Welp - March 26, 2020 at 04:20 PM

SA

“ Lynn - So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts are with you.
Sara Pearson

Sara - March 26, 2020 at 01:13 PM

BN

“ Bernard Nixon lit a candle in memory of Robert William Maitlen



Bernard Nixon - March 26, 2020 at 12:21 PM

DF

“ So very sorry to see this. Dr. Maitlen was a great example of a caring, passionate, profession physician, always striving to “Be For Others”!!! Lynn and family, we send our deepest sympathy and pray for God’s love and guidance as u navigate your future. 🙏🙏❤️❤️
Duane and Jane
Duane and Jane

Duane and Jane Flannagan - March 26, 2020 at 11:31 AM

LI

“ To the family of Dr. Maitlen,
He always had time for his patients. This community was blessed with such a special man
to take care of our health. May knowing the impact he had in all of our lives bring comfort to you.
In God's love, Tom & Linda Padgett

Linda - March 26, 2020 at 11:16 AM

RF

“ So sorry for your loss, Dr Maitlen was the best! He was our family Dr since he came to jasper till his retirement. He always took his time with you and didn't rush you, always asked how family members were and made sure you understood. He will always be missed ..

Rhonda Ferguson - March 26, 2020 at 10:11 AM

RH

“ We loved Dr Maitlen! Such a great man and doctor. Still haven't found as good a doctor as him. Our condolences to his family.

Ralph & Pam Hughes - March 26, 2020 at 08:01 AM

TS

*“ Dr.Maitin a kind and caring doctor who always made you feel like when you left his office you were good to go. To have him care for you and your family was a privilege. Doctors like him are hard to find. After being gone from Jasper for many years he would still ask my son how we were doing. Gods grace and care to his family.
Tonya Schaick*

Tonya Schaick - March 26, 2020 at 07:31 AM



“ We started going to Dr Maitlen when he came to town..Never had I met such a warm caring Dr. He was always there for our Family and always went way above. We love you all Lynn,Steve,Eric,Doug. and Vanna. Bill loved his family and was a true Christian man!!



Nancy Hotz - March 26, 2020 at 07:16 AM



“ Nancy Hotz sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert William Maitlen



Nancy Hotz - March 26, 2020 at 07:05 AM



“ I will always be grateful for the relationship I had with Dr. Maitlen and his wife, Lynn. Always considered them like family. He will be truly missed. I will always cherish the conversations I had with him when he would be at the nursing homes I worked and and he saw me. Prayers for the family.

Amy Hedinger - March 26, 2020 at 12:41 AM



Sorry for my typos

Amy Hedinger - March 26, 2020 at 12:42 AM

MM

“ We have lost one of the best. Dr Maitlen cared for my children and I for many years with complete kindness and compassion. We have missed him greatly since his retirement as he is irreplaceable. Deepest sympathies to his family.

mindy matheis - March 25, 2020 at 11:17 PM

DS

“ Lynne, my deepest sympathies to you and your family. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Deb Stemle - March 25, 2020 at 10:32 PM

VN

“ Dr. Maitlen was such a kind and compassionate physician. He will be missed. God Bless Lynn & the Maitlen family.



Vickie Nelson - March 25, 2020 at 10:04 PM

AM

“ *My deepest sympathy to you all. Dr. Maitlin was a wonderful doctor. He was always very kind and gentle with his patients and all of the staff. Prayers for comfort during this difficult time.*

Amy Mehringer - March 25, 2020 at 10:03 PM

EN

“ *Sorry to hear this! Dr Maitlen was a really caring person and doctor and he will not be forgotten anytime soon. I had the privilege of getting to work with him at the hospital MHHCC and I worked night shift and he would come in to make early morning rounds and always had a smile and kind words to help everyone's day go just a bit better. God Bless his family and wrap them with many blessings because we all know where he is now and that he will be watching out for all who knew him.i was so blessed to know him!!*

Edith J Nugent - March 25, 2020 at 09:54 PM

BD

“ *Beth Dahlen lit a candle in memory of Robert William Maitlen*



Beth Dahlen - March 25, 2020 at 09:48 PM

DG

“ *So sad to hear this. He had been our doctor since our daughter was just a few months old. He was always very caring in our families needs. He will be missed greatly!*



donna gootee - March 25, 2020 at 09:42 PM



“ So very sorry to hear of Dr. Maitlen's passing. He was such a kind and attentive doctor. I cried when he retired, because I knew I could not replace him.....but I'm crying even harder today. Prayers for the family at this difficult time!



