



Lester A. Guidry

August 14, 1944 - November 30, 2023

Lake Arthur: It is with the heaviest of hearts that we share with you that Lester A. Guidry a retired Marine Corps Gunnery Sergeant who served in Vietnam passed away on November 30, 2023. Lester was born in Jennings, LA on August 14, 1944, to Zephrien Guidry & Zilda Benoit Guidry. Lester was a hard-working & loving husband, father, & grandfather. Lester loved doing carpentry work, going hunting, fishing, and camping. Lester was a kind and generous man with a smile that was one of a kind, who was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew & loved him.

Lester is survived by his beloved wife of fifty-one years, Peggy Guidry of Lake Arthur, LA; Brian Keith Leger (Jessica) of Lake Arthur, LA; his brother, Gregory Guidry; his sister, Merle Dugas; his three grandchildren, Kyle Leger, Jayla Minyon, Amber Klumpp; his four great-grandchildren.

Lester now rejoices in heaven with his parents, Zephrien & Zilda Guidry; two brothers, Ernest Guidry, & Allen Guidry; and one sister, Theresa Ivey.

A Gathering of Family and Friends to celebrate Lester's life will be held at Matthews & Son Funeral Home in Lake Arthur, LA beginning on Friday, December 8, 2023, from 2:00 PM until 8:00 PM with a Rosary at 6:00 PM.

The family requests that the visitation resume on Saturday, December 9,

2023, at 8:00 AM and continue until the time of his Service at 1:30 PM. Lester will be laid to rest in the Andrus Cove Cemetery. Honored pallbearers carrying Lester to his final resting place are; Kyle Leger, Dylan Broussard, Joseph Hanks, Edward Boudreaux, Colby Duhon, and Dwayne Dugas.

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

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Andrus Cove Cemetery

Andrus Cove Cemetery Rd
Jennings, LA 70546

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

DEC 8. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - LAKE ARTHUR
314 Kellogg Street
Lake Arthur, LA 70549
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Rosary

DEC 8. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall

AL

“ I'm so glad my son was able to meet his great-grandpa and that I have a photo of both of them. ☐



Amber Leger - December 02, 2023 at 10:19 PM

CD

That's a good pic

Colbey Duhon - December 03, 2023 at 12:06 PM

BP

Awesome picture. It has been years but I do remember Lester. I am so sorry for your loss and am praying for you! God bless your family

Barbara Price - December 04, 2023 at 02:50 PM

CD

“ Rest easy now uncle Lester.

Tell mawmaw and pawpaw we love them.



Colbey Duhon - December 02, 2023 at 07:18 PM

CN

“ *Chrystal Neal lit a candle in memory of Lester A. Guidry*



Chrystal Neal - December 02, 2023 at 02:35 PM

CN

Spent many of summers when I was a kid with handsome uncle of mine. He always knew how to brighten the room ..I really proud to have had him in my life for 39 years it has been a true blessing. U will be missed uncle Lester fly high

Chrystal Neal - December 02, 2023 at 02:36 PM

RG

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of spending time with Lester just a couple of weeks ago. I always enjoyed listening to his stories and especially those of his time in service. Rest easy Gunney your job is done!*

Randol Guidry - December 01, 2023 at 06:57 PM