



## Harry Lee Richardson

July 22, 1953 - February 8, 2021

Harry L. Richardson, 67, resident of Spout Springs Community, Ripley, MS, passed away Monday, February 8, 2021 at Magnolia Regional, Corinth, MS, after an extended illness.

There will be a private funeral and graveside service at Spout Springs Presbyterian Church, Ripley, MS, on February 10, 2021 at 1:00 PM. Due to Covid-19 there will be no visitation before the service. Bro. Chuck Carroll will officiate with Bro. Richie Lockhart giving opening remarks. Joe Duncan will give the eulogy. Bro. Brad Chandler will conduct the graveside service. Arrangements for the service will be provided by McBride Funeral Home, Ripley, MS.

Mr. Richardson was born July 22, 1953, in Ripley, MS to the late Jeff and Sarah Nance Richardson. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Lana Davis Richardson; his son, Jeff Richardson (wife Kayla); two grandchildren, Lee Davis and Mackenzie Richardson all of Spout Springs Community; and one sister, Shirley Richardson Lockhart of Ripley, MS. In addition, he leaves his brothers-in-law, Ronnie Davis (wife Mona) and Charles Hodges of Booneville, MS. He also leaves a host of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his brother-in-law, Tommy Lockhart, his sister-in-law Dianne Davis Hodges and special friends Buck Tatum, Jr. and F.L.

(Spud) Rowell.

Since he was a young boy, Harry had been a member of the Spout Springs Presbyterian Church. Mr. Richardson was a dedicated employee of the Mississippi Department of Transportation for 45 years planning to retire in June 2021. He owned Triple R Farms, and it gave him great pleasure along with his blue heelers and cattle. His greatest pleasure, however, was spending time with his best buddy, Lee Davis, and his little lady, Mackenzie. At night you might find him watching his favorite TV series, M\*A\*S\*H or a St. Louis Cardinal baseball game. He was a member of the American Legion and Board President of Spout Springs Volunteer Fire Department.

Pallbearers are Randy Hood, Bill Jamieson, Ronnie Childs, Charles Plaxico, Mike Johnson, Larry Richardson, Rickey Hodum and Mark Johnson. Honorary Pallbearers are Ronnie Davis, Joe Duncan, Mark Duncan, Charles Childs, Joe Childs, Ray Crow, Jr., Dennis Grisham, Rob Elliott, Price Elliott and Ray Crawford.

In lieu flowers, memorials may be made to a charity of the family and friends' choice.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Harry Lee Richardson*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *Patricia Coleman lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



Patricia Coleman - February 11, 2021 at 10:28 PM



*Lana, I am so sorry for your loss. I think of you often and remember the wonderful times we spent together in and out of the classroom. Love you so much and will be praying for you and Jeff.*

Patricia Coleman - February 11, 2021 at 10:33 PM



*Thank you, Patricia, for the kind words. We did have some wonderful times!*

Lana Richardson - February 13, 2021 at 09:48 AM



“ *Lana, Shirley and family I am so very sorry for your loss! I was blessed to have Lana and Harry in my life as a teenager and Shirley in the Lockhart family. I wish you God's strength in the coming days!*



Becky Lockhart Smith - February 11, 2021 at 04:48 PM

LR

*Aww..sweet, Becky! Thank you so much!*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 13, 2021 at 09:50 AM

SR

“ *To the entire family of Harry Richardson from the entire family of F.L. "Spud" Rowell; I am having difficulty finding the right words. I know Harry was one of dad's favorite people. Harry is held in very high regard throughout our family. Our hearts are full love and sadness for your loss. We know how much you all will miss him. But a cheerful reunion is happening in Heaven. Their laughter is loud and full of joy. They are remembering the good times they had over the many years of their friendship. Playing softball, working the cattle and the cotton and just telling stories of "back when". May God grant you all Peace and Comfort during this time. Consider us family and we are here for you.*

*With much Love,  
The Rowell Family*

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**Sherri Rowell** - February 11, 2021 at 11:05 AM

LR

*Sherri, thank you! How we all love you and your family! Spud was such a good friend to Harry. I know he loved him like a brother. And I agree they are having an awesome reunion in Heaven! Harry entertained a lot of nurses telling funny stories of the softball days and all those stories included Spud. Your kind words will never be forgotten.*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 13, 2021 at 09:58 AM

MH

“ Lana, Jeff, and family, I was deeply saddened to hear that Harry had passed. He has been such a good friend and inspiration to me during my tenure at MDOT. In my view he is an MDOT legend that will not soon be forgotten.

