



Dr. Larry Curtis Mitchell

October 9, 1948 - November 18, 2016

Dr. Larry Curtis Mitchell age 68, died at his home on Friday November 18, 2016. At the time of his death Larry had served as pastor of Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church in Forrest City for six years. Prior to that he had served churches in Georgia, Arkansas, Missouri, Texas and North Carolina.

Dr. Mitchell was born October 9, 1948 in Frankfort, Kentucky. He was the son of Leonard Mitchell and Catherine Brawner Mitchell. He had served, as a Presbyterian minister for most all of his life, was a member of the Forrest City Rotary Club and a member of the American Red Cross. Dr. Mitchell received his Masters of Divinity from Columbia Presbyterian Seminary in Decatur, Georgia and Doctorate of Ministry from Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary.

Dr. Mitchell married his wife Janice in 1989 and she survives him along with his mother Catherine Mitchell of Decatur, Georgia; a stepdaughter Ashley Bermingham and husband Jason of Little Rock, along with a granddaughter Mary Parker Bermingham. A sister Alesse Caye of Decatur also survives him.

A memorial service will be held at Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church, 402 East Dillard Avenue, Forrest City, Arkansas, at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29, 2016, with reception to follow at Pettus Hall in the Church. General Presbyter Stewart Smith and Dr. David Dyer will be officiating the

service. The family request memorials be made to Graham Memorial Church,
American Heart Association [donate.americanheart.org](https://www.americanheart.org) or to American
Diabetes Association www.diabetes.org/honor. Visit online registry at
stevensfuneralhome.net. Under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ Larry & Janice were very special to me while serving Mallard Creek Presbyterian church in Charlotte, NC. I talked on the phone many times after they left for Arkansas. I wish I could have done more for the two of them. Larry's request for greens as he was always asking for. I seasoned them a special way for his many health problems for which I tried to guide him as well. When I spoke on the phone with him shortly before his death he mentioned hoping to retire. And that's what he did. He retired to be with his God. As for Janice, She was always there for Larry and I will continue to keep her in my prayers.



Jackie Oehler - January 08, 2017 at 09:42 PM

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“ Larry and Janice Mitchell were a big part of our life at First Presbyterian in Victoria, Texas 1998-when they left for North Carolina. Attending our wedding in 1999, being there for the pain and healing from our motorcycle accident and the many times of dinners, parties, gatherings. Our hearts are broken for Janice and their family. He will remain on our hearts till we meet again in Gids glory. ...Steve and Glenda DeLeon, San Antonio, Texas

Glenda DeLeon - December 04, 2016 at 11:38 AM

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Glenda DeLeon - December 04, 2016 at 11:31 AM

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“ We are so saddened by the passing of Larry! He was such a Blessing while at Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church. Our sincere condolences to his family.
Ronnie and Brenda Oehler

Brenda Oehler - November 23, 2016 at 09:50 AM