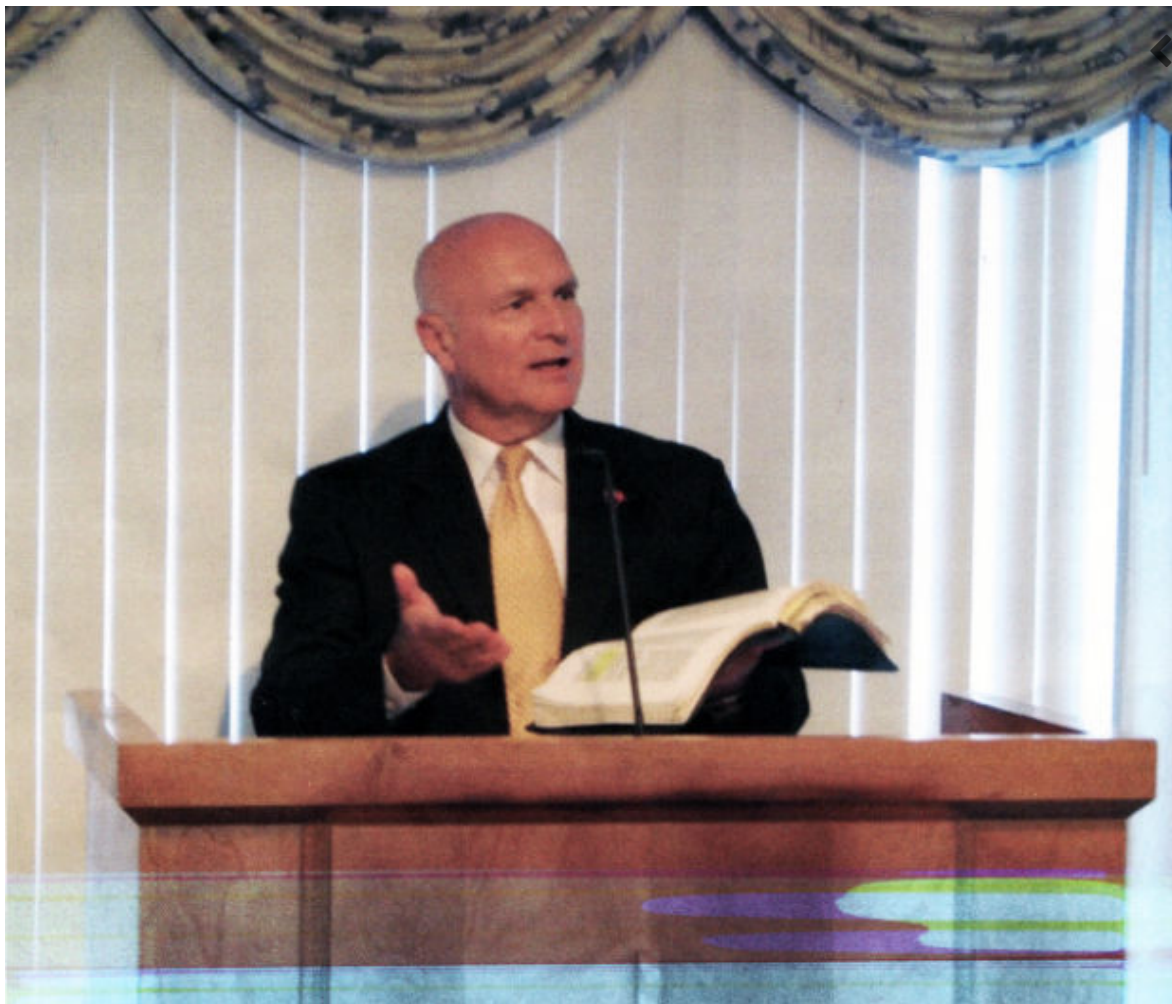


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Bill Behrens

May 6, 2013



Bill Behrens, 66, died Thursday, May 2, 2013 at Hospital University of Pennsylvania. He grew up in Carlisle and was the son of William Behrens and Marie Mommen Behrens. Bill graduated from Carlisle High School in 1965.

Bill is a veteran of the Vietnam War, where he earned several decorations including the Combat Action Ribbon and the Navy Unit Commendation. He served four years with distinction as a Marine in Vietnam with the 3rd Marine Amphibious Forces which

included the TET Offensive of 1968. Upon returning stateside, he served as a Marine Corps Drill Instructor in the Third Recruit Training Battalion at Parris Island, SC.

After his honorable discharge, he attended and graduated from Bible College and served at Fairhaven Baptist Church located in Chesterton, IN for over 26 years. He served as a youth pastor and camp director, then went on to become associate pastor of the Church and Vice President of the Church's college, Fairhaven Baptist College.

Mr. Behrens is survived by his wife, Marlene McBride Behrens, of 42 years; four children, Will Behrens, Christina Behrens Burkhardt, JoAnn Behrens Trout, and Cindy Behrens Zdziarski; and 15 grandchildren. He is also survived by his mother, Marie L. Behrens; sisters, Patty Behrens Garver, Wanda Behrens Jones and Nancy Behrens Wolf. He was preceded in death by his father, William R. Behrens; and his brother, David L. Behrens.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, May 7 at 10 a.m. at Valley Baptist Church, 200 Airport Rd., Coatesville, PA. After the visitation, the service will be held at the Rolling Green Memorial Park, 1008 Westchester Pike, West Chester, PA.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Great Hope Baptist Church, Bill Behrens Memorial, 110 Fern Ave., Carlisle, PA 17013.

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Mortuary is in charge of arrangements
Mrs. **Emily Corringar**
Memorial services will be at 11 a.m.
Old World Chapel of Cypress View in
Emily K. Corringar, 71, of 422 Barb
Longmeadow county resident and a member
shows for the National Council of the
Mortuary will follow in the mortuary
Mrs. **Corringar**, who died Sunday,
born in Illinois and came to San Diego
was a member of the Point Loma A
International, the San Diego Floral A
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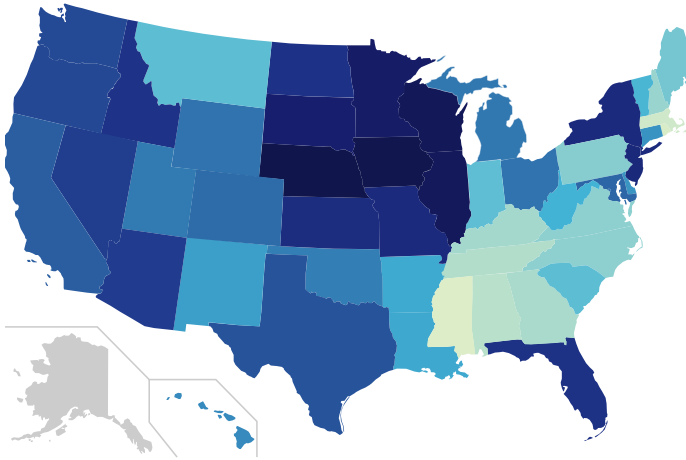
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Overview & Popularity

Behrens is a moderately common surname in the United States. When the United States Census was taken in 2010, there were about 10,524 individuals with the last name "Behrens," ranking it number 3,398 for all surnames. Historically, the name has been most prevalent in the Midwest, especially in Nebraska. Behrens is least common in the southeastern states.

Origin and Meaning of Behrens

Dutch and North German: patronymic from Behrend, variant of Bernhard. According to documentary evidence, the earlier form Be(h)rendes was generally replaced by Behrens during the 17th century.

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