



Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce

November 4, 1932 - February 13, 2025

Richard Worthington Boyce, 92 of Lithia, went to be with the Lord on February 13, 2025. Born November 4, 1932 in Buffalo, NY, to Nelson and Mary Boyce, Richard's first love was radio. After graduating from high school, Richard attended Houghton College for one year before moving to Florida to attend Florida Bible Institute in St. Petersburg in 1952. While at FBI, Richard became involved with the radio ministry of Faith Temple and Dr. Charles Leaming. He continued in this role well into the 1960's. In 1957, Richard was hired as General Manager at WTWB Radio in Auburndale, a Southern Gospel radio station. In 1958, Richard met Gail Carroll and they married on February 14, 1959. Richard and Gail had three daughters and lived in Winter Haven. Richard was proud of his family. He managed a family singing group, The Melody Three Singers. He was actively involved in the community through board positions at the Salvation Army and the Chamber of Commerce. In 1992, Richard retired from WTWB, and he and Gail moved to Lithia to be closer to their family. Richard died after a brief illness on February 13, 2025—just in time to join Gail in heaven for an anniversary celebration. Richard is survived by his three daughters, Kim Boyce Koreiba (Gary) of Branson, MO, Tina Boyce Brubaker (Larry) of Plano, TX, and Tonya Boyce Mayo (Jeff) of Lithia, FL; Seven grandchildren, Chad Brubaker (Whitney), Megan Mayo Sewell (Marc), Christina Brubaker Butts (Austin), Mandy Mayo Fernandez (Wayne), Gary Lee Koreiba II, Miranda Mayo Lloyd (Zach), and Alexander Koreiba; Eight great-grandchildren, Maddox Sewell, Macyn Sewell, McKinley

Lloyd, Avery Fernandez, Charlotte Butts, Hasten Lloyd, Ford Butts, and Demi Fernandez. A memorial service will be held on Monday, February 24 at 3:00 P.M. at Plant City Church of God, 2103 Mud Lake Rd, Plant City, FL, where the family will receive friends at 2:00 P.M. Expressions of condolences at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Plant City Church of God
2103 Mud Lake Road
Plant City, FL

Memorial Service

FEB **24**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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2103 Mud Lake Road
Plant City, FL

Tribute Wall

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“ *Richard Boyce was an honorable and God-fearing man who led an exemplary life. His life was evidenced by the way his entire family lived theirs. God was foremost in his life and it showed at all times. I know he will sorely missed by all who knew him.* ”

Jan Trask - February 24, 2025 at 10:26 AM

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“ *Love, Prestonwood Worship Team Family purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.* ”



Love, Prestonwood Worship Team Family - February 22, 2025 at 04:11 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.* ”



February 19, 2025 at 09:10 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.* ”

February 19, 2025 at 09:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.*



February 19, 2025 at 08:30 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.

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“ *Paul & Robbie purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.*



Paul & Robbie - February 19, 2025 at 04:25 PM



“ *Keith and Sarah Goolsby purchased the Treasure of Lilies Spray for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.*



Keith and Sarah Goolsby - February 18, 2025 at 08:42 PM

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“ Dru & Jim Newman planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.

Dru & Jim Newman - February 17, 2025 at 04:33 PM

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“ Dru & Jim Newman purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Mr. Richard Worthington Boyce.



Dru & Jim Newman - February 17, 2025 at 04:33 PM