



Paul Gill

May 11, 1963 - June 12, 2022

Paul was born to James and Mary Gill, in Liverpool, England and grew up surrounded by a large family, the REAL football (Go Reds) and a town filled with the sounds of rock 'n roll greats. He had a passion for guitars and pursued his music at every turn.

In 1987, on a trip to visit his baby brother Jimmy in Richmond, VA, he happened to take a fateful detour to NYC, where he glanced up from a park bench only to see his future wife, Jill Kellner from Da Bronx/Brooklyn, and a year and a half later they tied the knot.

After putting the pause button on his rock 'n roll career, he embarked on his advanced education at the esteemed Pace University and climbed the corporate Wall Street ladder, eventually starting his own business, Gill SB.

After tiring of life in the big city, he dragged his non-driving, retired wife to Denver, North Carolina for some fresh air and barbecue. There, he met 3 lads from Looking Glass Trail and the retired rockers formed the renowned quartet known as Old Skool. He also decided to grow lots of healthy vegetation in the backyard after living in a concrete jungle for 30 years.

Paul is survived by his adoring wife of 33 years, Jill, his mother Mary Gill, brother, Jimmy Gill, sister-in-law, Susan Shakespeare Gill, nephew Ian Gill and niece Katie Gill, loads of aunties, uncles, cousins and great friends here and across the pond.

He made us laugh, he never shied away from a good argument, he was a fiercely loyal friend, he sang his heart out and he loved his hometown of Liverpool and his chosen country of America the Beautiful. He will forever live in our hearts.

You'll Never Walk Alone.

A celebration of Paul's life will take place sometime in the near future.

Tribute Wall



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Paul Gill.*



June 25 at 01:55 PM

RM

“ *A good man gone too soon. Rock on, Paul!*

Robin Mack - June 14 at 09:40 PM

JA

“ *Paul, my wonderful cousin, you will always be remembered as one of the kindest, caring, selfless, most thoughtful people I ever had the honour of knowing. Hope you can now rest in peace, fella. Love always, Janet xxx*

Janet Ashcroft - June 14 at 04:05 PM

RD

“ *I loved playing music with Paul. He would always say yes to any song suggested by a band mate. In fact, there were times when he would argue mightily if he wanted to tryout a new song and others in the band were not convinced. Yes, he was passionate about music. He was also a pretty good cook. One time I mentioned that I liked curry and he invited my wife and I over for the best lamb curry I ever tasted. I feel lucky to have counted him as a friend. RIP my friend.*

Richard Dunn - June 14 at 12:07 PM

PA

We met Paul and Jill as customers at our shop and quickly became friends. We spent many times together eating, drinking, watching movies enjoying the concerts at celebrate brooklyn. He was always positive and loved life. He also, was an amazing husband, son and friend to my husband, Michael. The idea we won't see him again hurts real bad. I pray his next journey is peaceful and full of serenity. RIP Paul and conquer heaven

paula - June 14 at 12:35 PM



It was my utter joy and privilege to meet Paul and Jill in Galway, Ireland at a Frames anniversary gig in 2015. I sensed his passion for his wife, music, and life immediately. He always had a warm smile and hug when I'd run into him at concerts. Although he left this realm far too soon, I sense his love for family, friends, and music will live on. May comfort and peace come to all his loved ones.

Lori Snyder - June 15 at 10:26 AM