

## Randolph Richardson

December 4, 1935 - May 25, 2017

Randolph Richardson Sr., son of the late Drue Bell and Sallie Richardson, was born in Halifax, North Carolina on December 4, 1935. He departed this life on Thursday, May 25, 2017 in Richmond, Virginia at age 81.

On August 7, 1954 he was united in holy matrimony to Velmarine Richardson. This union lasted for 62 years and was blessed with two sons and one daughter. He retired from Litton Office Products after 37 years of services as a truck driver. Some of his passions in life were bowling, working in his garden, doing yard work, going to church and spending time with his family.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Helen V. Richardson, Isabel Coley and Florine Hedgebeth; five brothers, Eugene Richardson Sr., Junious "Buddy" Richardson, Rafair Richardson, Willard Richardson, Sidney Richardson and one granddaughter Shynesha Richardson.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Velmarine Richardson; two sons, Randolph Richardson, Jr. (Joann) and Craig Richardson, Sr. (Sonya); one daughter, Arlette Richardson (Frankie); three grandchildren, Deshanda Richardson, Keshana Richardson and Craig Richardson, Jr.; four great-grandchildren, James Harvey Jr., Journee Harvey, Kingston Walker and Kasia Walker; one devoted friend, Lawrence Branch and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives.



# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane  
Richmond, VA 23222

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 31. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Service

JUN 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

Cedar Street Baptist Church of God  
2301 Cedar Street  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Tribute Wall

AR

“ Happy V day to my piece of heart in Heaven  
Miss you forever



Arlette Richardson - February 14 at 02:01 PM

AR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Arlette Richardson - December 28, 2025 at 12:07 AM

AR

“ Daddyyyyy just wanted to we wish you and  
mom a very Merry Xmas..Miss yall.so much  
Love yall forever 💕



Arlette Richardson - December 28, 2025 at 12:07 AM

RA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



RICHARDSON ARLETTE - December 04, 2025 at 10:31 AM

RA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



RICHARDSON ARLETTE - December 04, 2025 at 10:27 AM

RA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



RICHARDSON ARLETTE - December 04, 2025 at 10:27 AM

RA

“ Happy Heavenly birthday to the best dad ever..I'm sure you and mom will be celebrating..Enjoy Miss yall forever



RICHARDSON ARLETTE - December 04, 2025 at 10:26 AM

AR

“ Happy Father's day to the best dad ever..Thanks for choosing me to be your baby girl.. Miss you so much..Love u 4 ever ever and ever



Arlette Richardson - June 15, 2025 at 04:13 PM

AR

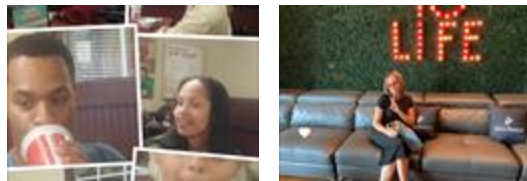
“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Arlette Richardson - April 25, 2025 at 02:04 AM

AR

“ Hello daddy,Grandaddy The best of best..Thanks for life and showing me the way..Didn't quite get it then but believe you me I get it now..SIP We miss you so much. 🤔😭💔💔🙏



Arlette Richardson - April 25, 2025 at 01:57 AM

AR

“ Merry Christmas dad. Love u 4 ever SIP This is not easy ❤️❤️❤️



Arlette Richardson - December 26, 2024 at 11:37 PM

AR

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Arlette Richardson - December 17, 2024 at 12:54 AM

RA

“ It was nice visiting you on your special day..Through it all I go through u always seem To make me smile..love always



RICHARDSON ARLETTE - December 05, 2024 at 03:20 AM

AR

“ Happy 90th Birthday daddy..Sweetest kindness the most caring man i know..Gone but never forgotten RIP

Arlette Richardson - December 04, 2024 at 12:10 PM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette Richardson - August 09, 2024 at 12:19 AM

AR

“ Happy Anniversary to my amazing parents and amazing you were..Best married couple..Filled with laughter and love and good times..Best couple Best parents and best teachers teaching life to your kids. I miss you guys so much. Go out and celebrate have a good time and continue to watch over us SIP

Arlette Richardson - August 09, 2024 at 12:19 AM

AR

“ Always us



Arlette Richardson - June 16, 2024 at 02:07 PM

AR

“ Happiest Father's day dad..Love and miss you so much..Enjoy your day 🍷💖💖💖



Arlette Richardson - June 16, 2024 at 12:25 PM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Randolph Richardson



---

**Arlette Richardson** - May 03, 2024 at 01:29 AM

AR

“ Happiest birthday to the best dad ever. Love and miss you always..

---

**Arlette Richardson** - December 04, 2023 at 12:10 AM

AR

“ Dad. Happy Father's day to the most understanding .hard working.family provider and sweetest man i no..Thank you for all the teaching and always having my back weather it was right wrong or indifferent. Please continue to watch over me Love u until we meet again Sip

---

**Arlette Richardson** - June 18, 2023 at 10:39 PM

AR

“ Hey daddy.. Missing you yesterday today tomorrow forever Love you Pops..Thanks for everything..

