



## Frank Russel Heikamp

August 8, 1950 - January 7, 2023

Frank Russel Heikamp

Roberts Cove, LA - Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at a 10:30 am Mass of Christian Burial at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rayne for Frank Russel Heikamp, 72, who died Saturday, January 7, 2023 at his residence in Roberts Cove, LA.

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

Rev. Brent Smith, Pastor of St. Joseph Catholic Church will be the Celebrant of the Funeral Mass and will conduct the funeral services.

Frank was a loving husband married to his wife, Bevely of 50 years. He enjoyed taking her to visit Catholic Shrines when they would go on vacation. He was a loving father to his children and Paw Paw to his grandchildren. He was the best brother, and fun uncle anyone could have. He was a generous, selfless person who would always help a person in need. Frank worked for Winn Dixie for 40 years as the supervisor of maintenance and owner of Frank's Electric for 42 years. He loved going fishing on his boat, taking his grandkids for a ride, telling stories, and making jokes. He enjoyed basketball and played Adult Men's League in Lafayette for 30 years and enjoyed playing alongside his two sons when they were old enough. He loved watching the

Saints play football and fulfilled his lifelong dream of being at the game and watch the Saints win the Superbowl. He will be dearly missed by his family and anyone who knew him.

Survivors include his wife, Bevely Gossen Heikamp of Roberts Cove. His two daughters, Wendy and spouse Laurent LaVergne, Jennifer and spouse Kemp Guillory, both of Rayne. His two sons, Frank Jr. and spouse Stephanie, John and spouse Tonya, both of Indian Bayou. His eight grandchildren, Kemp Joseph Guillory II, Anthony Guillory, Katelyn Heikamp, Victoria LaVergne, John Paul Heikamp, Eric LaVergne, Sydnie LaVergne, Tyler Heikamp. His two sisters, Maria Heikamp Avant of Rochester Hills, MI, and Carla Heikamp Scallan and spouse Glenn Scallan of Metairie. His brother, Kenny Heikamp and spouse Wendee Heikamp of Amite. His five sisters-in-law, Sister Theresa Gossen, Yvonne Gossen Guidry, Dianne Gossen Istre and spouse Winfred Istre, Donna Gossen Hoffpauir and spouse Greg Hoffpauir, Lisa DesOrmeaux Gossen. His two brothers-in-law, Nick Gossen and spouse Ann Gossen, Byron Gossen, and his numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, John Henry Heikamp III, mother, Maria Stammelluti Heikamp, his in-laws, Raymond and Henrietta Gossen, and his two brothers-in-law, Gregory Gossen, Michael John Guidry.

Pallbearers will be Frank Heikamp Jr, John Heikamp, Kenny Heikamp, Kemp Joseph Guillory II, Anthony Guillory, John Paul Heikamp, Eric LaVergne, and Tyler Heikamp. Honorary Pallbearers will be Laurent LaVergne, Kemp Guillory, Nick Gossen, Byron Gossen, Winfred Istre, Greg Hoffpauir, and Glenn Scallan.

A Rosary will be prayed Tuesday, January 10, 2023 at 7:00 pm in Gossen Funeral Home in Rayne, LA.

The family requests that visitation be observed in Gossen Funeral Home in Rayne, LA on Tuesday, January 10, 2023 from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm and on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 from 8:00 am to 10:00 am.

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.

