



## Mr. Richard Mason

November 12, 1944 - March 26, 2020

Mr. Richard Mason

<https://gov.louisiana.gov/assets/Proclamations/2020/38-JBE-2020.pdf>

Final remembrance will be held privately for Mr. Richard Mason, who answered the call to eternal rest on Thursday, March 26, 2020 at the age of, 75. Interment will be in Union Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Mason is survived by four nephews, Wilfred Clennon, II, Terrance W. Clennon, Kevin James Clennon and Christopher E. Clennon; a niece, Angela M. Clennon; seven great nephews, Markeith Clennon, Terrance W. Clennon, Jr., Darius Clennon, Wilfred Clennon, III, Aiden Clennon, Christopher Clennon, Jr. and Jacob Clennon; three great nieces, Temeika Sherman, MeChellay N. Clennon and Alecia Clennon and a host of extended family members and friends.

Mr. Mason was preceded in death by his parents, siblings and other family members.

Share words of comfort with the Mason family on the Permanent Life Tribute Page for Richard Mason at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.net](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.net)

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, 337-942-2037.

Extraordinary times, requiring extraordinary measures, exacting extraordinary courage utilizing extraordinary faith !!!

The mandate for public gatherings makes it doubly difficult for grieving families

especially, pastors and funeral service professionals; we pray your cooperation and support for us all !!!

We remain in prayer with and for all of the families we have served and are serving who have the difficult task of celebrating the lives and legacies of loved ones. Our prayer is that God grant you an extraordinary measure of strength and peace as you go forward. We are honored and grateful to be assisting with each celebration and appreciate the confidence entrusted to the legacy that is Williams Funeral Home. Family serving families "since 1932"! To send a memorial please feel free to visit our website at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.net](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.net)

\*Please adhere to state and national measures to protect each other.

We solicit your prayers for us, funeral professionals throughout this community and the country who endeavor and persist in maintaining the commission of service to families at a critical time !

"God is in CONTROL!!!"

# Tribute Wall



“ To Richard's wonderful family: who, one Easter 20 years ago, took this northern woman in with no questions asked. I had made a connection to Richard as I was traveling around southern Louisiana taking pictures and meeting people who I had hoped to write about. Life got in the way with its challenges and, yes, some hardships, but maybe I will live to still have time to do that. Richard was the kindest, most respectful, and caring human. I saw him walking past the gas station in town one day, then another day wayyy up in a tree he was trying to take care of for someone. It's hard to explain, but in a short time, with no distrust, this very black man became friends with this very white woman, asking questions, taking pictures. He showed me around Washington, LA, taking care, at the time, and living with, an older man who had no home. That's who he was. Richard was a friend in the purest sense of the word. Even though I never returned and couldn't stay in touch, I am now grief stricken so many years later to find out he has left this world. His sister was just as kind, and when I visited their home after going to church with them that Easter, they moved the furniture so dancing could happen, even though she had had a leg removed. He was open and honest and without guile; you can see it in his face here, a man who seemed to ask for nothing but who gave it all. The world lost a great spirit when he passed, but his generosity and kindness will remain with me for the rest of my days.

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**Lisa** - October 13, 2023 at 06:01 PM



“ *Mr. Richard Mason*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM

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“ *What a Great person to know! From All your friends in Washington that had the pleasure of knowing you! RIP Richard!* ”

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**Tony Harrison** - April 05, 2020 at 10:09 AM

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“ *Sharing your loss* ”

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**Williams Family** - April 04, 2020 at 01:52 AM

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“ *Praying for the family* ”



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**Mr & Mrs. Ronald Zachery** - April 02, 2020 at 08:34 PM

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“ *Heartfelt condolences and deepest sympathy to you all. We had some good times and his memory will live on. RIP Richard.* ”

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**Sandra Smith** - April 02, 2020 at 09:56 AM

PA

“ *To the family of Uncle Richard we send our deepest condolences, you all are in our thoughts and prayers. We pray that god gives you strength to endure the day ahead. Love, Patricia Trent & Family* ”



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**Patricia** - April 01, 2020 at 10:20 PM

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“ *Sending our heartfelt condolences and prayers to the Family! So sorry for your loss! Uncle Richard will truly be missed! R.I.P. Uncle Richard*

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**Rita Gradnigo Pickens & Family** - April 01, 2020 at 09:20 PM