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## *Celebrating The Life of Phillip Hiram Wiggins, Sr.*

Sunrise  
April 8, 1942

Sunset  
February 14, 2022

Service

Thursday, March 3, 2022 - 10:00 AM

**Nesbitt Funeral Home**

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*Rev. Orlando T. Riley, Officiating*



**Phillip Hiram Wiggins** the son of the late Dr. Hiram P. and Grace M. Rankin Wiggins was born April 8th, 1942 in East Orange, New Jersey.

A graduate of Linden High School in Linden, N.J., Phillip was employed by The New York Times for 27 years. Starting as Copy Editor and rising to Financial Reporter, and reporting on the daily stock market, company news and earnings, and writing numerous Marketplace features, he accumulated over 1,500 by-lines in The New York Times.

Later he also edited and wrote for American Banker magazine and Racher Press, Inc. "Phil" was also a ready raconteur, on virtually any subject, engaging friends and acquaintances with zest, from superintendent to CEO, and supermarket to Sardi's 'Little Bar'. His hobbies and enthusiasms ranged from Track and all sports, to breeding fish for show, to competitive target shooting, fresh water fishing, and the German language.

Phillip leaves behind his loving son Phillip H. Wiggins Jr., daughter Simone G. Wiggins Edwards and former spouse Victoria E. Wiggins.

## *Order of Service*

Organ Prelude

Prayer of Comfort

Solo

Scripture

Family Tribute

Acknowledgment and Resolutions

Obituary

Solo

Eulogy

*Rev. Orlando T. Riley*

Benediction

Recessional