---

**Arlette Richardson** - November 17, 2022 at 12:36 AM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette Richardson - November 17, 2022 at 12:35 AM



“ Randolph Richardson

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

AR

“ Happy Valentine Day to the 1st man in my life..Dad miss you so much..My forever love Hugs and kisses

Arlette Richardson - February 14, 2022 at 04:38 PM

AR

“ Happy holidays daddy..Love you and miss you forever. SIP

Arlette richardson - December 31, 2021 at 11:44 AM

AR

“ HAPPY 86 BIRTHDAY DADDY. May u continue to RIP..You are so missed and loved to this very day Thank you daddy for the best life a kid could have. There was nothing I missed in life You and mommy had my back..Thanks for all the knowledge and advice Love u forever....

Arlette Richardson - December 06, 2021 at 04:00 AM

AR

“ Hey dad. Happy Thanksgiving to you and mom. Miss yall so much..this holiday is hard..SIP love yall

Arlette Richardson - November 24, 2021 at 09:59 PM

AR

“ Hey pops..Thinking about you Miss you dearly 🥺 Thank you for this wonderful life you gave me and all the things you taught me on life.. Appreciate you so much RIP 🙏💔

Arlette Richardson - September 24, 2021 at 02:12 AM

AR

“ Pops..what u doing? Miss you so much I worry a little less now about you not because I don't miss you but I no mom is taking good care of you Just like as always you are taking care of her also

Arlette Richardson - September 09, 2021 at 12:20 AM

AR

“ Hey pops Just checking on you Hope u and mom are chillin and talking about old times SIP Love u to the moon and back RIP

Arlette Richardson - July 14, 2021 at 03:58 PM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson lit a candle in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette Richardson - June 10, 2021 at 09:28 PM

AR

“ Pops u got your baby back..Just like old times love you guys

Arlette Richardson - June 10, 2021 at 09:28 PM

AR

“ Hey Dad Pops and all the above Happy Birthday.. Miss you today. U no how it go We would b at Outbak eating a blooming onion lol Well keep watching over us my angel and until we meet again Love you Always. Arlette



Arlette Richardson - December 04, 2020 at 01:02 PM

AR

“ Hey dad.. got you on my mind I am missing you..if you only knew..this world is so wicked..Glad to no u r in a good safe place Never thought u would leave me but I no it was inevitable until we meet again RIP lice you your one and only baby girl❤️❤️❤️👑

Arlette Richardson - October 24, 2020 at 09:47 PM

AR

“ Happy Fathers day dad Its been 3 years and u are still my light of the world Love you RIP till we meet again Arlette❤️❤️❤️

Arlette Richardson - June 21, 2020 at 09:16 AM

AR

“ Pops.. whz up Miss you so much Wish you were here,but really you are. Watching over us and always protecting us Things are really tough now continue to protect us and watch over us We need you now back then and always RIP Love you always

Arlette Richardson - May 14, 2020 at 01:37 AM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson lit a candle in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette Richardson - May 14, 2020 at 01:32 AM

AR

“ Miss you daddy U were and still are my heart  
Miss you watch over me I no u got me just like  
always RIP love u



Arlette richardson - February 21, 2020 at 01:06 AM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette richardson - February 21, 2020 at 01:03 AM

AR

“ Arlette Richardson lit a candle in memory of Randolph Richardson



Arlette richardson - February 21, 2020 at 01:00 AM

AR

“ *To Daddy*

---

**Arlette richardson** - January 10, 2018 at 02:48 AM

AR

“ *Arlette Richardson lit a candle in memory of Randolph Richardson*



---

**Arlette richardson** - January 10, 2018 at 02:46 AM

AR

“ *Arlette Richardson lit a candle in memory of Randolph Richardson*



---

**Arlette richardson** - January 10, 2018 at 02:46 AM

AR

“ Hey Dad I miss you so much 😭😭 I think about you all the time. But at peace to no u have no more pain no more heartache. U no why because that morning I came to c u before work and u we're drifting away I grabbed your hand and u didn't squeeze me back for the 1st time ever in life u have always had me by my hand in whatever I did in life was never afraid because I had u But guess what nothing change u still got me and I can promise u I won't let u down 😎😎 so after your tightness stop I knew u was on your way to a better place I gave u a hug and kiss and told u love u and that was the last time u heard your baby girl..Merry Xmas daddy and happy 2018 RIP until we meet again  
Love u Arlette

---

**Arlette richardson** - January 10, 2018 at 02:43 AM

KR

“ So far away now, but so dear and so close to my heart. I'll be missing you forever and always. I can't accept the fact you're gone. I won't. I wish I could see you and say goodbye the right way 1 last time. Where do broken hearts go? Well, Until we meet again I love you and will forever remember you and keep you close to me. Sleep peacefully. No more pain...With so much Love, Keshana



---

**Keshana Richardson** - June 02, 2017 at 06:58 AM

AS

“ To Keshana Richardson and Family:

*May the fond memories of your Grandfather bring you Strength,  
Comfort and Peace.*

*From your Co-Workers at VDH  
Debbie & Adrienne*

---

**Adrienne Stokes** - May 31, 2017 at 11:36 AM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

---

**March Funeral Homes** - May 30, 2017 at 05:32 PM