



# Donald R. Boyd

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## **Donald R. Boyd**

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**D**onald Roy Boyd, resident of Covington, LA passed away January 17, 2017. The beloved husband of Martha Fricke Boyd of 64 years. He was born in Birmingham, AL on February 14, 1932 to the late Roy and Ethel Boyd. He was preceded in death by his eldest son Mitchell Boyd and sister Faye Boyd. He is survived by wife Martha Boyd, sister Helen Boyd, sons John "Matthew" Boyd and Michael Boyd along with 4 grandchildren Addie, Bryan, Jackson and Andrew Boyd. A veteran of the U.S. Navy, he served during the Korean war as a sonar operator. Graduate of Howard College (Samford University), employed by Perelli Wire and Cable. Upon retirement he joined his wife in real estate. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Covington. He will be greatly missed.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a Funeral Service at 2:00 PM on Friday, January 20, 2017 at E. J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 West 21st Avenue Covington, LA 70433. Visitation on Friday from 1:00 PM until service time.

A private interment in Mandeville Cemetery at a later date.

Share a memory on the tribute wall at [ejfieldingfh.com](http://ejfieldingfh.com).



# Events

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## Visitation


 **Friday**, January 20, 2017

 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT

 **E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services**  
2260 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433



## Funeral Services


 **Friday**, January 20, 2017

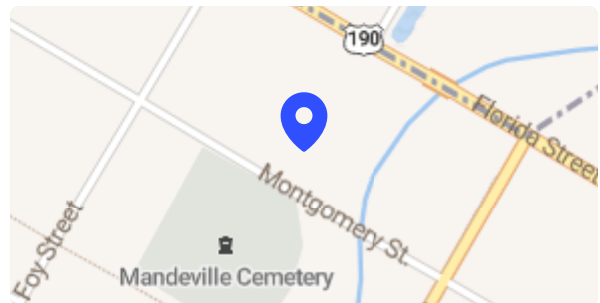
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## Cemetery Details

 **Mandeville Cemetery**  
1609 Montgomery St., Mandeville LA 70448





## Tribute Wall

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**E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services** shared a **Tribute Video**.



January 19 at 7:24 AM



**Linda M Hano** posted:

Martha, We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your Family. Earl and Linda Hano

January 24 at 5:52 AM



**Margaret (Peggy) Menard** posted:

Dearest Martha and family, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I will always remember Don as a dear, quiet, giant with a warm smile. A gentle man who loved his family. You had a long and blessed life together and I just know that he has joined those family and friends who went before him and now share the loving arms of Jesus. In deepest sympathy, Peggy Menard

January 21 at 9:44 AM



**Sam & Linda, Ronnell & Kelly, Baileigh & Aleah** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Boyd family.



January 20 at 4:41 AM



**Meg Smith** posted:

Martha, What a beautiful, blessed, full life you all had together! Seeing the pictures in Don's tribute video was such a treat. I love you. You and the boys are in my thoughts and prayers. Meg Smith

January 20 at 3:40 AM



**Louise Brady** posted:

Martha & Family , so sorry to hear of your loss. The little I knew him he was always delightful .. he was such a gentlemen. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time. Louise Brady

January 19 at 2:21 PM



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**Anonymous** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Boyd family.

January 19 at 6:50 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Boyd family.

January 19 at 5:52 AM



**Diane Kramer** posted:

Martha -Thought it's been many years since we were neighbors and friends, the people of Riverwood and Country Club have a special place in our hearts, as we all raised our children together in that wonderful neighborhood.Our condolences to you on the loss of your soulmate, Don. May the perpetual light shine upon him.Al and Diane Kramer

January 19 at 4:26 AM



**Joan Gokey** lit a candle in honor of Donald.

January 18 at 5:24 PM



**Catherine Becnel** posted:

Ms. Martha,We have missed Mr. Don around the office for quite some time. Such a sweet and soft spoken man. So kind and easy going. So loved by all. I've always admired your strength to take such good care of him through these hard times. Just like I told you today, and you know I mean it from the bottom of my heart, no matter what time it is, day or night, I am only a phone call away. I love you my friend and I hope you feel it. May God wrap his arms around you.Love, Catherine Becnel

January 18 at 5:15 PM



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TG

**Trisha Garrett** posted:

Dear Mrs. Martha, My heart just broke when I saw this post! Mr. Don was always so sweet, kind, and such a gentlemen. I think y'all were one of the first husband and wife teams I ever knew. I know he loved you and your family with all his heart. I know he will be missed by all that loved and ever knew him. Truly a great man! Lifting all of you up in prayer at this very sad and difficult time. Sending you a great big hug and please know that he, as well as your family will be remembered in my daily prayers. Love, Trish & Dave Garrett

