



Richard Legrand Flake

July 21, 1935 - May 21, 2023

North Augusta, SC – The Mass of Christian Burial for Mr. Richard Legrand Flake, 87, who entered into rest May 21, 2023, will be conducted Thursday, May 25th, at 12 noon at Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church. Father Antonydas Gaspar celebrant. Interment will follow in Pineview Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at the church one hour prior to the service from 11 until 12 noon.

Mr. Flake was born July 21, 1935, to the late Albert Sidney Flake and Nancy McMichael Flake. He was raised in North, SC, having made North August his home for most of his adult life. Mr. Flake served in the Army National Guard for four years and was a parishioner of Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church. He was the owner and operator of LeGrande's Menswear for many years.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Flake was preceded in death by a son, Richard L. Flake, Jr.; a sister, Mary Ann Witt; six brothers, Sidney Flake (Carrie Ann), John D. Flake, James E. "Buster" Flake, Burnett M. "Maybank" Flake (Dorothy), Dwight E. "Ike" Flake, and Mack Daniel Flake.

Surviving family members include his wife, Joyce Jones Flake; four children, Nancy Flake White (Larry), Timothy P. Flake (Kristin), Mark D. Flake (Teri), Marie F. Pohlman (Jason); sixteen grandchildren, Richard Flake III, Caroline Flake, Elizabeth Flake, Patrick Flake (Chelsea), Bobby White (Jenn), Megan

White, Michael White, Rebecca Cockrell (Trey), Dwight Flake, Jenna Flake, Fisher Flake, Dustin Flake (Alexia), Kristen Baker (Chris), Ryan Flake, Christopher Pohlman, and Bennett Pohlman; ten great-grandchildren, Parker Flake, William Flake, Liam Anderson, Kason Molton, Trace White, Ellie Hayes White, Regan Cockrell, Carter Flake, Nolan Flake, and Olivia Pohlman; a daughter-in-law, Susan Flake; a brother-in-law, Tommie Witt; and two sisters-in-law, Shirley Flake and Jane Flake.

Pallbearers will be Richard Flake, Dustin Flake, Bobby White, Michael White, Fisher Flake, and Bennett Pohlman.

Posey Funeral Director of North Augusta is in charge of arrangements (803)278-1181.

Cemetery Details

Pineview Memorial Gardens

450 West Five Notch Road
North Augusta, SC 29841

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 25. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church
139 Way of Peace
North Augusta, SC 29841

Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 25. 12:00 PM (ET)

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church
139 Way of Peace
North Augusta, SC 29841

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Legrand Flake*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *To the family of Legrande, so sorry for your loss. I met Legrande while caring for his son Rick. Joyce you have my deepest sympathy* 🌸



Nancy Cratic - May 25, 2023 at 05:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



May 25, 2023 at 07:29 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



May 25, 2023 at 07:29 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



May 24, 2023 at 01:50 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



May 24, 2023 at 01:30 PM



“ *With deepest sympathy, our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. May he rest in peace. Cathy and Tom Parker*



Tom Parker - May 24, 2023 at 12:00 PM

PC

“ *Legrande was a friend to many. He served his country in the US Army and humanity through Habitat for Humanity. Being on Broad Street a lot during the 1960 through 1990 there was always time to visit Legrande's Men's Store and trade hunting stories and just plain talk. You always ran into many of Legrande's friends, some quite well known and some just plain folks. I miss that and Legrande. Joyce was always Legrande's steady and closest friend and spouse. Thanks, Joyce, for sharing Legrande and caring for him so well.*

Phillip Christman

Phillip Christman - May 24, 2023 at 11:20 AM

EH

“ *Joyce, and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I remember how many times my dad shopped with LeGrands. I know that God will give you the comfort the strength and the peace that you need at this time and for the future. Please accept my condolences and if there's anything I can do please let me know.*

Erma Hiott-Ellis - May 24, 2023 at 10:03 AM

DS

“ *Nancy, sorry for your loss. Diane Shuler and Sharyn Franklin*

Diane Shuler - May 24, 2023 at 07:40 AM

IP

“ *Dear Joyce, Nancy, Tim and Mark so sorry about Legrand passing. praying for peace and comfort for the whole family. Now he is resting in peace and United with his son Rick and his love one. Rest in peace dear friend,*

ivonne Pereyo - May 24, 2023 at 12:53 AM

JH

“ I am thankful for Mr. Flake's service to our nation in the Army National Guard. It is men like Mr. Flake that served to safeguard our freedom. I offer my sincere condolences to his family, may he rest in peace.

Jeff Hoefs - May 23, 2023 at 10:22 PM

LN

“ Legrand Flake God rest his soul. In 1973 Legrand extended me credit to buy 2 suits for my new job at Georgia Pacific. I always enjoyed visiting with him and his staff in his shop. My prayers are with his family. Lenson Neal

Lenson Neal - May 23, 2023 at 08:21 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.



May 23, 2023 at 02:09 PM

CB

“ Mrs. Flake, Nancy, Tim & Mark -

Praying for your comfort during these times. So many great memories. Mr. Flake was one of my all time favorites. He was great at his shop and I still wear my “Augusta” Foot Joys he convinced me to purchase in 1979!

And since I missed Rick’s passing, I miss Rick and really enjoyed him coming to join me in Russia to work on the Ilim project.

Sincerely

Clete Blackwell

Clete Blackwell - May 23, 2023 at 01:07 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



May 22, 2023 at 09:09 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Legrand Flake.*

May 22, 2023 at 09:09 PM

MT

“ *Mr. And Mrs. David Thornton purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Richard Legrand Flake.*



Mr. And Mrs. David Thornton - May 22, 2023 at 08:56 PM

LN

“ *Loretta Nichols lit a candle in memory of Richard Legrand Flake*



Loretta Nichols - May 22, 2023 at 04:38 PM

LB

“ *Lee Bultman lit a candle in memory of Richard Legrand Flake*



Lee Bultman - May 22, 2023 at 03:33 PM

PL

“ *Penny Jones Lanham lit a candle in memory of Richard Legrand Flake*



Penny Jones Lanham - May 22, 2023 at 02:39 PM