



Richard Leslie Harris, Jr.

May 10, 1936 - November 8, 2011

Richard Leslie Harris, Jr. entered into eternal rest on November 8, 2011 at Johnston Willis Hospital, after a lengthy illness. He was born in Montpelier, Virginia on May 10, 1936 to the parents of the late Richard and Lynwood Harris.

Richard was baptized at Bethany Baptist Church in Montpelier at an early age. The family later move to Glen Allen and resided on Mountain Road. Richard is a graduate of Virginia Randolph High School. He received his Bachelor of Arts from Virginia Union University and his Masters of Education from Virginia State University. Richard was a dedicated employee of the Henrico County Public School System for 32 years. During his tenure he served as a Teacher, Assistant Principal, Principal, and Director of Education until retirement in 1991.

Richard was a member of St. Peter Baptist Church, Glen Allen, Va. where he served as a trustee and was a member of the Senior Choir. He was also a member of Limelight Lodge #301, and a trustee for the Virginia Randolph Foundation. Richard was an avid fisherman and hunter. He also loved animals and gardening.

Richard met Elizabeth Lynn Carter, the love of his life, at Virginia Union University in 1956. They married on June 20, 1959. The union was blessed

with one daughter, Kimberly Nicole in 1973. In addition to his devoted wife and daughter, Richard leaves to cherish his memories a loving and devoted son-in-law, Toby Jones; two grandchildren, Tyler and Kristina; two brothers-in-law, James Carter (Gloria) of South Carolina and Harold Carter (Shirley) of Pennsylvania and a host of devoted nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memory Gardens

13389 Mountain Road
Glen Allen, VA 23059

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV **14**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

NOV **14**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

NOV **15**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Leslie Harris, Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I grew up living across the road from Richard and Elizabeth. He was Brodee's friend as well as my Mom's neighbor. He helped me stay out of trouble during my early years. I will never forget the tree in Richard's yard!! Our prayers go out to your family in their time of loss*

Always, Yvettee Johnson and Bre'Onne

YaVettee G Johnson- Lynch - November 15, 2011 at 03:01 PM



“ *(John 5:28, 29) Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life, those who practiced vile things to a resurrection of judgement.*

Trusting in Jehovah and his Promises will bring you comfort and strengthen you on this journey. Let His word lighten your path and his peace fill your heart.

My Deepest Sympathy

M. Johnson - November 12, 2011 at 11:49 AM

MS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.”— ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - November 10, 2011 at 11:29 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 - November 09, 2011 at 05:09 PM