

*In Loving Memory of*  
*Joshua Richberg, Jr.*

*March 9, 1943 - December 22, 2021*



**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2021 - 11:00 A.M.**

**Cotton Funeral Service**

130 Main Street • Orange, NJ 07050

*Minister Rev. Edward Allen, Officiant*  
*Emory Lee, Organist*

# Obituary

**Joshua Richberg, Jr.**, 78 years of age, of, Orange, New Jersey, passed away on Wednesday, December 22nd, 2021.

Joshua was born in Denmark, South Carolina. He was an only child to Louise Way Richberg and Joshua Richberg, Sr. in which he was predeceased by them. His first marriage to Elizabeth bore four children and then they divorced.

From South Carolina, he worked in New York and had a permanent job as a bus operator with NJ Transit in 1970. He then moved permanently to New Jersey.

In 1985, he met and married Jimema J. Richberg. They were together for thirty-six years until he passed away on December 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Joshua was a loving husband. He has a kind and gentle heart. He always lent a hand to those that needed help. He was someone you can count on. He was fondly called Uncle Rich. He was loved and will be forever missed.

He is survived by his wife, a stepbrother, a daughter, four children, grandchildren and a best friend.

Services will be held on December 31 st , 2021, 11am – 12noon in the Cotton Funeral Home, Orange, NJ. Interment will be held in private.

## ***John 3:16***

*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.*

# *Order of Service*

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks

(Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

*Cremation*

Fairmount Crematory,  
Newark NJ (Private)

# *Miss Me, But Let Me Go*

When I come to the end of the  
road and the sun has set for me,  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,  
Why cry for a soul set free?  
Miss me a little - but not too long,  
and not with your head bowed low.  
Remember the love that we once shared,  
Miss me - but let me go.  
For this is a journey that we all must take,  
And each must go alone.  
It's all part of the Master's plan,  
A step on the road to home.  
When you are lonely and sick at heart,  
Go to the friends we know.  
Laugh at the things we use to do  
Miss me-but let me go.

## *Acknowledgement*

*The family of **Joshua Richberg, Jr.** wish to thank everyone for all of their prayers, calls and assistance extended to us during this time of bereavement. Your encouragement and support have meant so much to all of us.*

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