



Earl D. Richardson

January 6, 1924 - August 18, 2010

Funeral services for Earl Daniel Richardson, 86, will be held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, August 21, 2010 at Wesley United Methodist Church. The Rev. Fran Elrod will officiate with burial at 3:30 p.m. in Shiloh United Methodist Church Cemetery, Marion, SC, directed by Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home. The family will receive friends Friday, August 20, 2010 from 4-6 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Wesley United Methodist Church, 145 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC 29550.

Mr. Richardson died Wednesday, August 18, 2010. Born in Marion Co., SC, he was a son of the late Pearlie and Georgia Martin Richardson. He was an active member of Wesley United Methodist Church. He served in the U. S. Navy during World War II, retired from Sonoco Products Company, and was the former owner of Yogi Bear Honey Fried Chicken. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather.

Surviving are his wife of 65 years, Jewel Perritt Richardson of Hartsville, SC; daughters, Janice (Cliff) Gibson of Flowery Branch, GA, Dianne (Danny) Wright of Summerville, SC, Cheryl Gibson of Hartsville, SC; sister, Margaret Collins of Mullins, SC; grandchildren, Allison (Jonathan) Burgess of Cumming, GA, Elizabeth (Michael) Johnson of Canton, GA, Wes (Kali) Knight of Hartsville, SC, Dan (Jennifer) Wright of Summerville, SC, Kathleen Gibson of Atlanta, GA; 5 great-grandsons.

Tribute Wall



“ Cheryl and family, I am so sorry to learn of your dad's passing. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jocelyn Sanderson##imported-end##

August 22, 2010 at 04:25 PM



“ Dear Family,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. We are praying for you all. We pray that you will be able to recall the times that made the most precious memories in your lives together as a family, and that GOD will give give you comfort in this very difficult time. We all know GOD can give give you peace that surpasses all understanding.
Sincerely,
Mary Frances and Linda##imported-begin##Mary Stewart and Linda Knorr##imported-end##

August 21, 2010 at 09:45 AM



“ SO SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS. WE HAVE YOU IN OUR PRAYERS.##imported-begin##TUB AND CAROL BEASLEY##imported-end##

August 20, 2010 at 09:15 PM



“ Cheryl and family I am so sorry to hear at Mr. Richardson passing. I will keep you in my prayers. Cheryl if you need to talk to me anytime call. I love you !##imported-begin##Betsy Gibson Moore##imported-end##

August 20, 2010 at 06:14 PM



“ To the family, I am sorry to hear of your loss, it is my thoughts and prayers that God will wrap His arms around you and give you the peace and comfort that you need to face the difficult days that are ahead of you, Sincerely, Grady O'Neal###imported-begin##Grady O'Neal-LifeCare Hospice of SC###imported-end##

August 20, 2010 at 12:24 PM



“ Mrs. Richardson, I am so sorry for your loss. Anyone could see how very much you and Mr. Richardson loved each other. I will be praying for you and your family during this very difficult time.###imported-begin##Stacy Legg (Rite Aid Pharmacy)###imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 10:13 PM



“ I know it has been a lifetime ago, but I still remember Mr. Richardson's laugh from 1968-69. I also remember him being a very hard worker. To not have seen someone for so many years and to still remember such fine traits...is a tribute to him. GOD bless you all. I was the guy in the Yogi Bear outfit who danced and handed out suckers when Yogi Bear first opened.###imported-begin##Wayne Jones###imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 09:17 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Each of you are in my thoughts and prayers. Find comfort in knowing that God has welcomed Mr. Earl to a better home where there is no pain and suffering.
love to all
Diane###imported-begin##Diane Howle###imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 07:47 PM



“ Dear family, Our love and prayers are with you at this time of loss. May God shelter you with his everlasting peace.##imported-begin##Harry and Paula Murph##imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 07:31 PM



“ What a special man. I am so sorry for your loss but I am certainly glad I was able to have known him. I always look forward to visiting with him when we would go to clean. He loved each one of you dearly and you were all blessed to have had him for so many years. I pray now that you each have the comfort in knowing that he now has no pain and he has his mansion that was prepared for him. Keeping you all in my prayers as the days ahead will be difficult and asking that God comfort you all. Love in Christ, Jill Kelley##imported-begin##Jill Kelley##imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 06:09 PM



“ Cheryl, I am sorry to hear about the death of your father. I will keep you and your family in my prayers. May God give you the strength to face the days ahead and may he wrap his loving arms around you and keep you in his care.##imported-begin##Barbara King Lee##imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 05:12 PM



“ Cheryl, I was so sorry to learn of your loss of your father. My prayers are with you and your family during this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Billie McManus##imported-end##

August 19, 2010 at 04:39 PM



“ *Sending my love and prayers to each of you in the loss of Mr. Yogi...##imported-begin##laura crouch##imported-end##*

August 19, 2010 at 10:35 AM