



Richard W. Byrd

September 3, 1943 - November 5, 2021

Myrtle Beach, SC

Mr. Richard W. "Dick" Byrd, 78, passed away peacefully at his home on Friday, November 5, 2021, following an extended illness. In a "Godwink" moment, all of his family was by his side even though they were not expecting him to slip away.

Born September 3, 1943 in Glasgow, KY, he was the son of the late Cleatus Wayne Byrd and the late Toyetta Mitchell Byrd. Dick enlisted in the United States Navy at the age of 17 and proudly served his country for 4 years, including a tour in Vietnam. He graduated from Western Kentucky University with a B. A. in Science and enjoyed a lifetime of opening, operating, and selling a long list of businesses all over Horry County. Dick was an astute entrepreneur and businessman who enjoyed sharing the blessings God poured into his life. Among his favorite enterprises was Dick's Cycle Shop in Myrtle Beach which he operated for 25 years.

Survivors include his loving and devoted wife of 54 years, Annette Bryant Byrd; his daughters, Terri Jones and husband Jody and Traci Chanaca and husband Joel; his grandchildren, Bryson Jones, Laurel Jones, and Audrey Chanaca; and his sister, Bettye Brookfield. Mr. Byrd was predeceased by his son, Timothy Wayne Byrd.

Graveside Services will be held at 2:30PM Monday, November 8, 2021 at Ocean Woods Cemetery in Myrtle Beach, officiated by Rev. John Holmes.

Memorial donations may be made to Tunnels to Towers Foundation, 2361 Hylan Blvd., Staten Island, NY 10306.

Please sign the online guest register at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Ocean Woods Cemetery

2408 S. Kings Hwy
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 8. 2:30 PM (ET)

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2408 S. Kings Hwy
Myrtle Beach, 84391

Tribute Wall

GI

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the entire family. We will keep you all in our prayers.*

Dawne & George Oliver, III

George Oliver III - November 10, 2021 at 12:37 PM

GI

“ *George Oliver III lit a candle in memory of Richard W. Byrd*



George Oliver III - November 10, 2021 at 12:32 PM

KH

“ *Kellie Hayes lit a candle in memory of Richard W. Byrd*



Kellie Hayes - November 08, 2021 at 11:04 AM

GO

“ *My thoughts and prayers with y'all. Dick it was a nice guy always enjoyed talking with him when you come in the restaurant.*



George Oliver - November 08, 2021 at 09:05 AM

KF

“ Kelly Farlow lit a candle in memory of Richard W. Byrd



Kelly Farlow - November 07, 2021 at 10:10 PM

DC

“ Dickie was a wonderful brother.'n law. He would do anything to help you and to cheer you up. I will always love him as a brother. Annette, Teri and Traci. You have all been a loving family. I love and am Praying for you. Love Debbie

Debbie B, Collins - November 07, 2021 at 08:49 PM

JK

“ Jean Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Richard W. Byrd



Jean Kennedy - November 07, 2021 at 07:40 PM

JG

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your dad, Tracy. My deepest sympathy and prayers to you and your family.

Judy Gladson - November 07, 2021 at 09:14 AM

BS

“ So many memories of years gone by, family gatherings on Chestnut St in Bowling Green Ky & when he lived with us a while in Indy. Aunt Toyetta (Tee Tee) went with us to get married! My prayers Annette, Terri & Traci & families. Rest In Peace cousin Dickie, Love Brenda, Jimmy, Jodi & families.

Brenda Spears - November 06, 2021 at 07:02 PM