



Larry Dwayne Corley

May 25, 1938 - July 26, 2025

Memorial services for Larry Dwayne Corley, 87, of Tyler, Texas, will be held on Saturday, October 4, 2025, at 10 a.m. at First Baptist Church. Mr. Corley passed away Saturday, July 26, 2025, and burial was held privately at Rose Lawn Cemetery in Tyler under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. Corley was born on May 25, 1938, in Brookeland, Texas to Charles C. and Willie Mae Corley. He is preceded in death by his parents, his brothers, Elbert, Charles, Arthur, Lee, and Robert, as well as his sisters, Helen and Betty.

Larry graduated from Baylor in 1960, where he played football and acquired a degree in Economics. He was a faithful member of First Baptist Church, Tyler where he was a deacon, served as Director of Tyler Family Assistance Center (TFAC) for several years, and was a regular volunteer at a camp for foster children.

His family loved him for his unconditional love, tenacious spirit, practical guidance, and steadfast kindness. He saw those who needed the goodness of God made tangible and that is what led him to serve the Lord, his church, and community. He is survived by his wife, Rachel, of 64 years; daughter Paige and son-in-law Richard; daughter Leanne; daughter Jennifer and son-in-law Jim; and grandchildren Riley, Maddox, Seth, and Emma.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church
301 W. Ferguson
Tyler, TX 75702

Tribute Wall

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“ Sam and I remember Larry and Rachel well. We were in a small group together. We loved them both and are grateful to have known them. They are both faithful servants in the Kingdom.

Charlotte Latham - October 02, 2025 at 07:57 PM

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“ What a sweet friend to all who knew Larry. I was privileged to have worked with him at TFAC and to attend church with him. He was always such a fun person to know and love.

Joanne Williams - August 09, 2025 at 03:12 PM

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“ Larry and Rachel have been Godly inspirations to me. He taught me how to work at tfac with great patience and thoroughness. He always supported this ministry. He walked with kindness

joyce - August 03, 2025 at 08:00 PM