



## John Curtis Richardson

February 4, 1924 - March 15, 2009

Walnut, Mississippi---Mr. John Curtis Richardson passed away March 15, 2009 at the Green Houses at Traceway Manor in Tupelo, MS:

He was a retired educator, businessman and farmer. He was a United States Army veteran, serving during WWII, Korean conflict and the MS National Guard #114. He was a long time active member of Walnut First United Methodist Church where he taught Sunday School and served in several leadership positions and in his later years, he and his wife faithfully attended Harmony Baptist Church in Walnut, MS:

His survivors include one daughter: Dianne Richardson Guyton (Dr. Barney) of Tupelo, MS: Four grandchildren: Missy Guyton Ewing (Jamie), Joey Guyton (Kerri), John Hudson Guyton (Michelle) and Emily Guyton all of Tupelo, MS: Three great-grandchildren: Parks, Hannah, Miles Guyton all of Tupelo, MS:

He was preceded in death by his wife: Billie Luna Richardson: His parents: John Henry and Callie McElwain Richardson: One sister and Three brothers:

Pallbearers will be: Jamie Ewing, John Guyton, Joey Guyton, Mike Sanders, Larry White, David Chambers, Bob Johnson, Larry Baird:

Honorary pallbearers will be: Members of the National Guard Unit #114 which

is Will Ed Norton, Bootsy Box, Julius Mathis, Artie Windham, Jerry Conley, Hugh Butler, Buddy McMillin, Jimmy Braddock, Truman Gates, Joe Skinner: Other Honorary Pallbearers will be: Kay Kilzer, Mary Martindale, Patty Jackson, Elaine McAfee, Vicky Skinner, Clifford Porterfield, Mac Pannell, John McElwain, Howard Miskelly, William Winter, Sam Waggoner:

To send flowers to the family of John Richardson, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Curtis Richardson*

October 05, 2023 at 12:14 PM



“ *I have nothing but pleasant memories of Mr. Curtis Richardson. My prayers are with you.*

**Ken Wilbanks** - March 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear about Mr. Richardson. He taught me science when I went to Falkner. I can still remember as he graded papers at his desk in front of the class with his head down you would hear him say, " I can hear eyeballs clicking". You can imagine the look on our faces because we didn't know eyeballs made a noise when they moved. This was his way to let us know he knew what was going on. He was truly one of the greatest and I am very fortunate to have had him as a teacher and a friend.  
God Bless....Ronnie Crum*

**Ronnie Crum** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our prayers are with John and Michelle and all the Guyton and Richardson family.*

**Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kopp and Aislinn Kopp** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Richardson and Guyton families.*

**Chris and Carra Turner** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*

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**Joyce Turner** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *We are so sorry to hear about the loss of Mr. Richardson. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. God Bless,  
Pam*

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**Pam Johnson Fry** - March 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *Diane,*

*I am sorry to hear about the loss of your father. You and your family will be in our prayers.*

*Felicia Garrett*

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**David and Felicia Garrett** - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Mr Curtis will be greatly missed. I worked for James Otis Smith for years and Mr Curtis and Mrs. Billie were regulars. I would always get so tickled at them when the time would change. He would bring every vehicle they had to the service station for me to set the radio clocks. They were both wonderful people. You and your family are in my prayers.*

*Melinda Mathis Crum*

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**Melinda Mathis Crum** - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ We were so sorry to hear of Curtis's death. He was such a fine gentleman & will be greatly missed. Our thoughts & prayers are with the family at this time of loss.

*Pensacola, Florida*

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**Wilma, Terry & Greg Gunn** - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ We are thinking of you and praying for your comfort during your time of sorrow.

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**David and Sheree Walden** - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Dear Family,  
You have my deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one.  
Curtis was a fine gentleman and a pillar in our community. He will be missed by all.  
My thoughts and prayers are with you in this difficult time.

*Pat Hines*

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**Mrs. Harold (Pat) Hines** - March 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ Dianne,

*your Dad taught me Chemistry at Falkner High School. He was the most patient teacher that I had ever had and I learned so much from him about Chemistry, but more about how to be a teacher. I am sorry for your loss of this wonderful man.*

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**Donna Lancaster Newby** - March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM