



## C.L. "Babe" Richmond

September 8, 1928 - June 30, 2023

C.L. "Babe" Richmond, 94, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Friday, June 30, 2023 at Capetown Assisted Living.

He was born September 8, 1928 in Cape Girardeau to Elijah and Hester Holcomb Richmond.

He and Beverly June Lett were married March 23, 1958 in Hernando, Mississippi. She preceded him in death on March 7, 2014.

He served in the Army in the Korean War.

He was an avid snow skier and loved spending time with his family. He loved cheering on the Saint Louis Cardinals and Kentucky Wild Cats.

He operated C.L. Richmond Optometrist in Bloomfield, Missouri, where he practiced for 38 years.

He was a member of LaCroix Church in Cape Girardeau.

Survivors include three sons, Tim (Lana) Richmond, Ron (Susan) Richmond and Chris (Raina) Richmond all of Cape Girardeau; a brother, Winfield Richmond of Dexter, Missouri; nine grandchildren and three great-

grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife; four brothers, Harry Richmond of Tillman, Missouri, Carl Richmond of Advance, Missouri, Wayne Richmond of Bloomfield, Missouri and H.M. Richmond of Bloomfield, Missouri; and a sister, Marjorie Justice of Ventura, California.

Graveside service will be at 10:30 am Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com).

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUL 5. 10:30 AM (CT)

Cape County Memorial Park  
2315 Highway 61 N  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I send my love and sympathy to all of the Richmond family! They have cared for each other and have shown, by example, what it means to care for each other!* ”

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**Jane Cooper Stacy** - July 05, 2023 at 08:19 PM