

"Indiana, Death Certificates, 1899-2011," digital images, *Ancestry.com* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 24 July 2016); James O. Richison (8 March 2004), Certificate of Death no. 009081, Allen County; citing Death Certificates, 1900-2011, microfilm, Indiana Archives and Records Administration, Indianapolis.

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**INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**  
**CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

Local No. **591** State No. **009081**

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<b>TYPE/PRINT IN PERMANENT BLACK INK</b>	1. DECEASED-NAME (First, Middle, Last) <b>James O. Richison</b>		2. SEX <b>Male</b>	3a. TIME OF DEATH <b>6:50 P M</b>	3b. DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Yr.) <b>March 08, 2004</b>
	4. *SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	5a. AGE-Last Birthday (Years) <b>73</b>	5b. UNDER 1 YEAR Months Days	5c. UNDER 1 DAY Hours Minutes	6. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo, Day, Yr) <b>July 05, 1930</b>
<b>DECEDENT</b>	8a. WAS DECEDENT A U.S. VETERAN? <b>No</b>	8b. YEAR LAST SERVED IN U.S. ARMED FORCES?	9a. PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one. See instructions.) HOSPITAL: <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient <input type="checkbox"/> ER/Outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> DOA OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/> Nursing Home <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) <b>Hospice Home</b>		
	9b. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number) <b>Hospice Home OF NE Indiana</b>		9c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH <b>Fort Wayne</b>		9d. COUNTY OF DEATH <b>Allen</b>
<b>PARENTS</b>	10. MARITAL STATUS (Specify) <b>Widowed</b>	11. SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name) <b>N/A</b>	12a. DECEDENT'S USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life. Do not use retired) <b>Laborer</b>		12b. KIND OF BUSINESS/INDUSTRY <b>Retail Grocery</b>
	13a. RESIDENCE-STATE <b>Indiana</b>	13b. COUNTY <b>Allen</b>	13c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <b>Yoder</b>		13d. STREET AND NUMBER <b>75 Hanshire Drive</b>
<b>INFORMANT</b>	13e. ZIP CODE <b>46798</b>	13f. INSIDE CITY LIMITS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	13g. ON A FARM? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	14. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <b>U.S.A.</b>	15. WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (If yes, specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
	16. RACE--American Indian, Black, White, etc. (Specify) <b>Caucasian</b>		17. DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (0-12) <b>12</b> College (1-4 or 5+) <b>-0-</b>		
<b>DISPOSITION</b>	18. FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last) <b>Ophir Orlo Richison</b>		19. MOTHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Maiden Surname) <b>Zella Wilkerson</b>		
	20a. INFORMANT'S NAME (Type/Print) <b>Brenda Wright</b>		20b. MAILING ADDRESS (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State, Zip Code) <b>714 N. Mill Street North Manchester, IN 46962</b>		20c. Relationship <b>Daughter</b>
<b>CAUSE OF DEATH</b>	21a. METHOD OF DISPOSITION <input type="checkbox"/> Burial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cremation <input type="checkbox"/> Removal from State <input type="checkbox"/> Donation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)		21b. DATE AND PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery, crematory, or other place) <b>March 13, 2004 Northern Indiana Crematory</b>		21c. LOCATION--City or Town, State <b>Fort Wayne, Indiana</b>
	22a. EMBALMER'S NAME <b>NOT APPLICABLE</b>		22b. EMBALMER'S LICENSE NO. <b>N/A</b>		23. WAS DEATH REPORTED TO CORONER? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<b>CERTIFIER</b>	24a. SIGNATURE OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR <i>Thomas W. Rodak</i>		24b. LICENSE NUMBER (of Licensee) <b>100-980-1</b>		25. NAME, ADDRESS, AND LICENSE NUMBER OF FUNERAL HOME <b>Elzey Patterson Rodak Funeral Home-FD1 950 000 3, 6810 Old Trail Road, Fort Wayne, Indiana, 46809</b>
	26. PART I Enter the diseases, injuries, or complications that caused the death: arrest, shock, or heart failure. List only one cause on each line. Approximate Interval Between Onset and Death				
<b>HEALTH OFFICER</b>	IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) <b>Lung Cancer</b>		a. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		
	Conditions, if any, which gave rise to the immediate cause, stating the underlying cause last.		b. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):		
PAR - II Other significant conditions - Conditions contributing to death but not previously stated in Part I.		c. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):			d. DUE TO (OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF):
<b>HEALTH OFFICER</b>	27. WAS DECEDENT PREGNANT OR 90 DAYS POSTPARTUM? (Yes or No) <b>No</b>		28a. WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED? (Yes or No) <b>No</b>		28b. WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF CAUSE OF DEATH? (Yes or No) <b>No</b>
	29a. CERTIFIER (Check only one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CERTIFYING PHYSICIAN To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) as stated. <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH OFFICER On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) as stated. <input type="checkbox"/> CORONER On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) as stated.		29b. SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF CERTIFIER <i>[Signature]</i>		29c. MEDICAL LICENSE NO. <b>0200455</b>
30. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO COMPLETED CAUSE OF DEATH (ITEM 28) (Type/Print) <b>A. Rodak 5910 Homestead Rd Ft. Wayne, IN 4684</b>		31. HEALTH OFFICER'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>			
32. DATE FILED (Month, Day, Year) <b>MAR 11 2004</b>					
33. MANNER OF DEATH <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input type="checkbox"/> Pending investigation <input type="checkbox"/> Accident <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide <input type="checkbox"/> Could not be determined <input type="checkbox"/> Homicide		34a. DATE OF INJURY (Month, Day, Year)	34b. TIME OF INJURY	34c. INJURY AT WORK (Yes or no)	34d. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED
34e. PLACE OF INJURY--At home, farm, street, factory, office building, etc (Specify)		34f. LOCATION (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State)			
34g. DATE PRONOUNCED DEAD (Month, Day, Year)		34h. MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT (Yes or no) If yes specify driver, passenger, pedestrian, etc.			

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