



Raymond Albert Richardson

November 18, 1933 - October 10, 2024

Raymond Albert Richardson was born on November 18, 1933 to the late Berthel and Haywood Richardson, Sr. in Richmond, Virginia. He was preceded in death by his brother, Haywood, Jr. Raymond accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at the First Baptist Church of South Richmond.

Raymond received his formal education from Richmond Public Schools, graduating from Armstrong High School and continuing on to graduate from Virginia Union University in 1960. During this time he was active in the civil rights movement by participating in the sit-in at the Woolworth's lunch counter. He was a member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity and also the Metropolitan Business League.

He was united in holy matrimony to the late Jean Parker and were married for 28 years. From this union they were blessed with four children.

Raymond enlisted in the United States Army and was honorably discharged in 1956. He was employed by Union Mutual Savings and Loan Company. He was also the owner of Ray's Seafood House for several years. He was then employed by C&P Telephone Company (Verizon) for over 20 years where he served as the first Black Customer Service Manager.

In his leisure Raymond enjoyed fishing, home projects and keeping his lawn

immaculately manicured. He leaves to cherish his memory one daughter, Raejeanna, three sons, Kevin, Sr. (Felicia), William (Traci) and Raymond; six grandchildren, Dominique, Sydni, Kevin, Jr., Tyrone, Joseph and Princess; several great-grandchildren; one nephew, Jerome Richardson; several cousins, one devoted, Patricia Upshaw.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

March Funeral Homes - November 02, 2024 at 11:52 AM



“ *March Funeral Homes created a To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Raymond Albert Richardson, Please Click the Link below. in memory of Raymond Albert Richardson*



March Funeral Homes - October 14, 2024 at 11:38 AM

VC

I waved across the fence to Raymond the day before. So glad I had the chance to say "good morning". Will miss you neighbor. Can only imagine how great your mornings are in heaven. My deepest condolences to the family. Vergie Cowans

Vergie Cowans - November 03, 2024 at 01:11 AM

JD

“ Hi, my name is Judy Davis . I am not sure how many years he was my boss . I work in the business office on Grace Street in Richmond. I know I have met a couple of family members and think his dad . I was calling him today to wish him a Happy Birthday and phone number not working. I talk to Ray a couple of times when a co-worker Linda Templeton pass . I was to let him know if they was doing anything for Linda no one let me know and I did let him know that . The way we always remember Ray was everyone thought he look like Sammy Davis Jr . I thought that to . Sorry this is so long , wish I had talk to him one more time . Ray was a very good boss . Always would come back and help us with our work sometimes. I had to put money bag together forbank he use to laugh because I am left hand , he would take over putting tie on money bag he thought I look funny doing it . I just wanted to let all of his family know he was a good person and a good boss . Sending you all love and prayers ❤️❤️🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏 . Also my daughter name now Tammy Holzbach was Tammy Davis . Ray would let her come to work with me when you could bring your kids but Ray also let her come a couple of time just because she like coming. Thankful for that



Judy Seymour Davis - November 18, 2024 at 12:21 PM

KP

“ In today's culture, the family dynamics have changed. We have our blood relatives and our love relatives. Today I'm thinking about my "Uncle" Raymond on what would've been his 91st birthday. Enjoy your heavenly birthday. Peace to the family.



Karen Pleasants - November 18, 2024 at 07:42 AM

SM

“ My Condolences go out to The Richardson Family, I'm so sorry for your loss, My prayers to all involved God Bless



sharon Miffin - October 31, 2024 at 10:11 AM

PF

“ Pleasants' Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond Albert Richardson.

Pleasants' Family - October 31, 2024 at 06:05 AM

TF

“ The Wilson and Thierry Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Raymond Albert Richardson.



The Wilson and Thierry Family - October 30, 2024 at 07:19 PM

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The Wilson and Thierry Family - October 30, 2024 at 07:19 PM

RC

“ *Roslyn De Cordova lit a candle in memory of Raymond Albert Richardson*



Roslyn de Cordova - October 30, 2024 at 05:12 PM



“ *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 - October 14, 2024 at 11:37 AM

MV

To the Richardson Family; you have my heartfelt condolences during this time. May your family reflect on those memories shared by Mr. Richardson and let it bring joy and smiles to your continence. I will continue to pray for your strength and may the peace of God rest with you during your bereavement. Love, Miranda Valentine-Fife and Family.

Miranda Valentine-Fife - October 15, 2024 at 10:45 AM