

**Benjamin C. “Benny” Richmond**  
**February 23, 1923 – March 19, 1997**

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**BENJAMIN C. RICHMOND SR.**

Benjamin C. Richmond, Sr. died on March 19, 1997, after a long siege with heart disease at Bay Front Hospital in St. Petersburg, FL., where he resided after leaving Marblehead, OH. in 1992.

Mr. Richmond was born on Feb. 23, 1923 in Hinton. He served in the 3rd. Army Division during World War II, was a member in good standing of the Loyal Order of Masons, attended West Virginia Tech, and was retired from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway as a resident engineer.

Mr. Richmond was preceded in death by his parents, Clarence M. and Kate (Via) Richmond who resided at 101 1/2 Main St., Hinton.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Dolly, of St. Petersburg; sister Betty Bitzer of Tampa; son, George A. Richmond of Sandusky, OH.; son Ben C. Richmond of Marblehead, OH.; son Charles D. Richmond of St. Petersburg; daughter Mary K. Richmond of St. Petersburg; and nine grandchildren.

A private family service was held in St. Petersburg, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests a donation to an area Hospice.