



Dr. John Joseph Guidry

December 17, 1928 - February 1, 2011

Dr. John Joseph Guidry

Rayne - Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Saturday, February 5, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. Mass of Christain Burial for Dr. John Joseph Guidry, 82, who died Tuesday, February 1, 2011 at his residence in Rayne. Interment will be in the St. Joseph Cemetery #2, Rayne, LA.

Surviving are wife, Genevieve Julie Gonsoulin Guidry of Youngsville, one son, Dr. John Charles Guidry and partner Mike Galan of San Antonio, TX, two daughters, Catherine Celise Guidry Hair of Plano, TX and husband Trevor Hair of Gueydan, Dr. Julie Anna Guidry Moulard and husband Scott Moulard of Baton Rouge, four grandchildren, Alexander Armand DuBos of Plano, TX, Jean-Paul Joseph DuBos of Plano, TX, Jenica Candice Guidry of Carencro, Celise Suzette Guidry of Carencro, four sisters, Viola Blanchard of Scott, Ella Mae Foreman of Rayne, Marie Broussard of Rayne, Jeanette Leger and husband Willie of Rayne, one brother, Lawrence Guidry and wife Exaltha of Rayne, and numerous nieces, nephews and their families.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Eloi Guidry and Anne Alicia Callier Guidry, one sister, Julia Guidry, and five brothers, Rodney, Harry, Gerald, Dennis and Paul Guidry.

He was born Monday, December 17, 1928 in Rayne, LA, son of the late Eloi Guidry and the late Anne Alicia Callier Guidry.

Dr. Guidry was a graduate of St. Joseph High School in Rayne and

Southwestern Louisiana Institute in Lafayette. He received his degree in medicine at Louisiana State University in 1953 and interned at Henry Ford hospital in Detroit. He was a resident practicing physician at Charity hospital in New Orleans before he entered the service.

He served as a Captain in the Army, and was stationed in Formosa (now Taiwan). He survived an attack by Chinese piloted Russian MIGs over disputed waters between Taiwan and China during his service.

Dr. Guidry began his medical practice in Delcambre, Louisiana in 1957. He then established his office in Rayne in 1958 and practiced at the same location for almost 30 years, retiring in 1997. He was also one of the founders/owners of the Rayne Guest Home, Inc.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, and a past member of the Lions Club. He was on the St. Joseph Parish Council, and a Eucharistic minister at St. Joseph Catholic Church. He served as a delegate for 30 years for Louisiana State Medical Society and was a member of the American Medical Association.

The Family would like to express their sincere thanks to all the sitters and caregivers who assisted in his care this past year.

A rosary will be recited at Friday, February 4, 2011 at 7:00 p.m..

Friends will be received at Gossen Funeral Home, Inc., Rayne, LA Friday, February 4, 2011 from 2:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, February 5, 2011 from 8:00 a.m. until service at Gossen Funeral Home Rayne, LA.

Pallbearers will be Dr. John C. Guidry, Alex DuBos, Jean-Paul DuBos, Trevor Hair, Mike Galan and Scott Moulard.

Contributions may be made to the in lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and Acadiana, 215 E. Pinhook Road, Lafayette, LA 70501.

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

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“ *To the Guidry Family:*

Our deepest condolences go out to your entire family for the loss of John. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

*Joan Falgout
Creig & Chris Miguez*

Creig Miguez - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

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“ *TO THE FAMILY OF DR. JOHN GUIDRY,*

WE SEND YOU ALL OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.

ALLEN & GAYLE (BABINEAUX) PRADOS

ALLEN & GAYLE (BABINEAUX) PRADOS - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

WG

“ *Aunt Julie, John Charles, Cathy and Julie Anna, I am flooded with great childhood memories of spending so much time with you all and your dad! What great memories he made with us. Remember when he pierced my ears ? I am surprised he continued his practice after that ordeal ! :) I miss you all very much and am so deeply sorry that I cannot make it home to be with you all! My faithful prayers to all of you and may he rest in peace, in the loving arms of the angels in heaven.*

Wendy Gonsoulin Ghattas - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

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“ *Cathy and family,*

My deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your father. May his memories remain close to your heart forever and may he rest in peace.

Although it has been many years since we have seen each other I will always cherish our friendship and hope one day to see you again. Cathy please call me at 337-540-1775 if you ever need a friend to just help you thru your difficult times.

David, the Funeral Director, at Gossen was a co-worker with me at Hixson Funeral Home in Lake Charles. I am truly grateful as I know he will be caring and compassionate to you and your family during your time of loss.

*God Bless,
Regina Guidry/Co-Worker*

Regina Guidry (Broussard) - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

JD

“ *We have so many wonderful memories of time shared with all of you over the years. All the special family gatherings, crawfish boils, just spending time together laughing, dancing and having fun. We hope your memories will comfort you during this very difficult time. Love and hugs to all of you. Jennifer, Mark, Evan and Ashlyn*

Jennifer Doremus - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

RI

“ Julie & Family,

John was an ethical physician and a true gentleman.

He advised & helped me several times, many years ago, when I was a young family doctor.

John was an institution in Rayne. He will be missed.

May GOD bless and keep his soul close in Heaven.

Condolences to the Guidry Family.

*Richard Fremaux, MD
New Orleans*

Richard Fremaux - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

VM

“ *A very wonderful person and doctor has been taken to the Lord. He was my dr. when I was a little girl. He delivered my 2nd child in 1974. He also saved my life from a bleeding tumor inside my stomach in 1977. I am saddened to hear of his passing and he will be greatly missed. My preayre's are with the family ...*

Vicky Menard Green - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

CH

“ *Cathy,
My deepest sympathy to you and your family for your loss. Your Dad and your family are in my prayers.*

Charles Duplechin - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

SU

“ Your dad was our family doctor for many generations also. He was a great doctor, great person & he will be sadly missed. Your family will be in our prayers.

Sue S - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

BD

“ I'm sorry for yall's loss. Dr. Guidry was a great doctor and a good man. He will be missed!

Brian David Constantin - October 29, 2013 at 04:07 PM

RO

“ your dad was a brilliant doctor. i had the opportunity to work with him at rayne branch. he was also our family physician for several generations..so sorry for your loss.

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