



Roy James Henry

July 20, 1926 - January 2, 2016

Roy James Henry

Jennings: The family and friends of Roy James Henry are mourning the loss of their loved one who was called from this life on January 2, 2016 at the age of 89. Roy was born in Gueydan, LA to Lessain Joseph Henry and Mary Guidry Henry on July 20, 1926. Roy served our country honorably in the Navy. He worked as a Steel Worker erecting steel structures and buildings, he worked on one of the first high-rises' in Houston, TX. Roy also worked as a Houston Police Officer. He enjoyed many things throughout his life, such as racing stock cars, flying planes, boats, and motorcycles, especially Harleys. After moving from Houston to Louisiana, Roy enjoyed refurbishing, tractors, cars, and his boat. He also enjoyed hunting, fishing, water skiing, and cooking crawfish. Roy loved visiting and spending time with family and friends. Roy was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Roy is survived by his beloved wife, Bobbie Jane Henry of Mermentau Cove, LA; one step-daughter, Jodie Reed and her husband Joe of Beckville, TX; entrusted friends, Keith and Mona Breaux of Mermentau Cove, LA; one sister, Shirlene Evans of Crowley, LA; two grandchildren, Kelly Reed-Hirsch, Randall Reed; three great-grandchildren, Hunter Reed, Chase Reed, and Reed Hirsch.

Roy was preceded in death by his parents, Lesien and Mary Henry; two brothers, Wilton and Hubert "Shing" Henry.

Funeral services for Roy James Henry, 89 of Mermentau Cove, LA will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home in Jennings, LA on Monday, January 4, 2016 at 2:00 PM with Randall Moreau officiating. Burial will follow in St. John the Evangelist Mausoleum. Visitation will be held at Matthews and Son Funeral Home in Jennings, LA on Monday, January 4th from 10:30 AM until the time of his funeral service with Divine Mercy Caplet rosary recited by Naomi Broussard at 12:30 PM.

Carrying Roy to his final resting place in St. John the Evangelist Cemetery will be Jeffrey John, Dallas Richard, Keith Breaux, Randy Thibodeaux, Dale Thibodeaux, and Eric Thibodeaux. Honorary pallbearers will be Joe Reed and Randall Reed.

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

Arrangements have been entrusted to Matthews & Son Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

St. John the Evangelist Cemetery

707 Orange St.
Mermentau, LA 70556

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Matthews Funeral Home - JENNINGS
511 N. Cutting Avenue
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Rosary

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Tribute Wall



“ *Roy James Henry*

January 28, 2023 at 04:12 PM



“ *Rest peacefully Mr Roy ... Such a sweet person .. Was an honor to have met him ..
And to his wonderful friends (the Breauxs) what a blessing he had having y'all by his side ..*

*Sincerely,
Sara (nurse) and all the staff at Southern Uro*

nurse at southern urology - January 09, 2016 at 11:15 AM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Roy James Henry.*



January 04, 2016 at 02:25 AM



“ *Lots of love and many prayers during this time for the family.*

Big hugs always,

Catherine and the Cumbie Family

betty cumbie - January 03, 2016 at 10:40 PM

JL

“ *JAMES R L. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Roy James Henry.*



JAMES R L. - January 03, 2016 at 09:49 PM

MP

“ *may the family find peace in this difficult time. Uncle Roy was loved by many. Sending out prayers to all who are hurting.*



Melissa Powers - January 03, 2016 at 08:30 PM