



David Joseph Moore

August 22, 2015

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Rayne, LA - Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Saturday, August 29, 2015 at 10:00 am Mass for David Joseph Moore , 49, who died Saturday, August 22, 2015 at his residence in Rayne, LA.

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

Surviving are wife, Wendy Moore of Rayne, one daughter, Allison Renee Moore of Rayne, one son, Nicholas Leal Moore of Rayne, father, Larry Moore and wife Nancy of Butte la Rose, one sister, Christy M. Ledet and husband Tim of Rayne, one brother, Scott Moore and wife Margaret of Lafayette, Great Aunt, May Hains, of Rayne.

He was preceded in death by mother, Cynthia Broussard Leal, step father, Chano Leal.

A rosary will be recited Saturday, August 29, 2015 at 9:30 am in St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rayne, LA.

Friends may view the obituary and guestbook online at www.gossenfuneralhome.net.

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

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Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery #2

400 East Betty Street
Rayne, LA

Previous Events

Rosary

AUG 29. 9:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
401 S. Adams Ave.
Rayne, LA 70578

Mass

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Tribute Wall

MD

“ I remember growing up with the Moores as a part of our lives. Truthfully I cannot remember a time without them, whether they were close or far. Dave was a unique person in the sense he had a big heart, wicked sense of humor and damn could he cook. I remember as a kid during the summer SO excited to do festivals with him, Wendy, my parents AND his Cajun deliciousness. As I got older I too wanted to make his staple dishes that I grew up with. As most of you know Daves' bread pudding, shrimp creole and crawfish étouffée were family secrets that SO many people wanted to know, that he kept to himself. I on the other hand was BLESSED to not only learn these recipes many years ago, but had the greatest (and meticulous) teacher teach me how to cook them... David himself!! I rememeber texting you when I would make one of your "secret" recipes for friends, to let you know not only was it a major hit but EVERYONE wanted it. I kept those recipes near and dear to my heart since I was a part of an elite group who was privy to know them. I am so glad you wrote down these recipes to share with your full "friends family" because I know how much love each recipe has in it. I love you with my whole heart and as I promised you I will take care of my dad and be there for your family now that you are gone. We may not live in the same state anymore but promises are promises and I could not express how weird life would be with out you in it. Your up there making crawfish étouffée with my mom now, teaching her. Just make sure when driving around in heaven you do not put any in the backseat, since you know how much of a disaster that will be.

Love you always and Moore than you know.

Meghan Gorman Dahm - August 27, 2015 at 09:11 AM

TM

“ David was a friend and classmate from Notre Dame High School Class of 1984, and he was an outstanding athletic trainer an avid sports fan. So I think it would be fitting to quote a late great ESPN Anchor who also lost is life to cancer. Stuart Scoot said, "when you die, it does not mean that you lose to cancer. You beat cancer by how you live, why you live, and in the manner in which you live." By that definition David Joseph Moore not just beat cancer, he kicked cancer's butt! David beat cancer on all counts and in the process taught us all a lesson of love for he truly loved his family and close friends into eternity, I am so proud to have been called his friend! To Wendy, Allison and Nick, I pray that the Holy Spirit brings comfort to your souls during this period of mourning. It is our faith that one day, if we live right, we shall see him again.

Rest in Peace D!

Terrence P. Martin

Terrence P. Martin - August 26, 2015 at 07:36 PM

LL

Very well said, Terrence! David did kick cancer's butt!!! He has also left behind lasting impressions of how we should all live our lives; surrounded by people we love, and making the most of the precious time God has given us.

Rest in Peace David

Linda D. Lawson

ND Class of '84

Linda Lawson - August 29, 2015 at 06:11 AM

MC

David was an angel on earth. The love he showed Wendy Allison and Nick is unconditional and the true meaning of the way life should be lived instead of all the complaining we do. I hope we can all take a piece of David's act of kindness and learn from it. I know it will forever change my life and the stuff I take for granted like my husband and children. We need to all remember that God has only leant them to us, we never know when he will take them back.

Marguerite Petitjean Carriere

ND Class 84

Marguerite Petitjean Carriere - August 29, 2015 at 09:10 AM

MD

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time of sadness. We loved David, he was a very special soul.*
We will have a mass said for David at Holy Family Catheral in Tulsa, OK
David was a very brave soul, courages man, he had tremendous faith in our Lord.
Rest In Peace David.

Kathleen and Michael Davis

michael & kathleen davis - August 25, 2015 at 06:38 PM

WM

“ I called him my angel, for good reason. He put everyone else first ALWAYS! He never complained about being sick or the pain. These last couple of months we chose to share our death experience instead of hiding it. I wanted to show my kids how loved our Angel was.... And they saw!! Priceless moments when you see your children wash grown men hug and kiss each other and tell each other they love them- because they truly love each other! I'm the lucky one he chose to spend his life with. I only pray I can be half as good as he was. RIP my angel-

Wendy Moore - August 24, 2015 at 10:51 PM

MB

“ I am so sorry for your loss Wendy. I know how you feel losing your love and surely your best friend. Prayers go out to you and your children.



