

WILLIAM EARL "BILL" PRATT

WILLIAM "BILL" EARL PRATT, 45, of Chesapeake, Ohio passed away Friday, December 7, 2018, in Cabell Huntington Hospital, Huntington, W.Va. He was born March 1, 1973, in Huntington, W.Va., son of John and Susie Miller Pratt. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife Stephanie Watts Pratt; three daughters, Rachel, Allison and Natalie Pratt; one son, Eli Pratt; three brothers, Carl David (Crissy) Pratt, Edward Allen (Trena) Pratt and Paul Franklin Pratt; father-in-law and mother-in-law Charles "Monk" and Connie Watts; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law Angie and David Adams and Matt and Mindy Watts; and several nieces and nephews.

Bill was a dairy farmer on his family farm of nearly 100 years. He was valedictorian of Chesapeake High School graduating class of 1991. Bill was a graduate of The [Ohio State University](#). He was President of the Lawrence County Board of County Commissioners, serving as Lawrence County Commissioner since 2011. He was a former member of the Chesapeake School Board and the Ironton Housing Authority. As commissioner, Bill also served on the Tri-State Airport Authority, the Lawrence County Community Action Organization, the Lawrence County Economic Development Corporation, and many other boards as well.

Funeral service will be conducted 3 p.m. Wednesday, December 12, 2018, at Hall Funeral Home and Crematory, Proctorville, Ohio. Private family burial will be on Pratt Family Farm, South Point, Ohio. Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, December 11, 2018, at the funeral home. Condolences may be expressed to the family at www.ehallfuneralhome.com.