



Ken Houston Viator

November 19, 1940 - October 26, 2017

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Jennings: A Mass of Christian burial for Ken Houston Viator, 77, of New Iberia, LA will be held at St John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Mermentau, LA on Monday, October 30, 2017 at 12:00 PM with Father Randall Moreau officiating. Visitation will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home in Jennings on Sunday, October 29, 2017 from 10:00 AM until 8:00 PM with a rosary recited at 6:00 PM by the Knights of Columbus. Visitation will resume on Monday, October 30, 2017 at 9:00 AM until the time of his funeral Mass. Ken will be laid to rest in Mermentau Cemetery.

Ken was born in Midland, LA on November 19, 1940 to Elias Viator and Eve Richard Viator. He was called to his Heavenly Father on October 26, 2017. Ken served our Country honorably in the Army. During his enlistment he was honored with the following awards: Good Conduct Medal, First Class Missile man (LCHR), Marksman (Carbine & Rifle), Sharpshooter (Carbine), and Basic Missile man Sam. Ken was a member of the Knights of Columbus in which he held the honor of being a 4th degree. He loved to play golf and do woodwork. Ken was also an avid fan of LSU and the New Orleans Saints. Ken was a kind and loving person who will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Ken is survived by his two sons, Darryl Andrew (Celeste) Viator of New Iberia, LA, Lance Paul (Karen) Viator of New Iberia, LA; his daughter, Cynthia Ann (Rob) Picard of New Iberia, LA; his three brothers, Billy Larry (Bonnie) Viator of Sulphur, LA, Gary James (Betty) Viator of Mermentau, LA, Robert Dale Viator of Mermentau, LA; his sister, Bernadine Hanks (Bennett) of Jennings, LA; his five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Ken is preceded in death by his parents Elias and Eve Viator; his beloved wife Margueritte Ann Viator; his son, Dwayne Alvin Viator; his brother, Johnny Viator; his sister, Helen Cormier.

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

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Mermentau Cemetery

South 13th St.
LA 70556

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS
511 N. Cutting Avenue
Jennings, LA 70546
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Rosary

OCT **29**. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **30**. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. John the Evangelist
707 Orange St.
Mermentau, LA 70556

Tribute Wall



“ *Ken Houston Viator*

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of y'all's Dad. Sorry I am not able to attend the funeral, I am out of town, but know that I will be praying for y'all that God will wrap his arms around you to make this easier to bear. Sending my love to all of you and take care— Juanita Richard 🙏🙏*

Juanita Richard - October 29, 2017 at 11:16 AM



“ *32 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Matthews Funeral Home - October 28, 2017 at 03:17 PM



“ *Our condolences and prayers goes out to the Viator Family. Ken will be sadly missed, such a kind person always smiling. R.I.P Mr.Ken*

Allen and Belinda LaSalle LaSalle - October 27, 2017 at 12:24 PM



My thoughts and Prayers to my great friends. My Love to you all. Sorry...

John Babin - October 28, 2017 at 01:54 AM