



## Gladys Byrd

May 8, 1936 - February 7, 2025

### Her Story....

Gladys Byrd was born on May 8, 1936, in Statesboro, Georgia to the late Maggie and Deacon Warnell Percell.

She continued her education in the Bulloch County School system and later married Frank Miles Byrd, Sr.

She and her family moved in the late 1960's to Pompano Beach, Florida. Gladys worked in various capacities as a cook and later joined Imperial Point Hospital retiring in 1990.

Gladys joined Antioch Missionary Baptist Church in Pompano Beach, Florida under the leadership of Rev. Mathis and served on the Missionary Board. She touched the lives of many and prayed loyally for many. She was a wife, mother and an "extraordinary granny."

She was preceded in death: her husband, Frank Miles Byrd, daughters: Gladys Marie Byrd, and Cornelia Ann Byrd.

On February 7, 2025, God called her to rest from her works that will follow her. She leaves to mourn her passing, and to cherish her loving memories daughter: Betty Byrd of Pompano Beach, Florida, son: Frank Byrd, Jr.,

(Teresa), of West Palm Beach, Florida.

Grandchildren: Tonya Wilcox of Deerfield Beach, Florida, Anthony E. Bryd (who she raised as a Son) (Cory) of Plantation, Florida, and Terrance Byrd of Pompano Beach, Florida.

Great grandchildren: Jacobi Higgins (Brandon), Chaquana Byrd, Rodrica Holt, Rodnesha Holt, Anthony Byrd, Jr., Khole Byrd, Summer Byrd, and Winter Byrd.

Great-great grandchildren: Jaela Higgs, Joshua Canion Jr., Cailee Leonard, Jacob Higgins, Jayce Hora, Jiana Higgins, and Adonis Byrd.

Great-great-great grandchildren: Jailee Castellon

God children: Latoya Innocent and Jeramine Devoe

Special sister: Rose Coney and a host of family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Westview Cemetery

NW 18th Ave  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 21. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

L.C. Poitier Funeral Home  
317 NW 6th Street  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060  
(954) 943-7050  
info@lcpoitier.com  
<https://www.lcpoitierfuneralhome.com/>

## Service

FEB 22. 10:00 AM (ET)

Antioch Baptist Church  
420 NW 8th Ave  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gladys Byrd.

February 22, 2025 at 07:49 AM



“ Daphne & the Sainvil Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gladys Byrd.



Daphne & the Sainvil Family - February 21, 2025 at 11:15 PM



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L.C. Poitier Funeral Home - February 21, 2025 at 04:24 PM

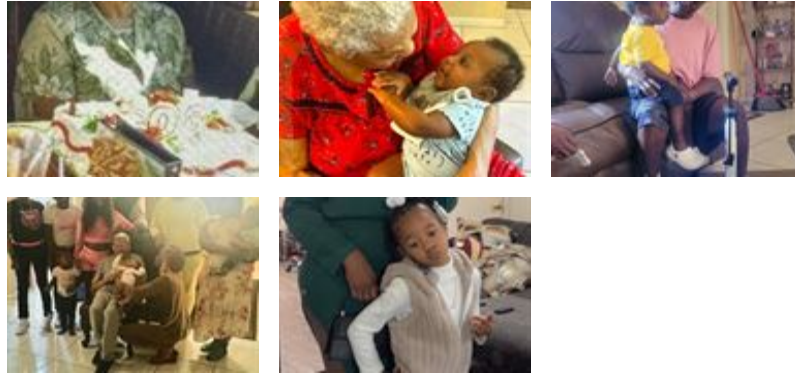


“ Ms. Gladys was a kind and gentle lady. RIP! Nathaniel E. Green

Nathaniel E. Green - February 21, 2025 at 01:36 PM



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L.C. Poitier Funeral Home - February 21, 2025 at 01:08 PM

BB

“ Bianca Corion & Adonis Byrd planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gladys Byrd.

Bianca Corion & Adonis Byrd - February 21, 2025 at 10:46 AM

BB

“ Bianca Corion & Adonis Byrd purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Gladys Byrd.



Bianca Corion & Adonis Byrd - February 21, 2025 at 10:46 AM

GD

“ Greater Bethel AME Church Deerfield purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Gladys Byrd.



Greater Bethel AME Church Deerfield - February 20, 2025 at 06:11 PM

AH

“ Anna Henry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gladys Byrd.

Anna Henry - February 20, 2025 at 02:14 PM

AH

“ Anna Henry purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Gladys Byrd.



Anna Henry - February 20, 2025 at 02:14 PM



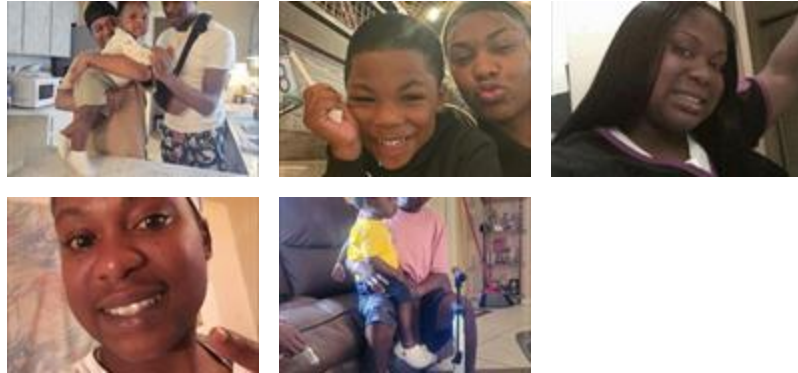
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L.C. Poitier Funeral Home - February 20, 2025 at 01:56 PM



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L.C. Poitier Funeral Home - February 20, 2025 at 12:18 PM



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L.C. Poitier Funeral Home - February 19, 2025 at 05:19 PM

DB

“ My memory of Ms. Gladys is that she was a very hard-working woman who loved her family very much. I first met her in 1979, when I lived in Pompano for a few years, but moved back to my hometown, which is Sanford, FL But even after moving back home I always kept in touch with her and her family. She was always very kind and welcoming to me and my daughter when we visited her home. She will be greatly missed. My sincere condolences to her family and friends.

Deborah Ann Byrd - February 16, 2025 at 10:32 PM

JA

“ 6 Generations of beauty ☐



Jacobi - February 16, 2025 at 07:08 AM

LG

My condolences to the family and friends My heart and prayers are with you all have may God give you all the strength to go through this lost I have known Mrs Gladys for a manys years me an Betty word together some years back Family's stay strong God knows your hurt an pain 🥹🥹🥹🙏❤️💙

Linda Green - February 18, 2025 at 02:58 PM

MS

“ To my good brother in Christ! We offer our sincere condolences and support to you during this time in the valley. Blessings from the Ball Family

Minister Letete Ball Sr. - February 15, 2025 at 04:46 PM

MD

“ *My Brother Amp Byrd My Condolences Goes  
Out To You And Your Family* 🙏



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**Mr Davis** - February 15, 2025 at 04:29 PM