



## Earl Richie

May 16, 1954 - April 16, 2016

Earl Richie, age 61, of Wheatfield, Indiana passed away Saturday, April 16, 2016 at Porter Regional Hospital in Valparaiso, Indiana. Earl was born May 16, 1954, in Rensselaer, Indiana to Arthur and Christine (White) Richie. He was a lifetime resident of Wheatfield and had attended the Kankakee Valley Schools. Earl attended the United Baptist Church of Gillam Township. He enjoyed being outdoors hunting and fishing.

On April 28, 1984, in Wheatfield, Earl married Carol S. Ford who survives. Along with his loving wife Carol, Earl is survived by his brother Harold (wife Becky) Richie and his sister Linda Watson, both of Wheatfield and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer Friday, April 22, 2016, from 2:00 - 8:00 p.m. Funeral services will be at the Oak Grove Primitive Baptist Church on Saturday, April 23, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. with Elder Thurman Ritchie officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Primitive Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Grove Primitive Cemetery

395 E 550 North  
Rensselaer, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5123  
info@jacksonfuneral.com  
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Service

APR **23**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Oak Grove Primitive Baptist Church  
395 E 550 North  
Rensselaer, IN

# Tribute Wall



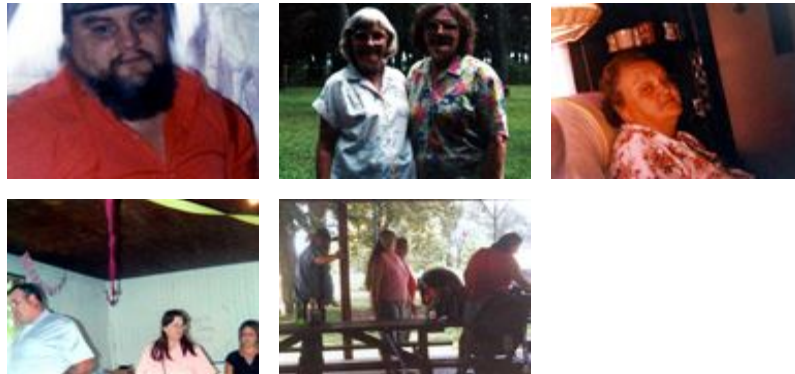
“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Earl Richie



Jackson Funeral Chapels - April 21, 2016 at 11:19 AM



“ 61 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - April 21, 2016 at 11:07 AM



“ Your Friends at Fagen Pharmacy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Earl Richie.



Your Friends at Fagen Pharmacy - April 21, 2016 at 08:41 AM



“ *Earl always had a smile and kind word...RIP Earl! God bless you!*



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**Linda DeMoss** - April 21, 2016 at 06:17 AM



“ *Retha Walker lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie*



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**retha walker** - April 20, 2016 at 10:19 PM



*my condolences to the richie family.lost a wonderful person. heavens gain.*

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**retha walker** - April 20, 2016 at 10:21 PM



“ *i will miss you earl you are danceing with the angels <3*

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**cheryl bailey** - April 20, 2016 at 08:26 PM



“ *Thanks to Earl n Carol my lil Rylyn was well taken care of when she burnt her feet very badly n didn't walk for 2 months! Never batted an eye when he knew he could help! I'm very grateful for what kindness they showed!*

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**Diane Barlog** - April 19, 2016 at 09:09 PM

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“ *Maria lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie*



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**Maria** - April 19, 2016 at 06:57 PM


 Kenny Beverly

“ *Kenny Beverly lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie*



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**Kenny Beverly** - April 19, 2016 at 06:46 PM

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“ *Lots of memories but the one that stands out the most is when we were riding out by Monticello and I was on my 650 kawasaki and earl on his 400 kawasaki. He went into a curve too fast and hit loose gravel and almost wiped out. The look on his face was priceless. It did show me to slow down though so it had an upside.*

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**Kenny Beverly** - April 19, 2016 at 06:45 PM

 Scott Lockard

“ *Scott Lockard lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie*



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**Scott Lockard** - April 19, 2016 at 06:11 PM



“ Dale Huhn lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie



Dale Huhn - April 19, 2016 at 06:01 PM



“ Christina Watson-Barker lit a candle in memory of Earl Richie



Christina Watson-Barker - April 19, 2016 at 02:49 PM



Along with my kids Margaret and Matthew

Christina Watson-Barker - April 19, 2016 at 02:50 PM