

Thomas H. Boyd, III

July 27, 1944 - September 24, 2020

Thomas H. Boyd, III, age 76 of Charleston, South Carolina, passed away peacefully on Thursday, September 24, 2020. He is survived by his wife, Talitha “Lisa” Boyd; his son Trey Boyd, his wife Kelly, and their two children; and his daughter, Grace Martin, and her three children. He is also survived by three siblings, Leon Boyd, Sally Thrailkill, and Brad Boyd.

Prior to his retirement, Tommy was the director of the recreational facilities for several decades at Short Stay, owned by the Joint Base Charleston Weapons Station in Charleston, South Carolina. He served in US Marine Corps in the 1960s and immensely enjoyed his volunteer work as a chaplain with the local chapter.

Tommy was well known for his congenial nature and appreciation for people. As a Christian, he desired to serve His Lord that was reflected in his humble and compassionate approach to those around him.

Condolences may be sent to Talitha Boyd, The Village at Summerville, 201 West 9th N. Street, Apt. C 7, Summerville, SC 29483.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Water Mission, P.O. Box 63320, Charlotte, NC 28263-3320, or through their website, <https://watermission.org>.

Due to coronavirus regulations, a public memorial service will be held at a later time.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at www.jamesadyal.com.

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843)873-4040.

Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas H. Boyd, III*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *Tommy was the finest brother-in-law that we could've imagined. Always friendly, helpful, and congenial, he was a joy to know and visit. A fine man, husband, father, grandfather, uncle, and a true friend to everyone, we will always remember his smile and laughter. And what a fine manager of Short Stay he was! It's easy to understand why Talitha fell in love some many years ago with that handsome U.S. Marine. And what a steak lover with A-1 Sauce, loaded baked potato, salad, & Diet Coke he was! We'll never again have steak or Diet Coke without thinking of Tommy. Although we surely miss him, we rejoice that he's now made whole and is reunited with his beloved dogs, Andy & Cody, and our son Roger Brandon once again. Jane M. and Roger R. Bell, II, Pulaski, Va.*

Jane Bell - October 06, 2020 at 03:46 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss, Lisa, Grace and Trey. I have wonderful memories of Tommy being at Short Stay when SBC Campers would go there for the day. So kind to all the kids and made the day so fun for them. May God be with you, Laura and Dave*

laura freeman - October 01, 2020 at 02:46 PM

AM

“ Whenever I become aware that another Marine has answered his last muster, I am reminded by words in our Marines’ Hymn that tells us, “... the streets of Heaven are guarded by United States Marines.” Stack arms and rest your pack, Marine, and then take your post. You still have important work to do. Semper Fi, and carry on.



Another Marine - October 01, 2020 at 11:58 AM

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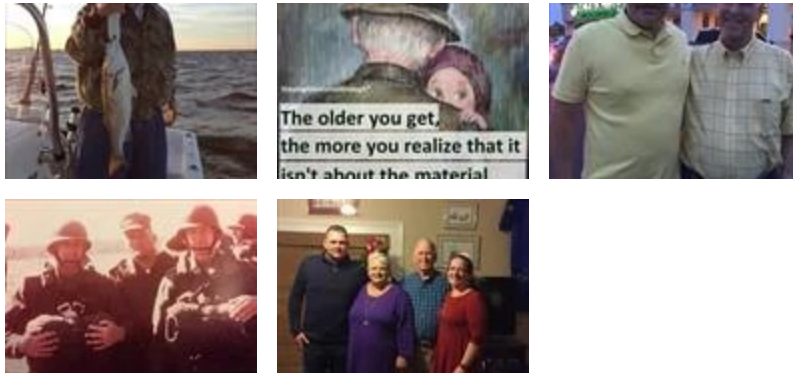
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Thomas Boyd - September 30, 2020 at 01:43 PM

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Thomas Boyd - September 30, 2020 at 11:49 AM

GE

“ Lisa...Trey and Grace...we are thinking of you and lifting you up in prayer. Tommy was a very fine man. We were blessed to have known him.

Gin-g Edwards - September 29, 2020 at 09:45 PM

RM

“ Dear Lisa and Family,
What caring memories of Tommy I have from our shared years at Coastal Center. He was just wonderful with the individuals who lived there. Of SPECIAL FOND MEMORIES IS HOW HE HELPED ME TEACH MY INFANT BOYS TO SWIM BY DROPPING THEM IN THE POOL AND ASSURING ME THEY WOULD SWIM RIGHT UP TO ME - and they did!!! I always trusted him and he earned my respect. May his memory be as a Blessing. With deepest sympathy,
Rosalyn Kramer Monat-Haller

Rosalyn Monat-Haller - September 29, 2020 at 08:45 PM

SH

“ Lisa, we are thinking of you and your family at this difficult time. You are in our prayers now and in the days ahead.
Jairy and Sissy Hunter

Sissy Hunter - September 29, 2020 at 01:43 PM

TF

“ Lisa and family, we know the loss of Tommy is tremendous, but we know he is with the Lord. Please receive our sincere prayers of peace and comfort. Tim and Sharon Farmer



Tim Sharon Farmer - September 29, 2020 at 01:35 PM

IS

“ Mrs. Boyd and Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time of bereavement. May you all find much comfort in many wonderful memories of Mr. Boyd. May you also feel God's comfort, love and strength in the days and weeks to come. God bless



Intrepid Hospice Staff - September 29, 2020 at 09:04 AM

DH

“*Dean and I feel like we have lost a loved one from our own family. Tommy was a shining example of what it truly means to be a Christ follower. He had such a love for his family which spilled over into his love and caring attitude for others.*

Dean has such fond memories of Tommy in "the RA days". Oh what fun times they had with the boys and, in turn, nurtured the two men's love for each other as "brothers".

Our hearts mourn his loss with you, Lisa, Trey, and Grace. He will be sorely missed.

Dean and Janice Herndon - September 29, 2020 at 08:20 AM