



Owen Elsworth Richmond

September 26, 1926 - August 2, 2022

Owen Elsworth Richmond, age 95, of Ocala Florida went home to be with Jesus

on August 2, 2022 in Ocala, Florida.

Owen was born in Orland, Indiana to Eda Mae and Dorris Medbury Richmond on September 26, 1926. He was a mechanical genius who overhauled automobile engines, reconstructed car interiors, and repaired vehicle bodies. He was a "highway engineer" who transported petroleum products throughout the central states area for 30 years, even though he always wanted to be a farmer.

Owen was an U.S. Army veteran who served in the Philippines during World War

II, and afterwards he became a lifelong member of the VFW. Christ's Church of

Marion County is where he worshipped and served the Lord. He enjoyed bowling and fishing, and in his later years, he was a champion on Marion County's Senior Wii Bowling Travel Team.

His favorite pastime, by far, was spending time with his family and friends whom

he loved with all his heart. As "ambassador" and "mayor" of Marions Woods Independent Living Facility, he brought joy, laughter and conflict resolution to the

residents for 11 years.

Owen is survived by his sons, Thomas and Timothy, his daughters-in-law Arlene and Karen, and his grandchildren Jamie, Jesse, Alyson, Michael, Gabriella and Mae. His great-grandchildren are Alex, Colt and Liam. He also has many nieces and nephews. Owen was preceded in death by his beloved wife Joan of 47 years, his beloved wife Rhea of 15 years, and his brothers - DeWayne, Norris, and Laurel. He was dearly loved and cherished by his sons and their wives, his grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and other family members.

A funeral service will be held on Friday, August 5, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at Christ's Church of Marion County. Arrangements are entrusted to Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations.

Cemetery Details

Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens

5050 SW 20th Street
Ocala, FL 34474

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 8. 12:00 PM (ET)

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