



## Mr. Charles William Bell

June 6, 1929 - February 13, 2018

Charles William Bell, 88, of Plant City, Florida, born on June 6, 1929, entered into eternal rest on February 13, 2018. He was a veteran of the United States Army, having served in the Korean War. He organized the volunteer fire departments of Springhead and Midway, and became Springhead's first Fire Chief. He was the owner of Bell's Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Service for over 47 years. He liked to tinker in his shop, and was an avid hunter, fisherman, and natural outdoorsman. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Ruth Bell; daughter, Frances Bell Montecillo of Lakeland; and brother, Carlton Larue "Buck" Bell of Georgia. He was preceded in death by his parents, Colton and Thelma Bell; and son-in-law, Lonnie Montecillo. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, February 17 at 3:00 P.M. at Springhead Baptist Church, 3106 S. Wiggins Road, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 2:00 P.M. Committal to follow at Springhead Cemetery, Lakeland. Expressions of condolence at [HopewellFuneral.com](http://HopewellFuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Springhead Cemetery

County Line Road  
Lakeland, FL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Springhead Baptist Church  
3106 S. Wiggins Road  
Plant City, FL  
sbaptistchurch@tampabay.rr.com  
<http://springheadbc.com/cms/>

## Service

FEB 17. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Charles William Bell



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**Hopewell Funeral Home** - February 16, 2018 at 09:33 AM

PH

“ Back in the 1950s through 2016, our family used to go to Cuchara, Colorado and on up to Lake City. I came across a Cuchara phone directory from 1968 with Mr. Bell's Bedford address and thought I would look him up on internet. We moved to Hutchins, 10 miles south of Dallas, in 1956. Mr. Bell looked like the kind of friendly face who would go to Cuchara. Take care. Phyllis Acord Threatt



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**Phyllis** - June 09, 2023 at 02:23 PM

DH

“ Delois Henderson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles William Bell



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**Delois Henderson** - February 16, 2018 at 10:35 AM

DH

*My deepest sympathy. May you rest in God's all-sufficient grace.*

**Delois Henderson** - February 16, 2018 at 10:38 AM



“ 42 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Hopewell Funeral Home** - February 16, 2018 at 08:31 AM

NM

“ *So sorry for your loss. May our Lord give you the Peace, Confront and Strenght in the following days ahead.*



**Nancy McQuaig** - February 15, 2018 at 06:06 PM

NM

*The McQuaig family, Reuben, Nancy and Judy and family*

**Nancy McQuaig** - February 15, 2018 at 06:07 PM

TS

“ Thank you for welcoming me into your home and treating me as one of your own. My life is forever Blessed because of the time I was able to be with you. You will forever hold a piece of my ❤️ heart. With much love and sorrow. Tina



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**Tina skeens** - February 15, 2018 at 04:31 PM

WF

“ With sadness from Richard, Toni, Sylvia & families purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Mr. Charles William Bell.



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**With sadness from Richard, Toni, Sylvia & families** - February 15, 2018 at 09:50 AM