Mickey Bourque - August 24, 2015 at 06:29 PM

CN

“ So sorry for the loss of Dave...He will be missed by many..
Love to Wendy and the kids,
Aunt Carol (Jeff's aunt)

Carol New - August 24, 2015 at 04:14 PM

SG

“ So sorry for the loss of a really good man. It's sad but now he no longer suffers..
All good things come to an end. I hope peace finds it way to you.

Stan Gates - August 24, 2015 at 03:04 PM

CG

“ Chad & Kim George sent a virtual gift in memory of David Joseph Moore



Chad & Kim George - August 24, 2015 at 12:59 PM

MH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts & prayers. He will be greatly missed by his Sysco family as well.

Melissa Harris - August 24, 2015 at 08:03 AM

BT

“ Wendy, Allison, and Nick, I am so sorry for your loss. I will never forget David sitting poolside in the hot sun, not feeling well at all but so proud watching his children swim. What a good father. Know that you are in my prayers daily. Ily

Barbara Touchet - August 24, 2015 at 02:00 AM

MD

“ I am so sorry for your loss! David was a generous and loving man. He grew up across the street from us. He will be missed!
Margaret, Malcolm and the Doucet children

Margaret L. Doucet - August 23, 2015 at 03:42 PM

CH

“ Wendy, I have just seen the post that we lost one of the Best people I have ever known! I am so sorry for your loss and sending prayers to you and your family! David was and is an awesome dude! I will miss all the talks about food, pool and the family! Rest in peace my friend! Love ya chris and ashley

chrismillerwhitediamondilliards - August 23, 2015 at 11:39 AM

MZ

Dave I love you like a brother. You are the best of the best. You and Wendy set the bar for showing us how true love works. You Moores have a special place in our hearts. We are blessed to be loved and fed by you two. I love you more than food too. Your Forever ZOGHBI's

michelle Zoghbi - August 23, 2015 at 12:33 PM

KM

“ It was such a pleasure having an opportunity to work with Dave for so many years. I'm sure I can speak for all the drivers and say that Dave will be truly missed.
Dave's strength and courage over the years was remarkable. My prayers to the family. Rest in peace Dave.

Kent McCroskey - August 23, 2015 at 09:50 AM

DP

“ I used to babysit David, Christie, and Scott when you guys were little for your mom and dad. Sorry to hear of his passing. Your family is in my prayers.

Darlene Richard Primeaux - August 22, 2015 at 09:15 PM

DS

“ I have so many great memories of Dave. I have a few of them when cooking was involved (Étouffée and shrimp gumbo on Peggy Street in 2002, at our place when we were stationed in San Antonio back in 2006, at the Taste of Chicago (in their food truck) in 1996 and at Dave and Wendy's last April. But one of my favorite memories was when Nick, who was 4 when I visited them in 2002 I think, wasn't on his best behavior at the dinner table. Dave told him that Santa might take away his next birthday if he didn't shape up (but imagine this being said in Dave's warm, sweet-flowing voice with his charm and in his words). I darn-near fell over trying not to pee myself laughing because he was messing around with Nick but Nick's face was so serious, like he was being scolded, he was so cute! (Imagine really believing that you won't really have another birthday if you didn't do what your daddy told you to!). Bwahahaha. That is how Dave and Wendy raised their kids- with a great sense of humor and tolerance. Nick and Allie went for years thinking that NcDonald's wasn't open on Tuesdays.

Dr. Shawn Sorensen Sebor - August 22, 2015 at 09:11 PM

CS

“ My heart & prayers go out to David's family & friends. He was such a pleasure to work with & so kind. He touched so many & will be missed & remembered always!
Cindy Schmidt, Heinz



Cindy Schmidt - August 22, 2015 at 07:40 PM

TF

“ What a blessing to have known Dave, such a loving, and giving husband and Dad. You can see how many friends they have they have shared their love and have given back! He will be missed by each and everyone he has touched! God rest you Dave !

Tiedemann Family - August 22, 2015 at 06:38 PM

TF

“ Tiedemann Family lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Moore



Tiedemann Family - August 22, 2015 at 06:32 PM

AC

Deepest condolences from former neighbors Anna and Chad Colligan. Wonderful young man. Prayers for his family .

Anna Colligan - August 23, 2015 at 04:17 AM

BC

may god bless him & his family

baverly-sybil comeaux - August 23, 2015 at 08:32 AM

PP

So many great memories of David as kids visiting with Ms. Cynthia, David, Scotty, and Christie. He was a great person who was always be remembered. Looking forward to getting a copy of his cookbook. Paul Privat Houston Texas

Paul Privat - August 25, 2015 at 11:50 AM

AG

Our world needs more men like David Moore was... such a good man... RIP David ! Prayers for your beautiful wife and children... You've set such an amazing example for them, they will grow to be fabulous people....

Angie Gaskin - August 28, 2015 at 09:14 AM

SM

Dave was just simply the best. A great guy, loving husband and father. Can not say enough about what a great employee, manger and co-worker he was. He was a perfect manager and I will always have great respect for him. He always thought of others first and was generous with all that he had.

I will miss him.

Sam

Sam Morris - August 28, 2015 at 05:07 PM