Gossen Funeral Home, Inc.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Inc.  
504 N. Polk Street  
Rayne, LA 70578  
(337) 334-3141  
info@gossenfuneralhome.net  
<http://gossenfh.funeralplan2.com/>

## Rosary

JAN 10. 7:00 PM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Inc.  
504 N. Polk Street  
Rayne, LA 70578  
(337) 334-3141  
info@gossenfuneralhome.net  
<http://gossenfh.funeralplan2.com/>

## Visitation

JAN 11. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Inc.  
504 N. Polk Street  
Rayne, LA 70578  
(337) 334-3141  
info@gossenfuneralhome.net  
<http://gossenfh.funeralplan2.com/>

## Mass

JAN 11. 10:30 AM (CT)

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

## Cemetery

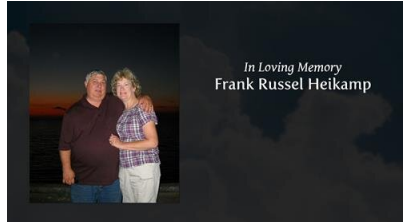
JAN 11 (CT)

St. Joseph Cemetery #2  
400 East Betty Street  
Rayne, LA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gossen Funeral Home Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Frank Russel Heikamp*



---

**Gossen Funeral Home Inc.** - January 09, 2023 at 11:02 AM

AS

“ *I played football with Frank, Jerry, Clifford, and Alvin behind Frank's house on Helois St around 1964-65. Ater I went away to college I never saw him again. I just found out this year (2023) that he passed away and was so sorry to get that news.*

---

**Alton F Schmitt** - August 24, 2023 at 03:25 PM

JO

“ *Our deepest empathy to the family—he was friendly and always said hello when our paths crossed*

---

**johnnie Olinger** - January 12, 2023 at 05:20 PM

TT

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your loss, and I will continue to pray for your family.*

---

**Tim Trahan** - January 12, 2023 at 01:13 PM

LG

“ *What a beautiful tribute, and the most perfect songs, what a wonderful life, indeed, a life filled with so much love and happiness, my thoughts and prayers go out to each and everyone of you. Love to all, always.*

---

**Lisa Gossen** - January 10, 2023 at 02:30 PM

YG

“ *I have so many sweet, loving memories of Frank. I have known Frank for over 50 years, ever since he came roaring into our lives from New Orleans in his purple charger and swept Bevely off her feet! This city boy quickly became one of us, but he never forgot where he came from and especially his New Orleans Saints! Frank was such an amazing person, he was a loving husband, dad, dad in law, granddad, brother, brother in law, and uncle! He loved Bevely, and his family with all his heart, and in return they loved him just as much! Frank's faith was inspiring, especially these last few weeks of his life, he and Bevely's faith never waivered, they put their trust in God to do His will, whatever that may be! Frank never met a stranger, and he was always willing help anyone at anytime! He was quite the jokester, I know my kid will never forget "the middle if fun! Lol!! He was also the best story teller, and oh the fantastic stories he would tell! Frank was such a blessing to me after the passing of my Michael, he promised Michael he would always look after us and he did! Frank will always hold a special place in my heart right next to Michael! I can only imagine that reunion in heaven, when Frank was reunited with his parents, my mom and dad, my Michael, Gregory and all our other angels! I don't think heaven will ever be the same! So Frank, go rest high on that mountain, you so deserve it and your angel wings! You will always be in our thoughts and hearts, because what the heart has once known, it shall never forget! We love you Frank Russel! ALWAYS!*

---

**Yvonne G. Guidry** - January 08, 2023 at 11:47 AM



“ *Tim Mayfield lit a candle in memory of Frank Russel Heikamp*



-----  
**Tim Mayfield** - January 08, 2023 at 11:17 AM



*Rest in Eternal Peace*  
🙏 *'S for family at this difficult time*

-----  
**Tim Mayfield** - January 08, 2023 at 11:18 AM



*God bless you all*

-----  
**Tim Mayfield** - January 15, 2023 at 11:02 AM

RM

“ *Ronnie Myers lit a candle in memory of Frank Russel Heikamp*



-----  
**Ronnie Myers** - January 07, 2023 at 10:04 PM

JT

“ *Sending our deepest sympathy and prayers for the entire family! May God give you all comfort and strength in this time of need! We will miss seeing him at the voting poll!* 🙏🙏

-----  
**Jo Ann G Thomas** - January 07, 2023 at 06:38 PM