



Richard Erwin Collins

April 6, 1943 - February 1, 2026

Richard Erwin Collins, 82, of Orlando, Florida passed away on February 1, 2026. He was born on April 6, 1943, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania to Erwin and Mary Collins. Richard is survived by his wife, Belva Jean Collins; sons, Jeff Collins and Richard Collins; grandchildren, Ashlee, Megan, Kelsi, and Gavin; and great-grandchildren, Lucas, Hudson, and Malachi.

Cemetery Details

Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

5525 US-1
Mims, FL 32754

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

FEB 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church
4545 Anderson Road
Orlando, FL 32812

Tribute Wall

JC

“*Rich was a Knight of Columbus member as part of his council and assembly. He will be missed and may he rest in peace with the Lord and the brother knights who preceded into heaven. Jeff Craig - Past Faither Navigator - Assembly 0162 and District Deputy 27.*

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“*On Sunday, February 1, we said goodbye to the father who led our family with quiet strength.*

My father was a man of remarkable character: analytical and hardworking, yet endlessly generous and loving. He was a faithful, God-fearing man, devoted to Jesus Christ and to serving his church family. His unwavering faith helped shape Richie and me into the men we are today.

He was the one who could fix anything and the father who never hesitated to be there for my mother and for us. As I look back, I realize he was teaching us even when we didn't realize it. By watching him love our mother with such loyalty and devotion, he taught Richie and me how to be the husbands our wives deserve. His quiet strength and steady presence were constants in our lives; he always provided, no matter the obstacle.

We are deeply grateful to God for the blessing of his life. Rest in peace, Dad. We will carry your strength and love with us always.

“The righteous who walks in his integrity, blessed are his children after him!” — Proverbs 20:7

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