



Thomas Richardson Sr.

January 8, 1928 - July 2, 2019

Thomas Richardson Sr. was born on January 8, 1928 in Rocky Mount, North Carolina to the late Theodore Richardson and Annie Richardson. On Tuesday, July 2, 2019 God peacefully welcomed his angel home after 91 beautiful years of life.

As a young boy, Thomas attended Booker T. Washington High School in Rocky Mount, North Carolina. He was athletic, playing various sports such as football and baseball. After graduating, Thomas decided to join the service. In 1946 he joined the U.S. Air Force where he served four years. Thomas was honorably discharged in 1949.

In 1949, Thomas moved to Baltimore, Maryland where he met the love of his life, the late Maebelle Richardson and were married for over 50 years. Thomas accepted Christ as his personal Savior and was a faithful member of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church where the Pastor is Bishop Clifford Johnson. He had a very special calling of being the doorkeeper. He served in this special role of being an Ambassador (Usher) for over 50 years, until his health forced him to step down.

In 1961, Thomas was employed by the Patuxent State Institution in Jessup, Maryland. He was known as the "Rock". He retired after 33 years of service as a Captain. Thomas took on various jobs thereafter to keep busy. He

enjoyed watching baseball games and listening to music on his hand held radio.

Thomas was a loving and devoted father, grandfather and he loved the Lord. He was fondly called "Pop Pop" by those who loved him. Thomas had a generous soul and was always willing to lend helping hand.

Thomas leaves to cherish his memory: children: Carolyn, Vanstory, Thomas Jr. (Audrey) and Sheila who preceded him in death; one brother, Grady who also preceded him death: devoted grandchildren Timmy, Gregory, Thomas III and Donte (Maquita): great-granddaughter, Marleigh, brother in law, Linwood Watson (Sherrill), adopted son, Leroy Coates and a host grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

viewing

JUL 11. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

JUL 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

JUL 12. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Nazarene Baptist Church
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Balto, MD

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas Richardson Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Carolyn, sorry for the loss of your Father*

Hill

W T Hill - July 11, 2019 at 01:43 PM



“ *“Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal”. Expressing condolences and prayers to Carolyn and the Richardson family. May God bless and comfort you. Phyllis Polston & Family*

Phyllis Polston - July 11, 2019 at 10:48 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.*

Sheila Justice, Martha Justice, Carolyn Justice Gray

(From your cousins in Rocky Mount, NC)



Sheila Justice - July 10, 2019 at 10:09 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas Richardson Sr..*



July 08, 2019 at 10:29 AM



“ *Condolences to the family and I know that he be missed by all. I sounded the alarm for you this weekend and I know that you heard it. Rest In Peace my friend.*



John and Doris Joyner - July 07, 2019 at 11:27 PM



“ *My Brother In Law Thomas Richardson, Sr. Is now resting in Heaven with God, his wife (Maebelle) and his daughter (Sheila). I will miss you Thomas. !!!*



*Earl & Sherrill Watson
Raleigh, NC*

Earl & Sherrill Watson - July 07, 2019 at 11:04 PM



Mr. Thomas may you rest in peace. You are with your daughter your wife and you are heaven. Your work is done here. Fly high Mr. Thomas



Gwendolyn Bellamy-Williams - July 09, 2019 at 03:22 PM

BF

“ *Bernadette Clark & FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Thomas Richardson Sr.*



Bernadette Clark & FAMILY - July 07, 2019 at 10:07 PM

FR

“ *Nothing is 'loss' if you know where it is. Moving day is a good thing if you have someplace to go. Brother Richardson is living large in his new heavenly mansion with our Lord. He was a humble man and a great church usher at Mount Pleasant Church. As he reunites with his loving wife, daughter, and others. We will miss him. But he now has new eyes to see as he looks upon the Savior's face. Well done, good and faithful soldier...well done.*



Floyd rice - July 05, 2019 at 12:55 AM

BH

Be comforted, family of Thomas Richardson, your loved one is where he longer to be. He is in the presence of the Lord, no longer concerned with the things of this life. No pain, no sorrow, no more years.

Barbara E. Holmes - July 05, 2019 at 10:44 AM

BH

No pain, no sorrow, no more years.

Barbara E. Holmes - July 05, 2019 at 10:46 AM

BH

Tears

Barbara E. Holmes - July 05, 2019 at 10:46 AM

RD

“ *My condolences to the Richardson family; Uncle Thomas was always kind and a role model. Him and his wife impacted my life with such great memories. How they would help people where ever they would go. A beautiful family my cousins. Love you.*

Redia Daniels-Bias

Redia Daniels-Bias - July 04, 2019 at 03:00 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 - July 03, 2019 at 01:37 PM