



## Richard J. Thompson Jr.

May 14, 1957 - April 9, 2024

Richard J. Thompson Jr., son of the late Clarice (Sheppard) Carter and the late Richard J. Thompson Sr., was born Tuesday, May 14, 1957, in Washington, D.C.

Richard attended Dunbar High School in D.C. and was a self-employed entrepreneur in brick masonry and apartment management. Richard was a Washington Commanders Fan (formerly known as the Washington Redskins). Along with football, he loved boxing, cooking, jazz music, reading books, poetry and working at the garage. Most importantly, he loved his family and time spent with his family. He was united in Christian fellowship with Church Without Walls.

In Washington, D.C., on Tuesday, April 9, 2024, Richard departed this life at sixty-six years of age joining in eternal life his parents, his brother, Bernard Jefferson, and a host of aunts and uncles.

Richard J. Thompson Jr. leaves to cherish special memories his aunt, Iola Washington; his siblings, Sharon Forrester of Kansas, Michael Thompson Sr., Harrisburg, Maryland, Mary Butts, Maryland, Melvin Sheppard and Curtres Lawson, both of Harrisburg, and Andre Sheppard of Maryland, along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other family members and friends.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

# Cemetery Details

## Paxtang Cemetery.

490 North Paxtang Avenue  
Harrisburg, PA 17111

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

APR 22. 8:30 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.  
106 Agnes St  
Harrisburg, PA 17104  
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## Viewing

APR 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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APR **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest Condolences to the Family. Richard will be miss. Memories of Richard he always called me sweetie he was an excellent neighbor and he was strongly be missed love you Richard  
Veronica Lewis ❤️

Veronica Lewis - April 22, 2024 at 11:05 AM

MH

“ Mr. Richard was such a great guy, friend and neighbor last Mother's Day. He made it very special for my sisters and I we were filling down because we lost our mother a few years back and he made sure that we felt important and gave us flowers and some good seafood it made our day it put that smell that we were missing for so many years on our face he will forever be missed with all the good memories, it leaves no room for tears because I know that he is at peace. His heart was pure. He valued friendship, family and his neighbors downtown and he loved us all so I will smile every time I think of him he would have it no other way.

Michael Hill - April 20, 2024 at 09:36 AM

PR

“ Mr. Richard, you will be truly missed. I have so many good memories with him I can write a book. Mr. Richard was the lieutenant of complex building and he looked out for everyone. This man deserves a medal for his contribution to the community. I'll always remember him. Rest well Mr. Richard ☐🕊️

priscilla - April 20, 2024 at 06:27 AM

MH



Michael Hill - April 20, 2024 at 09:37 AM

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“ *My dearest Freind you will be truly miss I will always have you and my heart ❤️ the DuBois Shoffner Family*

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**Leivada Shoffner** - April 19, 2024 at 11:29 AM