



## James Luther Boyd

January 11, 1951 - October 29, 2023

Elder James Luther Boyd departed this life on Sunday, October 29, 2023, after a brief illness in Henrico, Virginia.

Elder Boyd was the third child of the late Joseph Allen Boyd and Mary Elizabeth Simms-Boyd. He was preceded in death by three sisters: Cassandra Boyd, Landella Clanton and Rebecca Conway. Three brothers: William, Londell and Dr. Walter Alex Boyd.

He leaves to cherish his memory a devoted wife Evangelist Joan M. Boyd. Stepchildren: Darshae Dabney (Haywood), Aisha Derricott, Jean Harris (Kristi). Nine step grandchildren: Deja, Davian, and Darian Dabney. Aaron Ojoye, Amere Christian, Asher Derricott. Carter, Christopher and Cameron Harris. One step great-granddaughter Raina Troublefield. Several nieces and nephews including Dr. Cassandra Willis (Larry), Ashley Clanton, Sedell Boyd and Shawn Boyd.

Two loving brothers Joel and Orlando Boyd (Gloria). Sister-in-law Pastor Michelle Boyd. Sister-in-laws: Jean Winston (Milton), Ruth Williams, Janice Williams (Leroy), Sarah Ward (Maurice), Shirley Scarborough (Robert), Constance Lewis, Della Miller (David), Linda Pryor (Wallace), Kendra Coles (Joe). Brother-in-laws: Marshall Harris (Veronica), Lionel Harris, Gregory Harris, Frankie Harris (Janet), and Oliver Harris. A devoted friend: Minister

Stanley Simms.

Elder Boyd attended Richmond Public Schools and graduated from Maggie. L Walker High School in 1969. He went later received a certification in counseling through the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services.

He enjoyed teaching the Word of God, writing poems, and drawing. He will be remembered for how he loved his God and his wife.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 3. 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Family Hour

NOV 3. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
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## Celebration of Life

NOV 4. 12:00 PM (ET)

Message Of the Cross Center  
6911 Iron Bridge Rd, Chesterfield, VA 23234  
CHESTERFIELD, VA  
<https://www.messageofthecrosschurch.com/>



# Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James Luther Boyd.*



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“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - October 31, 2023 at 11:35 AM

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*Evangelist, the Bullock Family is truly sorry to hear of the passing of your husband. Rest in Jesus! Fred, Julia, Candice & Tiffany*

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**Fred & Julia Bullock** - November 03, 2023 at 08:51 PM

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*Thanks so much*

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**Joan Boyd** - November 05, 2023 at 02:44 PM