

William J. “Bill” Bunch
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William J. “Bill” Bunch’s career at Linn State Technical College spanned four decades.

His association with the college began as a drafting and design student in 1965. Then known as Linn Technical College, Bill returned two years later from industry to become a teacher in the college’s Design Drafting program, a department he later chaired.

He then went on to serve as placement director, vice president for student services and interim president at Linn State. After ending his career as vice president for student services, he remained with the college as an admissions counselor—a position he held at the time of his death.

Bunch died on February 4, 2000 at the age of 60.

Bunch was remembered as a person always putting the interest of students first. “Bill was the kind of guy who showed a lot of compassion toward others and took pleasure in doing what he could to help others succeed,” said Robert Larivee, a long-time colleague and friend of Bunch.