



Joseph Wayne Menard, Sr.

January 1, 2017

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Rayne, LA - Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 4, 2017 at 11:00 am at Gossen Funeral Home Chapel in Rayne for Joseph Wayne Menard, Sr., 65, who died Sunday January 1, 2017 at residence in Rayne, LA

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

Todd Trahan will be will conduct the funeral services.

Survivors include wife, Becky Richard Menard, daughter, Jamie Menard Royer and husband Shannon of Mire, son, Joseph "Jody" Wayne Menard, Jr. of North Dakota, three grandsons, Trent Mouton and wife Haley, Lukas Meche and fiancé Libby McFarland, Nyles Menard, five granddaughters, Dondie Royer, Abbie Royer, Bailee' Royer, Madeline Weber, Jacie Richard, two great grandsons, Isaiah Meche, Lucian Porter Mouton, two sisters, Mary Alice Leger and Ricky Bossier, Shirley Meshell of Natchitoches, two nephews, Jason Meshell of Many, Kevin Meshell of Zwolle, niece, April Odonahue and husband Scott of Haughton, great niece, Savannah Odonahue of Haughton.

He was preceded in death by father, Leodice "Jr" Menard, Jr., mother, Sadie Boudreaux Menard, grandmother, Ludie Menard, father in law, LeRoy

Richard, mother in law, Vercy Richard, brother in law, Dewayne Meshell, nephew, Chad Meshell.

The family requests that visitation be observed in Gossen Funeral Home in Rayne LA on Tuesday January 3, 2017 from 2:00 pm to 9:00 pm and on Wednesday January 4, 2017 from 8:00 am to 11:00 am.

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.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 2:00 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/>

Visitation

JAN 4. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Service

JAN 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

Gossen Funeral Home Chapel
504 N. Polk St
Rayne, LA 70578

Cemetery

JAN 4 (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

KF

“ Prayers and condolences to the family. May his soul rest in eternal peace with our Lord.



Karen Kibodeaux Franzel - January 09, 2017 at 11:08 PM

BE

“ My sincere and deepest condolences to you and your family.
Beth Johnson Goins

Beth - January 06, 2017 at 11:41 AM

DG

“ Deanna Guidry lit a candle in memory of Joseph Wayne Menard, Sr.



Deanna Guidry - January 03, 2017 at 08:35 AM

DG

My prayers are with you and family

Deanna Guidry - January 03, 2017 at 08:36 AM



“ To the man who welcomed me with open arms, I loved you like you were my own grandfather. I remember the first day I met you, pregnant with your first great grandbaby. You told me how blessed you were to experience his arrival. The first year after Izzy was born, you and GG had him almost every weekend. I am so thankful I let you spend this time with him. How he has grown to love you so much. He asked for you today, where is 'Father' as he calls for you. I told him you are flying in the sky, you are his angel. You are where you've wanted to be. You are with him and you are protecting our boys. Thank you for shaping the man I love into the person I will marry. My one goal before your passing was to dance with you at our wedding. When that happens sooner or later, I promise to have a moment of rejoicing for you. We always spoke about that day. Today Lukas and I were talking in the car about what I should wear Wednesday. He told me it wouldn't matter what you wore Libby..he thought you were so beautiful and he loved you so much. My heart aches for your voice, for your laughter. I am glad I met you grandfather. Your strength and love impacted my life more than you ever knew. Izzy will always know who you are. His 'father' will never be forgotten. I couldn't hold back with this any more, how I felt, or what I needed to get off my chest as I mourn the loss of you. I love you and we will miss the strongest and toughest person I have ever had the privilege of knowing, my son's guardian angel.

Libby McFarland - January 03, 2017 at 01:02 AM

PR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Becky, and your family at this most difficult time. May he rest in peace.
Peggy & Russell Richard

Peggy & Russell Richard - January 02, 2017 at 11:58 PM

LC

“ *Louanna Credeur sent a virtual gift in memory of Joseph Wayne Menard, Sr.*



Louanna Credeur - January 02, 2017 at 09:54 PM

JR

“ *There are no right words to speak at a time like this. We find comfort in the hugs and love from others. As daddy's little girl there is a bond there that will never be broken. I loved you then, I love you now, and I will love you forever dad. I pray you are rejoicing and pain free up there. I am very selfish wanting you to stay here with me although happy you are pain free. I love you daddy. Forever, Jamie*



Jamie Royer - January 02, 2017 at 09:43 PM

JW

“ *From POGO playing friend to A Brother of the Heart how you will be missed. I can see You and Dan sitting there fishing till Becky and I arrive. My love to my Becky and Jamie and Jody. Another GOOD Man gone too soon..Huggers JJ*

JILL WIRTH - January 02, 2017 at 05:59 PM

BL

“ *My sympathies to Becky and family----GOD BLESS ALL !!*

Beverly Leger - January 02, 2017 at 05:43 PM



“ *Susan Stelly lit a candle in memory of Joseph Wayne Menard, Sr.*



Susan Stelly - January 02, 2017 at 04:12 PM

BC

“ *may god bless him & his family---with god speed*

baverly/sybil comeaux - January 02, 2017 at 02:12 PM

SR

My deepest sympathy to Becky and family. I didn't know Wayne but I knew members from both sides of the families. I will keep you all in my prayers. RIP Wayne and God bless you all through this difficult time.

Sapha L. Richard - January 03, 2017 at 06:47 AM