



Joe L. McCree, Jr.

September 29, 1936 - June 5, 2017

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Jennings: Joe was born in Elton, LA on September 29, 1936 to Joe McCrea, Sr. and Louise Woods McCrea. He was called from this life on Monday, June 5, 2017. Joe served in the United States Navy until his retirement. He worked as a Pipefitter for 20 years at a Navy Ship Yard. Joe also worked as a carpenter. He loved to travel and fish in his spare time. Most of all, Joe loved to visit with his family. He was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Joe is survived by his wife, Thelma Henderson McCree of Jennings, LA; sons, Paul (Wildah Smith) McCree of Washington State and Darryl Blye of Seattle Washington; daughters, Janet (Gary) Thompson of Rock Hill, SC, Toni Ross of Sacramento, CA and Jolynn (Rodney) Phillips of Orlando, FL; god-daughter, Elaine Robinson Sonnier of Elton, LA; brothers, Sherman McCrea of Houston, TX and Willie McCrea of Lubbock, TX; sisters, Evelyn McCrea of Elton, LA, Delores McCrea Dartez of Elton, LA, and Josephine Guillory of Elton, LA; 19 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren, and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Joe is preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Louise W. McCrea, Sr.; son, Mark Blye; brothers, Artis J. McCrea, Sr., Shirley McCrea, and George

McCrea; sisters, Bessie Robinson, Rose Mae Frank, Geraldine McCrea Fontenot, Beatrice McCrea Cooper, and Lonel McCrea, Mary McCrea Lewis.

Funeral Services will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home Chapel for Joe L. McCree, Jr., 80 of Jennings, LA on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 11:00 AM with Reverend Sam West officiating. Visitation will be held at Matthews & Son Funeral Home beginning on Saturday, June 10th from 8 AM until the time of his service. Burial will follow in Eternal Rest Cemetery with Full Military Rites.

Carrying Joe to his final resting place in Eternal Rest Cemetery will be David McCrea, Sr., Isaiah Reed, James Achane, Lynn Joseph, Brandon Lewis, and Warren Woods.

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

Cemetery Details

Eternal Rest

Elton, LA 70532

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 10. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS
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Service

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Tribute Wall



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