January 18 at 1:45 PM

CB

**Catherine Becnel** January 18 at 5:07 PM

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BG

**Barry Gurievsky** posted:

I was fortunate to know Don primarily through real estate and some at golf. He was always a gentleman, professional and left a smile on my face. I know he was equally terrific as a husband, father and grandfather. He will be missed by many because of the person Don was, just as the way he influenced me. I know he is resting in peace now, while looking to play gold and ride in a boat. Thank you for letting me be a little part of your life. Barry Gurievsky

January 18 at 10:58 AM

BM

**Betty Mathews** posted:

Dear Martha, Don was a great man, loved his family and his boats. I knew where he would be on Sunday, he loved Sunday desk. He will be missed by us all and especially by you. Sending loving prayers for you and your family. Betty Mathews

January 18 at 10:19 AM

MZ

**Michelle Norris Zemlik** posted:

Martha, I am truly sorry for your loss. Don was an amazing man. I enjoyed working with the both of you. Prayers for you and your family. He will be missed.

January 18 at 10:17 AM



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**Sharon Cappony** posted:

My dear Martha, I cannot find words sufficient enough to console you at this sad time. Don was such a wonderful man, so kind, so generous, always willing to share his infective beautiful smile. In all the years I've known you both I never heard an unkind word from either of you. Your Faith has always shone brightly through both of you and I have always held you both in such high esteem. My heart breaks for you today but I know you will be comforted with your memories held in your heart. Don will truly be missed and I can honestly say my life was enriched having known him. My love to you and to your family. Sharon Cappony

January 18 at 10:01 AM



**Sabrina Pierre** lit a candle in honor of Donald.

What a delightful human being, Don Boyd was! A calm person of faith, he was a man of few words in large groups, but one on one he had great stories and many life experiences to share....and was very witty as well. My life is enriched for having crossed his path. My heart is sad for Ms. Martha, but I know your faith in salvation is strong and will carry you through this difficult time. Much love to you and your family. Sabrina Pierre, Gardner Realtors



January 18 at 9:51 AM



**Peggy** posted:

My dear Martha and family, I am just unbelievably sorry for your loss. Don will be sorely missed.

January 18 at 9:43 AM



# Media

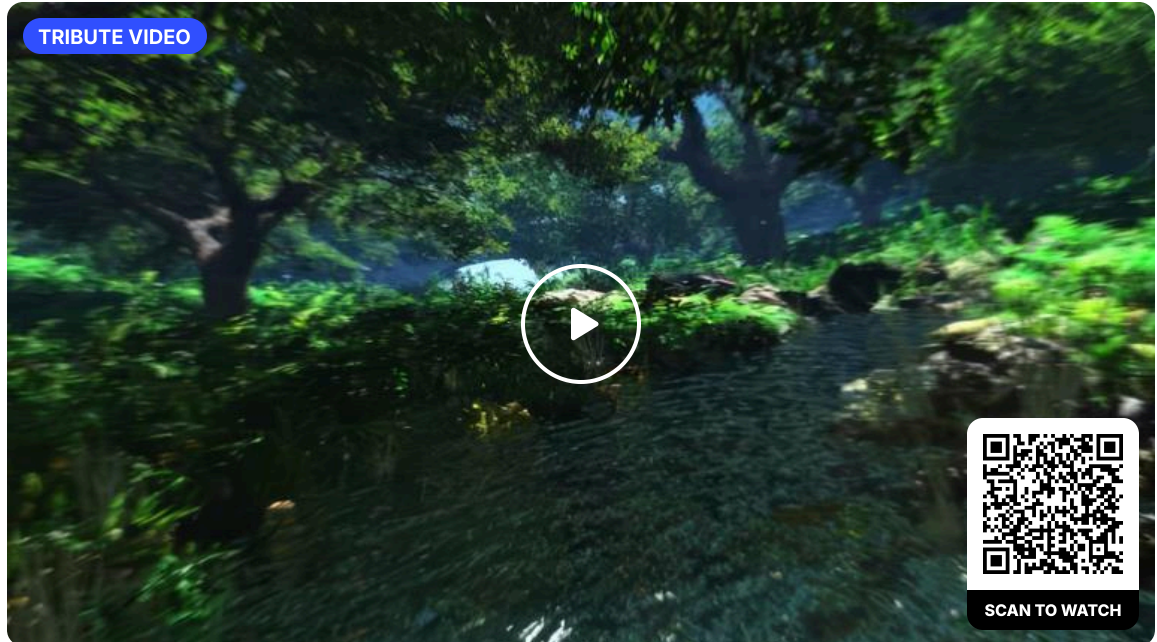
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**Lisa Springer** January 25 at 2:12 AM

Just hearing of Mr. Boyd's passing. Keeping you and your family in our prayers. May your memories and God's promise of eternal life comfort you in this time Lisa and Rick Springer



**Garie Friloux** January 19 at 2:32 PM

Martha, I am so very sorry to hear about Don. He was always so nice. Such a gentleman! I will keep you & your family in my prayers. Garie Friloux



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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