



Anne W. Richardson

May 18, 1937 - March 17, 2019

Jamestown, NC: Ann Wallace Richardson, 81, formerly from Bluefield, WV, passed peacefully away on Sunday March 17, 2019, at her home surrounded by her family and dedicated healthcare providers. She had bravely battled Parkinson's disease for more than 20 years.

Ann was born on May 18, 1937, in Northfork, WV, to William Ward and Maurine "Mimi" Elizabeth Sackett Wallace. Ann and her mother later moved to Bluefield where she graduated from Beaver High School. She married Jack Richardson on January 12, 1956.

Her work career included the General Telephone Company and the family business, Richardson Motors. Raising four very active children, she gained a great deal of practical experience in nursing and emergency medicine. Once the children were grown, she pursued a life-long dream in clinical nursing at Bluefield State College. Following her graduation with a degree in nursing, she worked at Bluefield Regional Hospital until her retirement.

For many years, Ann was an active member of Trinity United Methodist Church, in Bluefield, and participated in several different Women's Circles. She was also an active member of the Bluefield Quota Club. For the past 10 years she and her husband Jack have lived in Jamestown, NC.

She enjoyed gardening, spending time with her family, loving and spoiling her grandchildren and great grandchildren and especially teaching them how to fish.

Ann was preceded in death by her mother, father and stepfather, Russell B.

Bodell.

She is survived by her husband of 63 years, R. Jack Richardson; step-sister Lynda Bodell Gentry (Hal) of Old Hickory, TN; son R. Jack Richardson, Jr. (Debbie) of Jamestown, NC; son Rusty Richardson (Kathy) of Lebanon, TN; David Richardson (Donna) of Pickens, SC; daughter Julie Richardson Phillips (Richard) of Oak Ridge, NC; 10 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers will include Trey Richardson, Justin Richardson, Tommy Richardson, Ned Phillips, Cole Richardson, and Bruce Puckett. (Alternates could include Billy Carr, Eddie Putnam, Cooper Richardson, Mike Smith, Corey Sharpe, and Jimmy Rasche)

The family will receive friends on Tuesday March 19, 2019 from 6 to 8 at the Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions to the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, P.O. Box 5014, Hagerstown, MD 21741-5014. www.michaeljfox.org or Trellis Supportive Care, 101 Hospice Lane, Winston Salem, NC 27103 or Trinity United Methodist Church. 401 College Ave. Bluefield, WV 24701.

The funeral service will be held at Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory on Wednesday March 20, 2019 at 2:00 PM. Interment will follow at Monte Vista Park Cemetery in Green Valley.

Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting www.MercerFuneralHome.com. Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Ann Richardson.

Cemetery Details

Monte Vista Park Cemetery

Bluefield, WV 24701

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 19. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel
1231 West Cumberland Road
Bluefield, WV 24701

Funeral Service

MAR 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel
1231 West Cumberland Road
Bluefield, WV 24701

Tribute Wall



“ Anne W. Richardson

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ David, Julie, Rusty, and Jack,
What a special service to remember and honor a beautiful, sweet, and loving Mother! She is so proud of you all and no wonder! I recall her being the “keep calm and carry on Mom”; she was always the same-sweet and kind to everyone. May the many wonderful memories you all have be a source of comfort in the weeks and months ahead. Thinking of you with love and prayers,
Elaine (Robinette) Hincer



Elaine Hincer - March 21, 2019 at 04:21 PM



“ My sympathies and prayers for Jack and the Richardson family. I hate terribly not being able to attend the visitation or service. I loved Ann like a second mom. I have missed her so much since their move. I always thought we would meet up in Jamestown and then life got in the way. Barbara and Wayne Green



Barbara Pruett Green - March 21, 2019 at 01:32 PM

AS

“ I have known Anne and Jack for over a year now. I enjoyed spending my days with Anne and keeping her company. She had an infectious smile and great stories to tell. Mawmaw will always be apart of my life as well as the Richardson family. To pawpaw and the rest of the family I am so glad to have met you all and have you in my life. I'm sorry I could not make it out today, but I am thinking of you all. Love y'all.
Allie S.

