



## James J. Abraham

January 6, 1943 - August 1, 2021

James J. Abraham

Jennings: James was born in Breaux Bridge, LA on January 6, 1943, to Bradley Abraham, Sr., and Lena Batiste. And he was called from this life on August 1, 2021. James loved being outdoors, and fishing. His greatest joys came from spending time with his family and friends. James was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

James is survived by his longtime companion, Lucy Lyons; his five children, Shalonda Guidry, Elliot Withers, Sharron Johnson, Alislair Peterson, Sandra Peters; his three sisters, Willa Mae Alexander, Joyce Alexander, Earline Miller; as well as numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, extend family and friends.

James is preceded in death by his parents, Lena & Bradley Abraham, Sr.; two sons, Larry Dugas Abraham, Gerald Keith Abraham; three sisters, Doris Abraham Palfrey, Zenobia Abraham Alexander, Elsie Abraham Soulairie; two brothers, Bradley Abraham, Jr., & Roy Abraham.

A Mass of Christian burial will be held at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church for James J. Abraham, 78 of Jennings, LA on Saturday, August 7, 2021, at 11:00 AM. Burial will follow in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cemetery.

Those chosen to honor James as his pallbearers will be Drekeylone Peters, Ronnie McZeal, Brandon McZeal, Jamal Jones, Donald Alexander, Damario Lyons, and Kayden Peters.

Visitation will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home Chapel beginning on Saturday, August 7th from 8:00 AM until the time of his funeral Mass at 11:00 AM with a Rosary beginning recited at 9:30 AM by Ella Dartez.

To extend online condolences, please visit our website at [www.matthewsandsfuneralhome.net](http://www.matthewsandsfuneralhome.net)

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cemetery

East Park St.  
Jennings, LA 70546

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 7. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS  
511 N. Cutting Avenue  
Jennings, LA 70546  
(337) 824-4420  
jimmy@matthewsfh.com  
<https://www.matthewsandsonfuneralhome.net/>

## Rosary

AUG 7. 9:30 AM (CT)

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## **Mass of Christian Burial**

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AUG 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
920 South Broadway  
Jennings, LA 70546

# Tribute Wall



“ *James J. Abraham*

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *So sorry for your family's loss. May the hope seeing your loved one again and your cherished memories comfort your hearts. Revelations 21:3,4.*

**K. Hope** - September 04, 2021 at 09:47 AM



“ *On behalf of the Mermentau Raiders he will be missed by all. He was a good team mate and we had fun times. May he Rest In Peace!*



**Haley Darte** - August 08, 2021 at 06:48 AM



“ *Angela Malveaux lit a candle in memory of James J. Abraham*



**Angela Malveaux** - August 06, 2021 at 03:57 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of James J. Abraham.*



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August 05, 2021 at 11:21 AM



“ *Words can't express the loss of Gerald. Our hearts go out to you and your family. Gerald loved his church and enjoyed helping others when they were in need especially during time of bereavement. He enjoyed cooking and helping others. Please know that I am with you in thoughts and prayers. Just know that we are here for you and your family in these difficult times when and if you need anything.*  
*Ella Dartez & Family*



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**Ella Dartez** - August 03, 2021 at 09:55 PM



“ *Thanks for always being there when I needed you. I miss you and love you so much Uncle Gerald.*

*Love always ,  
Jeanette & kids*



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**Jeanette Soularie** - August 03, 2021 at 11:12 AM

SA

“ Shirley Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of James J. Abraham



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**Shirley Alexander** - August 02, 2021 at 09:34 PM

FP

“ Sending Our Deepest Sympathy to the Abraham Family , make God Comfort all. Francis and Son Alistair Peterson.



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**francis Peterson** - August 02, 2021 at 07:41 PM

PP

Please accept my heartfelt prayers & deepest sympathy,R.I.H.GERALD 🙏🙏🙏

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**patsy pete** - August 04, 2021 at 06:23 PM