



Moses Henry Richeson

March 23, 1910 - May 22, 2006

MOSES HENRY RICHESON was born on March 23, 1910, in Amherst County, Virginia to the late James D. and Mary F. Richeson. Deacon Richeson, as he would come to be known, was called to be with his heavenly father on May 22, 2006 after a short illness. Moses gave his life to the Lord at an early age when he joined the Piney Hill Baptist Church in Amherst County, Virginia. He later joined the Timothy Baptist Church also in Amherst County, Virginia, where he became a member of the Deacon Board in 1939. In addition to being a Deacon, Moses served in many other capacities in the Church, most notably, as Superintendent of the Sunday School for thirty-two years. Although Deacon Richeson retained his life membership at Timothy Baptist and always considered Timothy to be his home, he later served in the Sunday School and on the Deacon Board of the First Baptist Church, Coolwell, Virginia. Deacon Richeson attended school in Amherst County. Deacon Richeson spent his life as a loving husband, devoted father, and dedicated Christian. He was totally involved in family and community service. He was an active member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and worked hard for the betterment of all. He was a strong advocate for "getting a good education," and he always encouraged young folks to stay in school. He wanted the next generation to "do better than we did." Deacon Richeson engaged in a variety of career activities to provide food and shelter for his family. Farming, Carpentry, Hunting, Fishing, and Logging were among the many skills he mastered to help sustain his family. He was a

cheerful giver to Church and community both monetarily and personal labor, which he did so with a smile upon his face. He led a major project involving the rebuilding and various improvements to the Timothy Baptist Church and First Baptist Church. As one person put it, "Deacon Richeson never met a smile that he couldn't match with a bigger smile." His vegetable garden was his passion as his farmer skills carried over into a small patch of space in the back yard which he dutifully tilled right up to his illness. He received numerous citations for service to Church and community including a Certificate of Appreciation from the President of the United States, the State of Maryland, and various accolades from churches and community organizations throughout his life. Deacon Richeson married Jennie Andres Eubanks on November 15, 1933. From this union, six children were born, Thelma, Vasco, Moses, David, Harvey, and Homer. Deacon and Jennie Richeson were married for 55 years until Jennie's death in 1988. At the time of Jennie's death, Deacon and Jennie Richeson were resided in Baltimore County, Maryland, where they enjoyed a Christian experience with the Rising Sun First Baptist Church. Deacon Richeson continued his Christian experience with the Rising Sun First Baptist Church for several years until he was no longer able to actively participate in services. During that time, he met and married Daisy Lunn, and they were married six years. Deacon Richeson made numerous friends wherever he went and will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He most enjoyed returning to the Timothy Baptist Church for the annual homecoming service on the fourth Sunday in August. Deacon Richeson leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Daisy; sister, Laurie Ruth Coleman; three sons, David H. Richeson of Baltimore, Md., Harvey W. Richeson of Baltimore, Md., and Homer Leonard Richeson of Silver Spring, Md.; grandsons, David H. Richeson, Jr., LTJG Glenn David Richeson, USN, Torrence L. Richeson; granddaughters, Wanda Lynne Walker of Bowie, Md., Patrice Irick, Dr. Jennifer Richeson Ph.D., Chicago, Ill.; son-in-law, Donald Millard, Baltimore, Md.; daughters-in-law, Doretha Richeson of Washington, D.C., Gloria Richeson and Dorothy Richeson, Baltimore, Md.; several great grandchildren

and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Moses Henry Richeson*

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“ *We will miss you so much, but we know that God called you to be with him.....##imported-begin##Harvey & Dorothy##imported-end##*

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“ *We pray your strength in the Lord at this difficult time in your lives. May it comfort you to know that others care. Much Love to you and your family.##imported-begin##Tyrone & Sarah Bell##imported-end##*