Beth Stilwell - March 25, 2020 at 09:27 PM

JB

“ My sympathy and prayers Lynn and family. Always enjoyed our talks when I had an appointment. RIP Dr Maitlen.

Janet Beckman - March 25, 2020 at 09:25 PM

KR

“ So sorry for your loss. May you and your family find peace and comfort during this difficult time. Dr. Maitlen was a great man and had a contagious smile! Sending you hugs and prayers at this time
❤️ Kendra Renner

Kendra Renner - March 25, 2020 at 09:07 PM

JD

“ Such a kind and caring Doctor. He always took good care of us. RIP Dr. Maitlen you were special

Jim & Marilyn Dittmer - March 25, 2020 at 08:59 PM

CW

“ *One of the nicest physicians I have had the pleasure dealing with over the years. My heart goes out to Lynn, family and friends.*



Cheryl Welp - March 25, 2020 at 08:50 PM



“ *Dr. Maitlen was my physician for many years. He was the kindest man. He will be so missed. Prayers for his loved ones.*



Amy Durcholz - March 25, 2020 at 08:50 PM

CM

“ *Sorry for your loss. He was my doctor for many years. Liked how he treated you so personal. Always asked how the family was doing. Missed him as a doctor. Prayers.*

clara meyer - March 25, 2020 at 08:29 PM

EK

“ *My deepest sympathy for the Maitlen family. I was blessed to have him as my family doctor when he arrived to Jasper until he retired. He was always there for me and the best family doctor anyone could ask for. Rest In Peace Dr. Maitlen!*

Evelyn Krieg - March 25, 2020 at 08:22 PM

KB

“ Lynn and family, so sorry for your loss. Dr Maitlen was a kind person who showed respect to those he cared for and worked with. He shared his life with so many and will be missed. He was a blessing to this community

Karen Beckman - March 25, 2020 at 08:20 PM

RF

“ Such a kind and caring spirit. He was a wonderful doctor and friend. May God comfort your family at this time.

Ron and Jamie Fromme - March 25, 2020 at 08:11 PM

SM

“ I am saddened to hear of his passing. Dr. M was an excellent doctor and treated each of us as if we were his only patient. He truly cared for everyone both in his office and out in public. My sympathies to Lynn and his family.

Sandy Morton - March 25, 2020 at 08:09 PM

CP

“ What a great doctor he was. He was our families doctor since he first came here until he retired. I also worked for him at one time in the office. Prayers to all his family 🙏 May he fly high on angels wings.

Cheryl Pieper - March 25, 2020 at 07:54 PM

KD

“ Dr Maitlin was an awesome doctor. I worked with him through my internship and the first couple of years as a new CMA. He was always cheerful, and never minded answering questions or explaining things.

Kassy Dalton - March 25, 2020 at 07:51 PM

VV

“ *Such a wonderful person and physician. This community has lost a treasure. Lynn, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Vikki Venekamp - March 25, 2020 at 07:40 PM

KB

“ *Lynn thinking of you and your family, prayers of love and peace.*

Kathy Buschkoetter - March 25, 2020 at 07:26 PM

JW

He was a sweet sincere dr and was a friend also ❤️ You were the best and we will miss you 🙏

janet wright - March 25, 2020 at 08:10 PM

JT

“ *Dr Maitlin was always such a caring person.He always listened to his patients and seem to really care.RIP Dr maitlin!!Prayers for his wife and family!!*

janice Theising - March 25, 2020 at 07:17 PM



“ *Dr Maitlen was a good man. I was working at the hospital and he came in with his stethoscope around his neck and slung over his shoulder. He was easy to work with. May God fill his family with extraordinary peace.*

Donna Craig - March 25, 2020 at 07:06 PM

CS

“ Lynn and Vanna you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. So sorry for your loss. Sending lots of hugs and loves.
Cassie Smith

Cassie Smith - March 25, 2020 at 07:03 PM

TG

“ To Dr Maitlens family, Dr Maitlen was my three children’s doctor since they were born until he retired. He was an amazing person and cared so much for people. My prayers are with you all during this time

Tracey Gudorf - March 25, 2020 at 07:00 PM

CM

“ Dr Maitlen was the best! So many great memories to cherish! Will always remember his smile and his laugh. So blessed to have known him.

