



## Martin Joseph Mallet

March 5, 1930 - February 17, 2012

Martin Joseph Mallet Jennings: A mass of Christian burial will be held at Our Lady Help of Christians Catholic Church in Jennings, LA on Friday, February 17, 2012 @ 10 AM honoring the life of Martin Joseph Mallet, age 81, who was called to his heavenly father February 14, 2012. Mr. Mallet will be laid to rest beside his beloved wife, Marie, in Calvary Cemetery where he will be honored with full military rites. Father Charles McMillin will be officiating his funeral services. Martin Joseph was born in Welsh, LA on March 5, 1930 to the late Odelon Mallet and the late Helen Trahan Mallet. He served his country honorably in the United States Army and fought courageously in the Korean War. Following his service to this great country, he worked in the retail business for most of his life. Martin was a member of the Knights of Columbus # 2855 and Our Lady Help of Christians Church. He enjoyed dancing, gardening, and visiting with family and friends. Martin was survived by two sons Donald Ray Mallet (Gilda) of Jennings and David Allan Mallet (Lauren "Dodie") also of Jennings, and four daughters Marilyn Tanous (Tom) of Houston, TX, Loretta Ann Smith (Michael) of Jennings, Janet Sue Benoit (Ira Paul) of Jennings, and Brenda Gillespie (Mike) also of Jennings. Martin also leaves behind to cherish his memory seventeen grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and two sisters Irene Deshotel of Lake Arthur and Mabel Landry of Jennings. Martin was welcomed into heaven by his beloved family whom preceded him in death: his parents, Odelon and Helen T. Mallet; wife, Marie Touchet Mallet; and three brothers Clarence, Roy, and Otis Lee Mallet.

Carrying Martin to his eternal resting place in Calvary Cemetery will be Donald Mallet, Michael Mallet, Daniel Mallet, William Brandon Tanous, Shane Darbonne, and Aaron Gillespie. Honorary pallbearers will be David Mallet, Jonathan Gillespie, Eric Gillespie, Christopher Gillespie, Thomas L. Tanous Jr., and Michael Smith. Visitation will be held at Matthews & Son Funeral Home in Jennings, LA on Thursday, February 16, 2012 from 2 PM until 9 PM with a rosary recited at 6 PM. Visitation will resume on Friday at 8 AM until the time of his funeral mass at 10 AM.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Martin Joseph Mallet*

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January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT UNCLE MARTIN.MOM,POP & I WERE WONDERING ABOUT HIM.I ONLY FOUND OUT LAST NIGHT THAT HE PASSED.OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL.YOUR COUSIN JOHNNY & AUNT MAEDEL*

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**JOHN LANDRY** - February 17, 2012 at 09:50 AM



“ *Loretta,  
I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Rick Mallett*

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**Rick Mallett** - February 17, 2012 at 08:08 AM



“ *Sister-in-laws, brother-in laws, and husband it has been a great honor to have had such a great father-in-law and mother-in-law. You are very lucky to have had two great parents and I always thought of them as mine, also. I miss them both and they will always have a special place in my heart. May God bless each and everyone of you and your family's. May peace be with all of you.*

*Love,*

*Gilda*

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**Gilda Mallett** - February 16, 2012 at 11:32 PM

LB

“ Loretta,  
*I just heard about your father. Am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you and your family in my prayers. May God be with you all.*

*Lisa (Lafargue) Brummel*

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**Lisa Brummel** - February 16, 2012 at 09:03 PM

RW

“ Aunt Janet, I am so sorry to hear about your lost. I know that no words can ease the pain, but know that he is in a better place. Love you!

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**Rachel Benoit Walters** - February 16, 2012 at 07:02 PM

NM

“ Marilyn,

*I don't know if you remember me but I am the PSA at the Katy office. You are always very helpful and hear wonderful things about you.*

*I am so sorry for the loss of your father. I hope that you can feel consolation during this hard time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Nicia Medrano*

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**Nicia Medrano** - February 15, 2012 at 02:28 PM

DG

“ *Marilyn and family,*

*We are very sorry for your loss. My family and office staff all send deepest condolences to you Marilyn and to your entire family during this difficult time.*

*David Graham and family*

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**David Graham** - February 15, 2012 at 01:40 PM