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“ *To the family, I am sorry for your loss. May you cherish his memory. The bible has words of comfort. At 1Corinthians 15:26 it states, "As the last enemy death, is to be brought to nothing". God has promise to bring a permanent end to death and the pain that it causes. May the family find these words to be of comfort during this time.##imported-begin##Albert Washington##imported-end##*

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“ DEAR FAMILY, DEATH WAS NEVER A PART OF GOD'S ORIGINAL PURPOSE FOR MANKIND. BUT IN THE NEAR FUTURE WE WILL ALL EXPERIENCE THE FULFILLMENT OF HIS WORD AS THE EARTH BECOMES A GLOBAL PARADISE. DEATH WILL NO LONGER HARM THE HUMAN FAMILY EVER AGAIN. (ISAIAH 25:8 & PSALM 37:11,29)##imported-begin##MICHELLE##imported-end##

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“ Dear Dorothy And Harvey, For we know that all things work together for the good, for those that do love the Lord.. And to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord !! We pray that God will comfort your hearts.. God Bless, Laretta Tucker##imported-begin##Laretta Tucker##imported-end##

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“ To The Family, I am sorry for your loss and I offer my condolences. May the Lord smile upon you and keep you in this time of sorrow. Weeping may endure for a night but JOY comes in the morning... God Bless you all.##imported-begin##Tonya Mitchell##imported-end##

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“ Will miss you as you were the best neighbor for so long.##imported-begin##ken kovler##imported-end##

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“ Harvey & Dorothy; May the lord be with you and give you the strength to bear this difficult loss to your family. We will keep all of you in our prayers.##imported-begin##James & Blanche Chatman##imported-end##

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“ To the Richeson Family Our sincere condolences to you during this time of your loss. Your father was a remarkable “young” man. He brought to truth the meaning “age is nothing but a number.” He may have been in his 90s, but he had the spirit and tenacity of someone in his 40s. He looked forward to cutting his own grass in the springtime. He was the first one on the street to start shoveling snow after a snowstorm. We always say that should we be blessed to reach 80 or 90 we want to be like Mr. Richeson. He was so amazing. All of his neighbors on Croydon Road will truly miss him. Bill and Brenda Roberts##imported-begin##Bill and Brenda Roberts##imported-end##

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“ So sorry to hear about Mr. Richeson's passing. I'll miss his smile and friendly greeting whenever I would come over to take care of my late father, Richard Kovler, his next door neighbor. My deepest sympathy goes out to the Richeson family.##imported-begin##Dorothy Kovler Harris##imported-end##

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“ To Harvey and Dorothy. May the life he lived speak for him. He will be rewarded for his good works. Our deepest sympathy to the family. May God put comfort in your hearts in your hour of need.##imported-begin##Pastor and Mrs Harold A. Thompson (Barbara)##imported-end##

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“ To the family of Mr. Richeson, I offer my sincere sympathy. It truly is unfortunate that we experience the sorrow associated with the loss of one we love, even when that one has lived a long life, by our standards. Rest assured that God purposed for us to live a long eternal life and his purpose has not changed. He offers the resurrection hope (Acts 24:15) for those who have fallen asleep in death and the hope of life everlasting (Rev 21:3,4) for those who exercise faith (John 3:16). May this provide you with comfort now and in the days to come. Please contact me if you would like to discuss this wonderful promise further.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my condolences for your loss. Death is an event in our lives we cannot come to grips with, because it was never God's purpose for humans to die. That happened as a result of the sin of Adam and Eve. The consequences of their sin was death, which was passed on to us. Fortunately, because of Jehovah's great love and mercy towards us he made it possible through the precious blood of his dear son Jesus for us to be forgiven , and once again have an opportunity for eternal life in a paradise earth. As Jesus himself stated at John 10:10, "I have come so that they might have life and have it in abundance." So one day we can be with our loved ones again when Jehovah restores life back to them. Isaiah 25:8, Rev 21:3,4. Please find comfort in his promises.##imported-begin##R Johnaon##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ To the family and friends: Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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