

*The family thanks you for the gift of your presence today  
and for every expression of kindness.  
Following the service, the family cordially invites you  
to join them in the Christian Education Building  
for a time of fellowship and refreshments prepared by the Presbyterian  
Women of Northwood and the Kitchen Krew.*

*In lieu of flowers, the family requests  
memorial donations be made to:  
Northwood Presbyterian Church  
or Suncoast Hospice*

### **Obituary of Billy Ray Mylin**

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Billy Ray Mylin at the age of 83. He was born in Illinois on May 18, 1942 and quickly became a true Floridian in 1968. Bill was not only a loving husband, father, grandfather but a true friend to all those he touched. He will be forever remembered for his compassionate nature and unwavering commitment to his family leaving behind a legacy of not only courage, selfless sacrifice, and an abundance of love that will forever be etched in the hearts of those who had the privilege of knowing him.

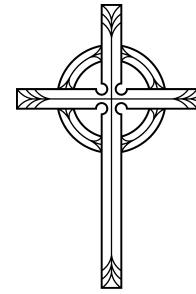
As a pillar of strength, not only for his family but also at Northwood Presbyterian church, he served daily as our personal reminder and a true guiding light. His warm smile, infectious laughter and kind spirit has shaped the lives of all who crossed his path. He will be remembered as a man of honor and integrity, dedicated to providing and maintaining and growing a loving home that installed strong values within us each and every day.

Bill is survived by his beloved wife Louise (Married for 25 beautiful years), his 2 brothers Larry (Marylou) and Bob (Lin); his 3 cherished daughters; Sandy (Woody), Cindy and Shannon (Randy). A wonderful Grandfather of 4 Timmy (Yan), Amber (Tyler), Jenny, Rochelle. And a great and amazing great grandpa to Grayson and Eli along with nieces and nephews. And not to forget, a large host of family and dear friends who will forever cherish his memory in their hearts.

In addition to being a loving family man, Bill developed his love for carpentry, fishing and nature watching with family and friends. He enjoyed cruising and traveling new destinations with Louise, showing the depth and richness of his true character.

Bills untimely departure leaves a void that can never be filled, but his legacy of true genuine love, courage and compassion will surely live on in all of our hearts and all of those who knew and loved him.  
May he rest always in eternal peace.

Rev. Dr. E. Chris Curvin, Pastor  
Dylan Cantin, Piano



## **A Witness to the Resurrection**



**To the Glory of God &  
In Loving Memory of**

**Billy Ray Mylin**

May 18, 1942 – December 27, 2025

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# In Gratitude to God for the Gift of Life of Billy Ray Mylin

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Friday, April 10, 2026  
11:00 A.M.

## PRELUDE

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Chris Curvin, Pastor

## INVOCATION AND THE LORDS PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

## \*HYMN MEDLEY

“Morning Has Broken”  
“It Is Well with My Soul”

Morning has broken like the first morning;  
black bird has spoken like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!  
Praise for them, springing fresh from the word!

Sweet the rain’s new fall sunlit from heaven,  
like the first dew fall on the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,  
sprung in completeness where God’s feet pass.

When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like sea billows roll,  
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,  
it is well, it is well with my soul.  
It is well, with my soul; It is well; it is well with my soul.

Lord, hasten the day when our faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,  
the trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend;  
even so it is well with my soul.  
It is well, with my soul; It is well; it is well with my soul.

## OLD TESTAMENT READINGS

Psalm 100

Psalm 23 (Unison)

**The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul:  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name’s sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;  
Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:  
Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:  
And I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.**

## TIME OF REMEMBRANCE

Shannon Shucky, Tim Lundy, Gary Granata

## DUET

“There Was Jesus” Williams/Parton  
Dylan Cantin & Stephanie Carson

## NEW TESTAMENT READINGS *(selected verses)*

1 Corinthians 15; Romans 8; John 14

## MEDITATION

Chris Curvin, Pastor

## PASTORAL PRAYER

\*HYMN “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)” Chris Tomlin  
**Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see.**

**‘Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!**

*Refrain:* **My chains are gone, I’ve been set free.  
My God my Savior has ransomed me.  
And like a flood, His mercy reigns,  
unending love, amazing grace.**

**The Lord has promised good to me, His Word my hope secures;  
He will my Shield and Portion be, as long as life endures. *Refrain***

**The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine;  
But God, who called me here below, will be forever mine. *Refrain***

## \*BENEDICTION

## \*RECESSIONAL

*(Please remain in the pews while the family is escorted from the Sanctuary.)*