



Richard Michael Unsworth

November 23, 1947 - November 27, 2025

Richard Michael Unsworth, 78, of Lady Lake, Florida, passed away on November 27, 2025. A man of grit, loyalty, and quiet strength, Richard lived a life shaped by service, hard work, and devotion to family.

Born in Providence, Rhode Island, to Francis T. and Lena J. (Campagna) Unsworth, he carried lifelong values of responsibility, resilience, and loyalty. He was the beloved husband of Mauri Anne Bartley, proud father of Scott Michael Unsworth and his wife Tara, cherished grandfather of Bryn Judith of Harrisville, RI, and loving stepfather to Smythe-Anne Bartley of North Kingstown, RI.

He is survived by his brothers Joseph and Thomas Unsworth, sister Frances Lombardo, former wife Diane Unsworth, and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his sister Cheryl Unsworth.

Richard served honorably as a United States Marine in the Vietnam War. After returning home, he earned a Business Management degree from Johnson and Wales University and built a lifelong career in IT. Known for his strong work ethic, he also drove for the Providence Journal for more than 20 years.

A natural storyteller, Richard loved working with his hands. His restored 1931 Model A was a lifelong passion and a source of pride, friendship, and

connection through his car club.

Richard will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery of Bushnell. A Celebration of Life will be held on January 2, 2026, from 3pm to 6pm at Water Oak Country Club Estates Satellite Clubhouse in Lady Lake, Florida. A second celebration will be held in Rhode Island in early 2026.

Richard will be remembered for his strength, his stories, and the steady way he showed up for those he loved.

Cemetery Details

Florida National Cemetery

6502 SW 102nd Avenue
Bushnell, FL 33513

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 2. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Water Oak Country Club Estates Satellite Clubhouse
415 Water Oak Blvd
Lady Lake, FL 32159

Tribute Wall

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“ Richard was larger than life. I loved hearing his old neighborhood stories growing up as a kid, as well as his lifetime of adventures with Mauri, family and his many, many friends. I feel blessed to have been a part of his journey. Rest in peace. You will be truly missed 🙏

Karen Columbus - December 15, 2025 at 07:11 PM



“ Richard will be greatly missed. We are so sorry for your families loss.

Danielle Monti - December 11, 2025 at 09:43 AM

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Richard was a good man . Always willing to help anyone when needed. I lost about 8 sections of chain link fence when a big pine tree fell across my back yard during a tropical storm, he ordered everything I needed and helped me put everything in . He will be sorely missed. 😭
❤️🙏 RIP my friend.

Thomas Cabral - December 11, 2025 at 11:57 AM

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Richard the best friend a person could ask for. I will miss the big guy !
Until we ride together again.
Love you ❤️

Don Toner - December 11, 2025 at 03:40 PM