

2 Corinthians 5:8

8 We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord.

Repast

Family & friends may return to funeral home for fellowship & food from
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Walker - Walnut Hills
2625 Gilbert Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

Acknowledgements

As we lay Michael to rest the Byes Family would like to express our sincerest gratitude for the kind words, condolences and many memories of Michael that have been shared with us during this challenging time. Your words have given us reasons to smile and find happiness during a time that would otherwise be filled with sorrow.

We also extend heartfelt thanks to Hamilton County DODD, LADD & Cincinnati Hospice (Blue Ash Location)



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In Loving Memory



Michael Curtis Byes

May 9, 1954 - February 25, 2026

March 19, 2025
Visitation: 10:00 AM
Funeral Service: 11:00 AM
Walker - Walnut Hills
2625 Gilbert Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

Obituary

Michael Curtis Byes was born May 9, 1954 to William Edward Byes Sr. & Annie M. Byes in Canton, Ohio. He departed this Earthly life, peacefully February 25, 2026. Michael was the 5th of 8 children, he graduated from Guilford High School in Cincinnati, Ohio 1972.

Michael worked numerous jobs; he was dedicated, principled and very personable. Through his most recent employment, Michael became a beloved member of The Moerlein Lager House Family where he worked for the past 10 years on Joe Nuxhall Way.

Michael had a passion for sports; he played on several softball & basketball teams as well as a bowling league. He loved the Cincinnati Reds & the Cincinnati Bengals and thoroughly enjoyed traveling.

Michael was preceded in death by: His Father~ William Edward Byes Sr., His Mother~ Annie M. Byes, His Grandfather~ Thomas Huckaby, His Grandmother ~ Rosa Reese & His Brother ~ William Edward Byes Jr.

Michael leaves to celebrate his life: Richard Byes (Denise), Rosemary Byes, Lawrence Byes (Craig), Jimmy Byes (Linda), Kenneth Byes, Adrienne Byes, Aunt Viola Huckaby (in Detroit, Mi) A host of Nieces, Nephews, Great Nephews, cousins & friends.

A special mention to: His best friend of 16yrs. Vince Igoe & his friend Erin McDermott



Order of Service

Musical Prelude	Soft Music "Thank you for it All"
	(Marvin Sapp)
Assembly of Siblings	Brothers & Sisters Stand
Scripture : Psalm 23	Kacey Crowley
A Letter to My Uncle	Ryan Byes
Selection	Dionne Partee-Johnson
Acknowledgements	Laida Rutledge-Levelle
Scripture	1 Thessalonians 4:13-14
	Rikki Rambsy
Remarks	2 minutes please
Obituary	Read Silently
Selection	Dionne Partee-Johnson
Eulogy	Richard Byes
Benediction	Adrienne Byes
Recessional	Pallbearers, Family, Flower Bearers

Pallbearers

Kenneth Byes	Ernest Marshon Coleman
Bob Igoe	Dominique Elliott
Christian Byes	Joseph Leonard IV

Flower Bearers

Ashley Byes	Laida Rutledge-Levelle
	Ryan Byes

Final Resting Place

Walnut Hills Cemetery
3117 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206