



## Dana Jules Gilbert, Sr.

June 16, 2014

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Rayne, LA - Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wednesday, June 18, 2014 at 10:30 am for Dana Jules Gilbert, Sr., 68, who died Monday at his residence in Rayne, LA.

Interment will be in the St. Joseph Cemetery #2, Mausoleum, Rayne, LA.

Surviving are wife, Marie Stelly Gilbert of Rayne, one daughter, Denise Gilbert Kartsimas and husband Jamie of Lafayette, one son, Dana J. "Danny" Gilbert, Jr. and wife Mandy of Weatherford, TX, four grandchildren, Eleni Kartsimas, Kali Kartsimas, Ethan Gilbert, Avery Gilbert, two sisters, Debbie Hoffpauir and husband Ignatius of Rayne, Mary Murphy and husband Robert of Rayne, two brothers, Chad Gilbert and wife Margaret of Rayne, Bill Gilbert and wife Jodie of Poolville, TX.

He was preceded in death by parents, Willard Lee Gilbert and Murella Doucet Gilbert.

During his lifetime Dana touched the lives and souls of many and his presence in our lives is a gift that we will always be thankful for. He unselfishly served his country in United States Navy where he began a life long career in avionics.

Friends will meet at St. Joseph Catholic Church at time of service on Wednesday, June 18, 2014.

Friends may view the obituary and guestbook online at [www.gossenfuneralhome.net](http://www.gossenfuneralhome.net).

Arrangements have been entrusted to Gossen Funeral Home, Inc. of Rayne, LA, (337) 334-3141.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *May you find comfort in the words of Thomas Campbell...*

*"To live in the hearts we leave behind  
is not to die."*

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**Brenda Boudreaux Francis (RHS)** - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

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“ *Marie and Family:*

*More than just a friend, Dana was part of my childhood and growing up years! Adulthood meant married lives, but always in my heart.*

*No doubt the service will be a testament to his life, not death.  
He will be missed, but he is in the final stage where we shall all meet someday.*

*Wish I could join you for the service, but I will be there in spiri.*

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**Paulette Butcher** - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

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“ *May Dana rest in peace, and God's love surround and comfort you and your family at this time. I am so sorry for your loss and will continue to pray for you and your family. Love always, Antoinette*

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**Antoinette Gary-Tyson** - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

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“ *we are so sorry for your loss many prayers in your time of need.  
The Gossen's Renee, Billie, and Courtney.*

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**Renee Gossen** - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM