

Pallbearers
Family and Friends

Flowers Ladies
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~ With Thanks ~

The family of the late Mr. Richard Paul Reneir Woodley, III would like to extend our most sincere appreciation and thanks to our family and friends who expressed their sympathy to us during our time of bereavement.

—The Family—

Professional Service Arrangements Entrusted To:

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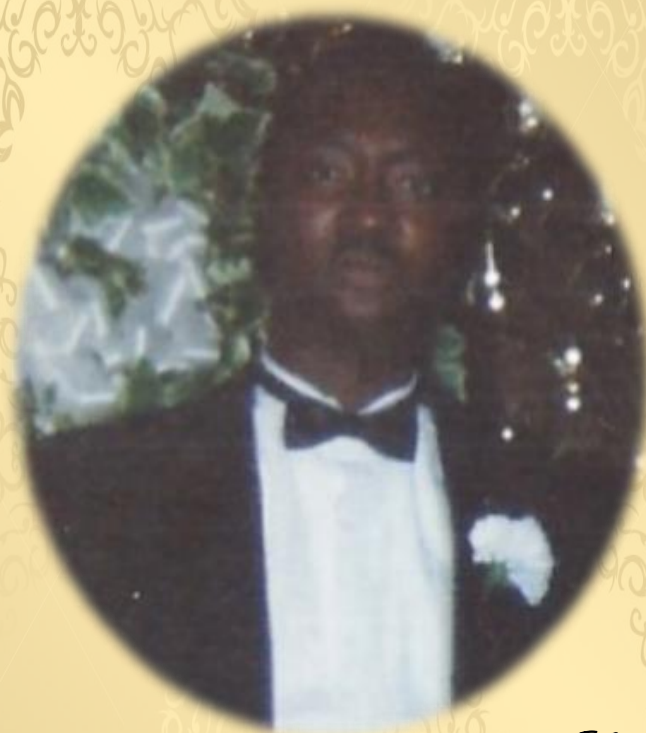
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This note is to express sympathy and our appreciation for your trust in us. It is our purpose to give thoughtful service, and if in doing so we have helped to lighten your burden, our aim has been accomplished. We sincerely hope that our services have been deserving of your confidence.

Home- Going Service
For

Mr. Richard Paul Reiner Woodley, III



Sunrise

October 26, 1957

Sunset

September 26, 2021

Saturday, October 9, 2021
1:00 P.M.

Wesley United Methodist Church
6752 Highway 212 North
Covington, Georgia 30014
Rev. Sandra Pennington, Pastor
Bishop M. Johnson, Sr., Eulogist

~ Obituary ~

Richard Paul Reiner Woodley, III was born on October 26, 1957, to the late Richard Woodley, Sr., and Rebecca L. Sidwell. He was the middle child of three.

He attended David T. Howard High School in Atlanta, GA where he was an editor of the school newspaper and received several awards. He was a Drum Major for three years and lead a parade down Peachtree Street to keep Howard High School open. He was a part of Fourth Ward Restoration Society.

Richard spent a lot of time as a youngster in Covington, GA with his great grandparents, Louis and Sallie Harden, alone with granddad, Oliver Sidwell, Sr. His Sundays were spent in church at Wesley Chapel United Methodist, where he then became an Associate Pastor.

Richard attended Morehouse College School of Religion, wrote speeches for others, spoke in many pulpits and help establish some church Ministries. Richard married his wife, Gloria Hambrick in 1988, at Wesley Chapel UMC in Covington, GA from this union one son, Richard, IV was born.

He was employed by many security companies and retired from General Motors. As a security officer he saved officer's Dudley Life in a shootout/ bank robbery in Dekalb County. Richard truly loved his family and enjoyed providing for them.

He leaves behind to cherish his memories, wife, Gloria Hambrick; son, Richard Woodley, IV; mother, Rebecca Sidwell; siblings, Anthony Woodley, Reginald (Gwen) Sidwell, Barry Woodley, Ronald (Tina) Woodley, Richard Woodley, and Dexter (Sonia) Woodley and a host of other relatives and friends.

~ Order of Celebration ~

Bishop M. Johnson, Sr., Presiding

Processional.....

Prelude.....Rev. Michael Frazier

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament.....Rev. Sandra Pennington

New Testament.....Rev. Sandra Pennington

Prayer.....Rev. Michael Frazier

Solo.....Rev. Michael Frazier

Remarks.....Petela Palmer

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Solo.....Rev. Michael Frazier

Eulogy.....Bishop M. Johnson, Sr.

Interment

Johnson Family Cemetery
Covington, GA 30014