

# 2012 NATIONAL DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT AWARENESS MONTH

OCTOBER 2, 2012



## WALK FOR DISABILITIES

*Dedicated to the memory of*

*William E. Ohge, Jr.*

SUNRISE: JUNE 12, 1958 • SUNSET: JULY 24, 2012

William, affectionately known as Bill, was a dedicated employee of the US Census Bureau for 34 years and was recognized with many awards and commendations. He was a staunch self-advocate and served on local and state boards committed to improving the lives of those with intellectual and physical challenges.

Bill was a long-time member and volunteer with the Arc of PG County. He was presented with their Outstanding Citizen Award in both 1992 and 2008. He was currently serving as Chairman of the State of Maryland People on the Go, a self-advocacy group. Bill was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Largo Maryland, where he had assisted as an altar server, usher and greeter. He loved sports and was an avid fan of the Washington Redskins and Baltimore Orioles.

Bill overcame many personal obstacles and tackled each challenge with enthusiasm and passion. He enjoyed an independent, fulfilling life, and truly touched the lives of all those who were blessed to know him.