*Praying for comfort for your family.*

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**Mark Holley** - February 10, 2021 at 08:21 AM

LR

*Thank you, Mark, for the kind words, He always spoke so highly of you and thought of you as a friend. He loved his job at MDOT and hated to retire because he enjoyed the people he worked with, and I know you were one of those people. I so appreciate your comments and thoughts, Thank you so much.*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 11, 2021 at 07:09 AM



“ *Mary Martin lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



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**Mary Martin** - February 09, 2021 at 08:27 PM

LR

*Thank you so much!*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 11, 2021 at 07:10 AM

SM

“ Mrs. Lana, We are so sorry to hear of Mr. Harry's passing. Billy wears the cap Mr. Harry gave him all the time. We had such a great visit with him when we purchased the grain cart. He seemed so happy to be retiring soon and spoke so much of you and the family. Please know we are thinking of you and praying for y'all during this time. A few weeks ago I was talking about all the fun times when you were my teacher. We pray you'll feel the love and support of your friends and family in the coming days.

*Billy & Sandy Coleman Mitchell  
Kossuth, MS*

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**Sandy C Mitchell** - February 09, 2021 at 01:11 PM

LR

*Sandy and Billy, Harry came back to the house laughing and talking about what a good time he had with y'all. Sandy, we did have some good times and ones I remember well. I appreciate your kinds words. Friends mean so much at a time like this. Thanks!*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 09, 2021 at 09:12 PM

LW

“ *Lois Watson lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



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**Lois Watson** - February 09, 2021 at 10:47 AM

LR

*Thank you so much. Lana*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 09, 2021 at 12:24 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Sartor Ford lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



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**Sandra Sartor Ford** - February 08, 2021 at 11:06 PM

LR

*Thank you, Sandra!*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 09, 2021 at 12:25 PM

CS

*Lana, Jeff, Shirley and family. We were so sorry to hear of Harry's passing. I remember him more as that little red headed boy who use to spend so much time at our house playing with Tommy. We know your heart is broken. Just trust God and He will give you strength day after day. We love you all. Carolyn Rogers Sanderson snd Ken*

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**Carolyn Sanderson** - February 09, 2021 at 05:11 PM

LR

*Thank you, Carolyn. Couldn't count how many times he has mentioned the Rogers family! I appreciate your thoughts.*

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**Lana Richardson** - February 09, 2021 at 09:49 PM

JS

“ *Jackie & Polly Stokes lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



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**Jackie & Polly Stokes** - February 08, 2021 at 07:35 PM

LR

*Thank you, Polly and Jackie!*

Lana Richardson - February 09, 2021 at 12:26 PM

DR

“ *Harry was a joy to work with at MDOT. He will forever be in my good memories.*

Don Roberts - February 08, 2021 at 01:07 PM

LR

*Don Roberts! Thank you for your kind words. You know how much you meant to all of us!*

Lana Richardson - February 09, 2021 at 12:27 PM

DR

*Lana I'm so sorry for your loss. I wish I could take the hurt away. I will pray for peace that surpasses all understanding.*

Don Roberts - February 09, 2021 at 01:00 PM

WC

“ *WEST RIPLEY BAPTIST CHURCH sent a virtual gift in memory of Harry Lee Richardson*



WEST RIPLEY BAPTIST CHURCH - February 08, 2021 at 12:54 PM

LR

*Thank you so much!*

Lana Richardson - February 09, 2021 at 12:28 PM