



# Mr. Leslie Taylor Richardson Sr.

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**A**ge 81, a resident of Theodore, AL passed away on Saturday, April 8, 2017. He was preceded in death by his wife, Anita Barbara Richardson, son, Arthur Edward Richardson and son-in-law, Kenneth Boyer. He is survived by his children, Ladonna (David) Pope, Lori (Victor) McArdle, Leslie Richardson Jr., Kim Boyer and William (Danny) Richardson, 13 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends. He was known by many as Captain Les. He was a reluctantly retired tug boat captain, as he loved being on the water and often mentioned how he wished he was still actively working. He was a Charter member of the American Legion Post 250 in Fowl River, as well as part of their Honor Guard which he took great pride in, a Life member of the Disabled American Veterans, a member of the VFW and also a member of the Moose Lodge. He was an active member of the ORR Mardi Gras Association in Fowl River, where he served as King in 2014. He was a big Alabama College Football fan and loved Nascar. We could go on forever about his likes and life but lets just say he will truly be missed but will remain in our hearts forever. As we grieve for his loss we know he is in a better place and its a little easier knowing we will be with him again one day. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church on Wednesday, April 12, 2017 at 11 am with visitation from 9 am until service time. Interment will be in Wall of Honor in Serenity Memorial Gardens.



## Tribute Wall

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M2

**Message By Billie Jo Lamey-Byrne - April 10, 2017** posted:

My deepest sympathy to family and friends

April 20 at 8:42 AM

M2

**Message By Maria Buzier Roley (Fat Gal) - April 10, 2017** posted:

I am so sorry! I loved him very much and I will miss him. I'll not say good bye I'll say so long for now for I will see him again. Love to all, Maria (Fat Gal)

April 20 at 8:42 AM

M2

**Message By Annell Green - April 10, 2017** posted:

So very sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. May he RIP. Prayers for the family. From Nell, Alan and Russell Green.

April 20 at 8:42 AM

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**Message By Stephanie - April 12, 2017** posted:

Even tho you had no filter we always still loved you you will be missed so much mom is so lost with out you love you paw paw

April 20 at 8:42 AM



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**Message By Patricia Presley - April 11, 2017** posted:

Kim I saw this and thought you might like it  
As My Tear Softly Falls  
And he puts his boat in the water for the last time  
A tear will fall for the last time  
I wipe the tears from my face with your old shirt for the last time  
I cry about the last time I said goodbye to you  
More than oceans separate us  
More than continents themselves  
But in my heart you will remain  
Along with everything you taught me  
Memories seep from my veins  
Vivid pictures of you lay softly in the back of my mind  
But you now rest in the arms of the angels  
Everyday I wish you were here to hold me in your arms  
And comfort me through every obstacle in life  
And such a thought brings me weeping on my knees  
And everyday I picture you  
I remember you  
And everyday I struggle with the reality that you're gone  
And with that struggle I make it through another day  
Everything happens for a reason  
Yours was to build me up  
And no one can ever tear me down  
You taught me all you could in your short time with me  
And now my only job is to remember and never forget  
Rain is nothing but tears to me  
Tears from a man who wasn't good at sharing his emotions  
Although going on without you upsets me  
Everything reminds me  
I'm not afraid to cry  
I pretend to be ok everyday  
And it's always hard to deal with the pain of losing you  
And force that smile when it just won't come.  
The wake comes off the bow  
The anchor is reeled in  
Another tear softly falls for him

April 20 at 8:42 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Leslie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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