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Rayne, LA - George "Bootsie" Frank Hains, Jr., 71, left this world to be with the Lord on Wednesday, May 21, 2014. Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Monday, May 26, 2014 at 2:00 pm.

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

Surviving are his loving wife of 52 years Nola Duhon Hains; one daughter, Pam Hains McDuffie and husband Mark of Trinidad, West Indies; one son, Bart T. Hains and wife Lynn of Baton Rouge; four grandchildren, Lance Pefferkorn, Tyler McDuffie, Garrett Hains and Zachary Hains; two sisters, Evelyn H. Stamm, and Jacquelyn H. Weaver and husband Mike; and his godmother, Verna Foreman Comeaux.

He was preceded in death by his parents George Frank Hains, Sr. and Veda Foreman Hains.

Bootsie was a member of the Board of Directors for both the Vermilion Cattlemen's Assn. and Lafayette Parish Farm Bureau.

He was chosen as the 2008 Cattleman of the Year. He also received the Louisiana Master Cattle Producer Award and the Master Farmer Award.

Bootsie loved his cattle, he enjoyed horseback riding, fishing and most of all spending time with family and friends. Both Bootsie and Nola enjoyed entertaining their family and cherished friends.

Friends will be received Sunday, May 25, 2014 from 11:00 am until 9:00 pm & Monday, May 26, 2014 from 8:00 am until 1:30 pm at Gossen Funeral Home, Inc., Rayne, LA. A Rosary will be recited at 6:30 pm Sunday, May 25, 2014.

Pallbearers will be Lance Pefferkorn, Tyler McDuffie, Garrett Hains, Brad Sonnier, James "Jim" Foreman and Scott Breaux. Honorary Pallbearers will be Mark McDuffie, Jules Carrier, Jeff Colgins and Alphe Lavergne, Jr.

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.

Gossen Funeral Home, Inc.

Tribute Wall

HM

“ *Our prayers go out to Mrs. Nola and her family!
We were so blessed to have known Mr. Bootsie! He was a perfect
example of how we should all live life, to the fullest!*

We will miss him!

Heath & Marla Gaspard - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

BN

“ *Our thoughts and condolences are with all of you Bart
Bob and Norma Stewart*

Bob and Norma Stewart - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

JJ

“ *God bless our good friend and neighbor Bootsie! What a wonderful
example of generosity and love, both he and his family have been to
us. Our prayers to Nola, his devoted and loving wife, and to all of his
family.*

*Our lives have been blessed because of our friendship with Bootsie
and his family! God's peace be with you.*

Jim, Lisa, Peter, Joe Ousse - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

DC

“ Dear Nola and family:

Please accept our sincere sympathy, thoughts and prayers at the loss of your dear, Bootsie.

You were both so very kind to everyone and our friendship will be forever treasured as we will remember you and try to keep in touch. May all memories bring you peace and comfort and may he rest in God's peace.

Daniel & Claudine Desormeaux - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

CE

“ Oh Nola I am sooo sooo sorry for your and Pam. and Bart and grandchildren loss..Just recently spoke with you...this shocked me..May God wrap his loving arms around you and your children..

Cecile Doucet - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

BE

“ My sincere sympathies for the entire Hains family. I knew Bootsie and Nola - such a lovely couple. My prayers and loving thoughts are with all of you.

Beverly Clark - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

EL

“ Mrs. Nola we are so sorry to hear of Mr. Bootsie passing away. He was well liked by all who knew him and he will be greatly missed. We will keep him, you and your family in our prayers.

Elaine & Lenis Hebert - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

MS

“ Nola, Bart and Pam, you and your family are in our prayers.

Mike and Susan Risinger - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

BK

“ We love and admire you Uncle Bootsie, you will be with us forever in our dreams and in our prayers!! May god be with you!

Brad Sonnier Family Brad, Mela and Kristie - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

LC

“ Bart and family. Carolyn and I are so sorry to hear about Mr. Bootsie untimely passing. We remember some of his and your stories about him. He was divinitely one of a kind. Sorry the "old cowboy had to ride away".

Larry & Carolyn Braud - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

JU

“ Nola and Family,
You all are in my thoughts and prayers.
JuJu

Judy Romero - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

BS

“ may god bless him & his family!!!!

baverly & sybil Comeaux - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

JE

“ Dear Nola, and family, please know our condolenc

Jeri Landry - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM

AL

“ Our condolence to Mrs Nola & family.
Rest in peace Mr Bootsie till we meet again. We love you.

Alphe& Jeanette Lavergne - September 04, 2014 at 09:26 AM