



Paul G. Richardson

October 26, 1947 - April 14, 2026

Paul G. Richardson was born on October 26, 1947, in his family home located in Baptist, Louisiana. He went to be with our Lord on Tuesday, April 14, 2026. Paul was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend who will be missed dearly. He loved to hunt, fish, overfeed the fish, watch old westerns, and spend time with his family. In his earlier life, Paul was a licensed carpenter and a member of the Carpenters Local Union 1098. In his later career, Paul, alongside his wife, owned and operated Paul's Quickstop located in Holden and Albany. Serving his community for over 20 years brought Paul and Diane joy and relationships they have cherished for a lifetime.

Paul is survived by his wife of 58 years, Diane Richardson; their children, Gary Richardson and wife Danielle, and Dawn Lott and husband Nathan. He is also survived by his grandchildren, Garrett Richardson and wife Madelynn, Haylie Richardson, Alyssa Osborne and husband Luke, Alayna Cole and husband Benjamin, Brayden Lott and wife Madison. In addition, he was blessed with four great-grandchildren, Grey Cannino, Elliot Cannino, Esther Richardson, and John Paul (JP) Osborne. He was looking forward to the birth of two additional great grandchildren in July and September of 2026. He is further survived by his sister, Edna Lorraine Cowart.

Preceding Paul in death by his parents, Sadie Harris Richardson and Charles

L. Richardson Jr., brother Charles “Danny” Richardson, along with grandparents, Edna Owens Harris and Willard Harris, Lorene Thornberry Richardson, Charles Richardson Sr., and Margaret Hood Richardson. Also preceding in death were his aunts, Lillian Hillis, Ella Mae Core, and Catherine Harris, and uncles Julius C. (JC) Harris and Floyd Harris. He was also preceded in death by a great friend and cousin, Roy Harris.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a visitation in the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home 12012 Hwy. 190 W. Hammond, LA 70401, on Sunday, April 19, 2026, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. The visitation will resume on Monday, April 20, 2026, from 10:00 a.m. until the Funeral Service at 12:00 p.m. Services will be officiated by Dr. Nathan Lott and Rev. Danny Carter. Interment will follow at New Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery.

Condolences and other information may be found at www.thompsoncares.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

New Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery

Hwy 190 West
Hammond, La

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **19**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA
12012 Highway 190 W
Hammond, LA 70401
(225) 567-1884

Visitation

APR **20**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

APR **20**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Paul G. Richardson*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - April 16 at 10:21 AM

SS

Paul Richardson was the best of the best. A family man who took great care of his family. Paul never forgot where he came from. A small settlement in Baptist, LA was a bright spot in the lives of many people. Paul lived his life serving his family and others. He would helped anyone who needed help. He was a pillar of the Holden community.

Sharon Sparacello - April 16 at 01:45 PM

FM

“ *From Bret and Monica Myers purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Paul G. Richardson.*



From Bret and Monica Myers - April 19 at 04:10 PM

FM

“ *From Bret and Monica Myers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul G. Richardson.*

From Bret and Monica Myers - April 19 at 04:10 PM

CF

“ Paul appreciated local history and loved family history and always attended family reunions as long as his health permitted. May your pleasant memories comfort and sustain you.

Clark Forrest - April 17 at 10:48 PM

JL

“ Jeff LaCour purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Paul G. Richardson.



Jeff LaCour - April 16 at 11:19 PM

JL

“ Jeff LaCour planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul G. Richardson.

Jeff LaCour - April 16 at 11:19 PM

SS

“ Sharon Sparacello lit a candle in memory of Paul G. Richardson



Sharon Sparacello - April 16 at 01:38 PM

MF

“ When I was young Mr Paul hunted with my dad Benton wall in Gillsburg ms. He was so fun to be around and always brought bags and bags of cookies to my pet deer! He surely was a great man and will be missed by so many!! Prayers for ms Diane and the family 🙏



Molly Wall Foster - April 16 at 12:28 PM

AW

“ I have known Mr. Paul for many years - back when he owned the store in Holden. I would go in there often with my sweet Aunt Louise Hodges and he was always very kind to her.

In later years I became close friends with Dawn (even though I'm lots older) and had the chance to really get to know Mr. Paul, Mrs. Diane and the family. Mr. Paul was truly one of a kind. If you didn't know him well you may not have recognized and appreciated his humor.

If you were lucky enough to get to know hiim, then you surely enjoyed his quick wit and dry sense of humor.

Rest well Mr. Paul, your work is done. And don't worry, you taught your children and grandchildren well and they will take good care of your lovely wife.

Love and Blessings, Alicia Young Walters (Jones).

Alicia Walters - April 15 at 10:03 PM

KH

“ Kyle, Macey, Natalie, Harper purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Paul G. Richardson.



Kyle, Macey, Natalie, Harper - April 15 at 01:53 PM

KH

“ Kyle, Macey, Natalie, Harper planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Paul G. Richardson.

Kyle, Macey, Natalie, Harper - April 15 at 01:53 PM

FU

“ Fencing Unlimited purchased the Pure Heart for the family of Paul G. Richardson.



Fencing Unlimited - April 15 at 01:50 PM