Allie S. - March 20, 2019 at 09:41 AM

MS

“ David, please know that I am thinking of you and your family.

Sincerely, Marsha Smith

Marsha Smith - March 19, 2019 at 06:16 PM

RA

“ To the whole family, I thought the world of your mother and am praying for you all in this time of loss and grief. I wish I could have been there in person but know that my thoughts and heart are with you.

Randy Albert - March 19, 2019 at 06:12 PM

BG

“ We send our condolences to the family of Anne. She was a wonderful person and she will be greatly missed.
Ben and Sandy Gay

Ben and Sandy Gay - March 19, 2019 at 02:53 PM

LS

“ so very sorry for your loss. You all will be in my prayers. Larry Skeens

Larry Skeens - March 19, 2019 at 10:26 AM

DM

“ David and Glenda Miller purchased the Beautiful i
n Blue for the family of Anne W. Richardson.



David and Glenda Miller - March 19, 2019 at 10:06 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of
Anne W. Richardson.



March 19, 2019 at 09:54 AM

DD

“ My heartfelt love and sympathy to my Uncle Jack, Jack Jr., Rusty,
David and Julie and your whole extended beautiful families. My
Aunt Anne was such a beautiful, kind and loving person and she will
be dearly missed. May your memories bring you much comfort.
Love you all! Diana Richardson Dalton

Dalton Diana - March 18, 2019 at 10:09 PM

PH

“ *Phil, Richard & Harry purchased the A New Sunrise Spray for the family of Anne W. Richardson.*



Phil, Richard & Harry - March 18, 2019 at 07:26 PM

SS

“ *My thoughts and prayers for ya all hugs xoxoxo*

Sharon Ann Shumate Putnam ❤️❤️❤️❤️

sharon ann shumate - March 18, 2019 at 07:14 PM

BB

“ *My fondest memories growing up was Bluefield...it was always the highlight seeing Ann and Mimi. My heart is sad but filled with joy too with fun memories of a wonderful lady.*

Brad Bingham - March 18, 2019 at 03:38 PM

PH

“ *Per and Elisabeth Sandberg and Cathy Hicks purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Anne W. Richardson.*



Per and Elisabeth Sandberg and Cathy Hicks - March 18, 2019 at 02:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anne W. Richardson.*



March 18, 2019 at 01:03 PM



“ *Jack and Family,
My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. I have many fond memories of Anne and our growing up years in West Virginia!
Blessings,
Lynn McKenzie*

Lynn McKenzie - March 18, 2019 at 12:15 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Anne W. Richardson.*



March 18, 2019 at 09:31 AM



“ *Sincere thoughts and prayers to the Richardson Family ~ may warm memories of her love and beauty surround each of you.
Blessings,
Alice Ann Kammer Sarver & Family*

Alice Ann Kammer Sarver - March 18, 2019 at 08:32 AM

LP

“ Anne was my dear friend and study buddy all through Nursing school. Her house was closer to Bluefield State College so we would go there after class to study. I couldn't have done it without her. Then I worked with her at BRMC, which was a joy. Rest in peace Anne.
Jack, sending love and prayers to you and your family.

Lana Pentasuglia - March 18, 2019 at 08:32 AM

LL

“ Jack, Jack Jr, Debbie and family,
Steve and I have all of you in our thoughts and prayers. Anne will be missed by many. She raised a great family.

Steve and Liss

Lisa Liringis - March 18, 2019 at 07:54 AM

LL

“ Jack and family,
Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time of a great loss. Anne was always a wonderful, dedicated wife, mother and friend to all that knew her. Much love and prayers.
Maxine Roaten and Lynn Roaten Lambert

Lynn Lambert - March 17, 2019 at 10:44 PM

SC

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family.
Scott Cozart and Family

Scott - March 17, 2019 at 05:34 PM

JN

“ So sorry for you loss, She was a beautiful woman who loved her family and will truly be missed. Judy Richardson Neal

Judy Neal - March 17, 2019 at 04:21 PM