Cindy Mitchell - March 25, 2020 at 06:46 PM

LG

Dr Maitlen truly cared about his patients. He was such a kind and gentle man. RIP Dr Maitlen, you will be missed by a lot of people. Our thoughts and prayers for your family

LOUANN GUTGSELL - March 26, 2020 at 10:11 AM

JY

“ Lynn, We want to offer our sincere condolences to you and your family. Please give a big hug to each of the kids for me. Jack and Connie Yaggi

Jack Yaggi - March 25, 2020 at 06:44 PM

SB

“ So sorry to hear this. He was always a pleasure to work with.
Prayers to his family and friends.



Sheila Bartlett - March 25, 2020 at 06:28 PM

CJ

“ Dr Maitlin was a wonderful doctor! As a new nurse working at the hospital I learned so much from him about how to treat patients the right way.
I was charting at the nurses station one day and he came onto the unit. I got up and offered him my seat. He told me "don't you ever get up and give your seat to a doctor! You nurses seldom get a chance to sit down. Such a charming understanding man!" I will never forget his kindness. My condolences to the family!

Connie Junkin - March 25, 2020 at 06:21 PM



Richard
Mccracken

“ sincere condolences to all Doc's family. Richard and Carol McCracken. Just a wonderful person. Always took time for any patient.

Richard Mccracken - March 25, 2020 at 06:15 PM

BH

“ He was a wonderful doctor.
He was your best friend.
God Bless his family.
May he rest in peace.

Becky & Jim Halbleib - March 25, 2020 at 06:07 PM

DN

“ I loved working with Dr. Maitlen!! He was so kind hearted!! He will be missed by many!! Prayers to Lynn and the family!! 🙏🙏🙏😊😊😊
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Darla Niehaus - March 25, 2020 at 06:05 PM

JF

“ Such a wonderful man who cared deeply for his patients! Loved sharing stories with him and loved having him as our doctor! Prayers for the family❤️ Mike and Jen Fowler

Jen Fowler - March 25, 2020 at 05:59 PM

KM

“ Lynn, sympathies to you & your family!!

Kim Mehringer - March 25, 2020 at 05:58 PM

JS

“ Janet Smith lit a candle in memory of Robert William Maitlen



Janet Smith - March 25, 2020 at 05:56 PM

JS

RIP-Dr. Maitlen...You were a wonderful doctor, and thanks for saving my life a few years ago.

Janet Smith - March 25, 2020 at 05:58 PM

TE

“ Prayers to the whole Maitlen family. He was such a Wonderful Doctor. Will be missed dearly.



The Elmores - March 25, 2020 at 05:32 PM

KS

So sorry to hear this Lynn and Family prayers to you Lynn and Family



Karen Spellmeyer - March 25, 2020 at 05:35 PM

SC

“ God bless you Maitlen family. I'm very sorry to hear of his passing. I will always appreciate his kind smile and his work on the medical staff. I had the privilege of being on committees with him. Rest In Peace friend.
Scott Beckman

scott - March 25, 2020 at 04:09 PM

CS

“ Cathy Schott lit a candle in memory of Robert William Maitlen



Cathy Schott - March 25, 2020 at 04:04 PM

CG

“ Our condolences to his family. He was a wonderful Doctor.He will always be remembered. It was a blessing to have known him.

Charlotte Gunselman - March 25, 2020 at 03:31 PM

BT

Our sympathies to Lynn & his family. He was a wonderful doctor to my family and myself. We will always remember him as a kind caring man. Now he walks with angels. God bless.

Beth Teder - March 25, 2020 at 05:14 PM

TG

“ *My deepest condolences to the family. He was a pillar of our community. Such a wonderful man and kind doctor. Hugs to Lynn and their children and grandchildren* ❤️

Tina Gadlage - March 25, 2020 at 03:21 PM

SS

“ *We were blessed to be cared for by Dr, Maitlen. Condolences to the family.*

Steve Seitz - March 25, 2020 at 03:16 PM