



Thomas Harrison "Tommy" Bell

May 27, 1950 - January 11, 2024

North Augusta, SC – Mr. Thomas Harrison “Tommy” Bell, 73, entered into rest at his home, January 11, 2024. Memorial Services will be announced and conducted at a later date.

Tommy was born May 27, 1950, to the late Robert Luther Bell and Agnes McClure Bell. He was a native of Walhalla, SC and a long-time resident of Hilton Head, SC. Tommy graduated from the University of South Carolina, where he played football and lettered as a kicker. During his collegiate football career, he set kicking records which he proudly held for eleven years. Tommy would remain an avid Gamecock fan his entire life. Following graduation, he worked as a sportswriter with The State Newspaper for a number of years, later becoming a freelance writer. He was a lifelong golf enthusiast and in his younger years, caddied for Beth Daniels on the LPGA. Tommy worked as an estate planner and independent insurance agent for many years. He moved to North Augusta a little more than one year ago but maintained his membership at Christ Lutheran Church in Hilton Head. Tommy will be fondly remembered as a voracious reader, who loved animals, especially dogs, and enjoyed traveling.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Patricia Bell. Surviving family members left to cherish his memory include his partner, Carla Williams Lacombe; two children, Taylor Harrison Bell (Tatiana) and Courtney

Daniels (John); four beloved grandchildren, Everette, Thomas, Ford, Taylor, with another grandchild on the way.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the University of South Carolina Athletics Excellence Fund, c/o University of South Carolina Office of Gift Processing, 1600 Hampton Street, Suite 736, Columbia, SC 29208, <https://donate.sc.edu/direct-your-gift?fund=7a2d0a46-829a-4681-87aa-0e1fa450052a>

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta is assisting the family with arrangements (803)278-1181.

Cemetery Details

Private

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“Wow! I am in total shock. I haven't seen Tommy in several years, and had just Googled his name.
Years ago we spent a lot of time together, running and just being friends. Tommy was a good friend of many people here on Hilton Head Island. He helped start the Hilton Head Running Club and was very active with the members.
We were both members of Christ Lutheran Church and I was a client in his investment business.
Tommy, I will look forward to seeing you again someday in Heaven.
Larry Perigo

larry Perigo - June 24, 2024 at 12:19 PM

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“Carol Shealy lit a candle in memory of
Thomas Harrison "Tommy" Bell



Carol Shealy - January 26, 2024 at 05:31 PM

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“Will miss our golf range talks, stories, and play. A very good man.
Rest easy now Brother.

Richard Pieczynski - January 22, 2024 at 08:41 PM



“ Tommy was a wonderful person who will be missed by many, but not forgotten.

My condolences to the family.

Marc Silverman.

Marc Silverman - January 21, 2024 at 04:50 PM



“ Thank you for your Gamecock days! Forever to Thee!

Carolyn Williams - January 20, 2024 at 07:36 AM



Always enjoyed his company'. Good storyteller. He was a game winner !

cp dupont - January 23, 2024 at 06:13 PM