



Jerry Paul Bourque

March 11, 1960 - December 14, 2019

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Gueydan: A Mass of Christian burial will be held at St. Peter's Catholic Church for Jerry Paul Bourque, 59 of Gueydan, LA on Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 11:00 AM. A gathering of family and friends will be held at Matthews & Son Funeral Home in Gueydan, LA beginning on Wednesday, December 18th from 2:00 PM until 9:00 PM with a rosary recited at 6:00 PM. Visitation will resume on Thursday, December 19th at 8:00 AM until the time of his Funeral Mass. Jerry will be laid to rest in Gueydan Cemetery with Father Corey Campeaux officiating. Those chosen to honor Jerry as his pallbearers will be Anthony Levy, Camden Edwards, Dr. Justin Ardoin, Jared LeBoeuf, William Hoffart, and Donald Gaspard. Honorary pallbearers will be Bernie Alan, Robbie Buller, Tim Picard, Bobby Dwyer, Mike Perry, Tim Fruge, Terry Howard, Jeremy Richard, Jordan Ardoin, Justin Brewton, Chris Edwards, Jeffery Boudreaux, & Mark Hoffart.

Jerry was born in Gueydan, LA on March 11, 1960 to Joseph Bourque and Dorothy Mae Vincent Bourque. Jerry was called to his heavenly Father on December 14, 2019. He worked as a Grad-all operator for the Vermilion Parish Police Jury. Jerry loved being outdoors, and farming. Jerry farmed for 42 years. His love of farming began as a young boy, following his dad (his best friend) everywhere. Where you saw Jr., you saw Jerry. He also loved to

cook and dance, but his greatest joy came from the time he was able to spend making memories with all of his family and friends. He spoke French fluently and was proud of his French heritage. Jerry was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Jerry is survived by his mother Dorothy V. Bourque of Gueydan, LA; his beloved wife, Darlene R. Bourque of Gueydan, LA; his son, Anthony C. Levy of Jennings, LA; his four daughters, Andrea Bourque Brewton (Justin) of Carlyss, LA, Kimberly Boudreaux (Jeffery) Lake Arthur, LA, Marea Edwards (Chris) of Jennings, LA, Linnea Istre of Gueydan, LA; his two sisters, Janelle Bourque Hoffart (Mark) of Houston, LA, Debbie Bourque Ardoin of Jennings, LA; his six grandchildren, Camden, Emmy, Addy, Colden, Ryder, & Vance.

Jerry is preceded in death by his son, Jonathan Bourque; his father, Joseph Bourque; his sister, Marlene Bourque LeBoeuf; his brother-in-law, Michael Ardoin.

To extend online condolences, please visit our website at www.matthewsandsfuneralhome.net

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Gueydan Cemetery

Hwy 91
Gueydan, LA 70542

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends and Family

DEC 18. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - GUEYDAN
514 Second Street
Gueydan, LA 70542
(337) 824-4420
jimmy@matthewsfh.com
<https://www.matthewsandsonfuneralhome.net/>

Rosary

DEC 18. 6:00 PM (CT)

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DEC 19. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter's Catholic Church
Main St.
Gueydan, LA 70542

Tribute Wall



“ Jerry Paul Bourque

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ I was sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. I was always so impressed with Jerry's love of Cajun customs and language. My parents too were touched by his zeal for all things Cajun. My condolences to his mother and family. I pray for him.

May he Rest in Peace.

James B Vincent - October 10, 2020 at 12:57 PM



“ 53 files added to the album Life Tributes



Matthews Funeral Home - December 18, 2019 at 12:42 PM



“ *Classic Fireside Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Jerry Paul Bourque.*



December 17, 2019 at 08:45 PM



“ *Cindy Price lit a candle in memory of Jerry Paul Bourque*



Cindy Price - December 17, 2019 at 08:26 PM



I am praying for you ALL. God Bless

Cindy Price - December 17, 2019 at 08:24 PM



“ *The first time I saw Jerry was on the dance floor. Darlene introduced me to her husband with great pride and I also learned the same night that he was the brother of my dear friend, Debbie Ardoin. I only knew Jerry from what his wife and his sister said of him. I learned enough to know that he is well-loved and will be remembered fondly by many. My deep sympathy to Darlene and Debbie and the rest of the family. You will all be lifted in prayer. May Jerry's soul rest in the peace of Jesus Christ.*

Donna Richert - December 17, 2019 at 08:05 PM

SP

“ Aunt Dorothy, I am so sorry for your loss, It seems only yesterday when my family would come and visit, Jerry always had a great smile, he will be missed, My friend, 1st cousin, and much more, Rest in Peace.

Steve 7 Mary Picard - December 17, 2019 at 06:11 PM

RW

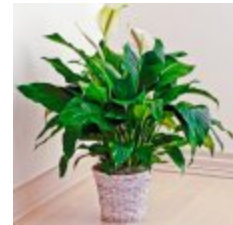
“ Roland & Jeanette Weekly purchased the Europe an Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Jerry Paul Bourque.



Roland & Jeanette Weekly - December 17, 2019 at 04:59 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Jerry Paul Bourque.



December 17, 2019 at 03:41 PM

PP

“ I will always remember him with that big smile. Lynn and I loved dancing and camping with Darlene and Jerry. Love and prayers, Pam and Lynn

Pam Prejean - December 17, 2019 at 03:26 PM

AT

“ Darlene & Family ,
I'm so sorry for your loss. Praying for all. 🙏🙏🙏 .

Arlene Treme - December 17, 2019 at 03:09 PM

EI

“ Oh how we going to miss Mr.Jerry....he was a awesome guy....
Ms.Darlene we are so sorry and we are here for you

Eileen - December 17, 2019 at 02:33 PM

JS

“ Darlene,

I'm so sorry I can't be there with you. You will be in my thoughts and
prayers. Jerry will never be forgotten.

Jamie

Jamie Schexnaider - December 17, 2019 at 02:28 PM

LM

*Dear dorothy, sorry for r loss of losing jerry. B praying for u ,& the
family. Going to miss his smile especially when we'd pass by him
working on the grad all. That wave. R cus linda.*

Linda I monceaux - December 17, 2019 at 06:43 PM