

**William Embrey****M-2169**

William Embrey, 64 of Kalispell, Montana passed away on December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Bill began his life of service by joining the Civil Air Patrol and later enlisting in the U.S. Army where he served as Flight Medic. After his honorable discharge from active duty, Bill joined the 11<sup>th</sup> SFG(A) U.S. Army Reserve and later, after moving his family to Wisconsin, the Wisconsin Army National Guard. In 2001, Bill began a new career with the Racine County Sheriff's Department, retiring after two decades of public service. Bill is survived by his wife (Jennifer), son (Brandon), and daughter (Jessica). No services are planned at this time.

William Robert Embrey

December 14, 2025 (Age 64)

Kalispell, Montana

Special Forces

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William Robert Embrey was born on March 13, 1961, in Fort Belvoir, Virginia, to Robert and Barbara Embrey. On October 16, 1993, he married the love of his life, Jennifer Brittig. Together, they shared 32 wonderful years filled with love, laughter, and unwavering devotion.

Family was the center of Bill's world. He was immensely proud of his children, Brandon and Jessica. He will always be a loving, devoted husband, father, and friend. Bill made it his life's mission to ensure his family was safe, supported, and always knew how deeply they were loved.

Bill lived a life of service and generosity, always willing to lend a helping hand. His military career began in the Civil Air Patrol, where he formed lifelong friendships. He later served in the United States Army as a Special Forces medic, Ranger-qualified, participating in numerous missions that reflected his courage and dedication. During his assignment at DeWitt Army Hospital in Virginia, Bill met his best friend and future wife, Jennifer.

Following their marriage, Bill and Jennifer were stationed at Fort Polk, Louisiana, where he served as a flight medic. After his honorable discharge from the Army, they moved to Wisconsin, where Bill joined the Wisconsin Army National Guard's 32nd Military Police Unit as a medic. He was deployed to Iraq from 2003 to 2004 and was awarded the Bronze Star.

In 2001, Bill began his second career with the Racine County Sheriff's Department, retiring in 2021 after two decades of dedicated service. He worked as a jail deputy, patrol deputy, and concluded his career as a court deputy. Bill formed countless friendships and touched many lives throughout his career. Known for his calm, steady presence, he had a rare ability to reassure others and de-escalate difficult situations with quiet strength and compassion.

Bill is survived by his beloved wife, Jennifer; his children, Brandon (Emily) Embrey and Jessica (Zach) Embrey; his sister, Colleen Embrey Simms; and many dear friends whose lives he touched. He leaves behind his cherished pets, Charlie, Millie, Bentley, and Molly, who were a constant source of joy.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Barbara Embrey; his brother, Pat Embrey; and his forever-loved pets Tipsie, Marky, Nick, Rambo, Docker, Scamp, Mocha, and Shiba.

Bill will be remembered for his selfless service, his gentle strength, and the deep love he had for his family and friends. His legacy lives on in the lives he touched and the family he cherished so dearly.