



## Omar L. Richardson

July 17, 1974 - May 30, 2022

BARNEVELD – Omar Richardson, age 47, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, May 30, 2022, at MVHS at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, with those he loved most in his heart.

Omar was born July 17, 1974. He was beloved by his parents whom he leaves behind: Jane and Charles Smith. He is also survived by his sister and brother-in-law, Yvonne and Lewis Richards, and his two nephews, Norman, and Jayvon Powell. Omar moved into Upstate Cerebral Palsy's Jones IRA, his forever home, on March 31, 1999. He attended Barneveld Day Habilitation in Barneveld and enjoyed his time with all of his friends.

Ome enjoyed many activities, including relaxing on the mat outside with his peers from Jones as well as surrounding himself with his talking stuffed animals from his bedroom. Everyone at Jones loved to see Omar's infectious smile and his happy-go-lucky, outgoing personality which entertained many of his friends. He relished all the holidays but especially loved Thanksgiving, as he really enjoyed the food and the time with his family. Additionally, Ome was always excited about going to Fort Rickey Game Farm and holding on to the baby goats with the staff looking on.

Omar will be greatly missed by his family and friends. His parents would like to send a special "thank you" to the staff and management team at Jones IRA for taking such wonderful care of their special young man.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, June 8th, from 2-4 p.m. at the Eannace Funeral Home, Inc., 932 South St., corner of Hammond Ave. Omar's Funeral

Service and Celebration of Life will follow at 4:00 at the funeral home; all are welcome to gather to honor this fine young man's life. Interment will take place at New Forest Cemetery privately.

# Cemetery Details

## New Forest Cemetery at the convenience of the family

2001 Oneida Street  
Utica, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Eannace Funeral Home, Inc.  
932 South Street  
corner of Hammond Ave.  
Utica, NY 13501  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

CT

“ *This is Clifford Toles, I am Omar's biological brother....Having to see this, after over 36 years of not getting to see him, is awful...*

Clifford Toles - July 23, 2022 at 03:33 AM

AB

“ *This is sad to find out I am Omar's bio big sister....he was always by my side and wanted to be where ever I was.... and could say my name....I remember his smile that feels my heart and always will....I love him so much and will love him for the rest of my days....rest in pease little brother!*

Asia Babcock - July 22, 2022 at 07:19 PM

RH

“ *Rick Horstman lit a candle in memory of Omar L. Richardson*



Rick Horstman - June 10, 2022 at 03:56 AM

YR

“ *Yvonne Richards lit a candle in memory of Omar L. Richardson*



Yvonne Richards - June 09, 2022 at 09:18 AM

CT

*Yvonne, it's Clifford...Remember me? Omar's brother*

Clifford Toles - July 23, 2022 at 03:34 AM

EH

“Omar, you will be missed forever. Your smile lit up the room and brought joy to all. Those of us that have known you for 36+ year's and been through most of your life with you will always love you 🥹❤️❤️❤️❤️



Elizabeth Hart - June 01, 2022 at 09:52 PM

DO

“Omar, you were the smile in an8y room....you were always happy with the people around you. You are truly going to be missed, fly high you sweet 😇 love ya ❤️

Doretta - June 01, 2022 at 09:04 PM

DO

“Doretta lit a candle in memory of Omar L. Richardson



Doretta - June 01, 2022 at 09:01 PM

SB

“Rest easy my friend your infectious laugh and smile that lit up a room will definitely be missed.  
Thank you for sharing your son with us my condolences to all.

Stephanie Burchett - June 01, 2022 at 06:17 AM

JT

“ Omar , you were such a happy loving man. I truly enjoyed your company. Especially our trip to Chuck E Cheese for games and dinner! You had such a great time! And I absolutely loved watching your face light up as you took everything in. Spending time with you was a guaranteed good time full of smiles and laughter. I hope I made just as big an impact on your life as you did mine. You will be missed so much by so many.



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**Jenn Talkington** - May 31, 2022 at 05:33 PM