



## Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.

July 15, 1935 - December 26, 2013

Benedict S. Thiele, Jr., (Bennie) passed away in Kenner, LA on the morning of December 26, 2013. He was 78, a native of New Orleans and a resident of Kenner. Beloved husband of Theresa H. Thiele for 55 years. Father of Karen Holland (Mike), Gerard Thiele, Sr. (Dorie), Daniel Thiele, Ronald Thiele, Sr., Benedict Thiele, III (Marie) and Gregory Thiele. Son of the late Benedict S. Thiele, Sr. and Agnes Regina Laux Anderson. Brother of Alfred Thiele, Sr. (Barbara), Michael Thiele, Edwin Anderson, Alida Kuebler, Lana Anderson, Susan McCarthy, Joni Rockwell, Jane Anderson and the late Dr. John Thiele, Sr. (Patricia). Also survived by 16 grandchildren and 33 great-grandchildren Bennie was a 1955 graduate of Redemptorist High School. He was in the international transportation industry after high school until his retirement in 1997. He spent most of his career with Waterman Bros Steamship Co. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 6746. His family will miss him dearly and his witty sense of humor.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated in the Chapel of L. A. Muhleisen and Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Monday, December 30, 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

Visitation on Sunday, December 29, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 pm and on Monday from 9:00 a.m. until time of service. Interment in Metairie Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Metairie Cemetery

5100 Pontchartrain Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70124

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **29**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home  
2607 Williams Blvd  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 466-8577  
info@muhleisen.com

## Visitation

DEC **30**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Funeral Mass

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Tosha, so sorry for the loss of your grandfather. Thoughts & prayers to your family at this most difficult time.*

**Lisa Perron** - December 31, 2013 at 12:51 AM



*Pawpaw will be missed a lot love you pawpaw*

**Jonathan thiele** - April 26, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr..*



December 29, 2013 at 11:51 AM



“ *Jim And Lillianne Holland lit a candle in memory of Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.*



**Jim and Lillianne Holland** - December 29, 2013 at 09:39 AM

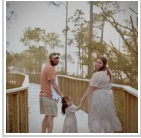


“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.*



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December 28, 2013 at 06:04 PM



“ *Briana Thiele* sent a virtual gift in memory of *Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.*



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**Briana Thiele** - December 28, 2013 at 06:01 PM

BT

“ this is long but I seen this n this describes everything ...

*I love my Grandpa with all my heart and will miss him so.  
I know we are all feeling a little bit sad,  
That we've lost our Grandpa, our friend and our dad  
Together we have cried an ocean of tears  
As we feel so empty and hold many fears*

*But Grandpa would want us to know he's in a good place  
And that he watching us all with a smile on his face  
As we have made him so proud, as proud as can be  
That he has raised such a beautiful and special family*

*Thinking back now I really must say  
I feel lucky and privileged to have known Grandpa to this day  
For in my life, you have played a special part  
The memories I will treasure and keep close to your heart*

*For me I am glad my little baby he got to meet  
And for all of us, be grateful, his life is now complete  
To each one of us he has loved and cared  
And a family, be thankful for the good times we shared*

*Although he has gone we will always be together  
And his spirit will live on each one of us forever  
When you look to the sky, look for the brightest star  
As that will be Grandpa looking down on us from afar*

*And now I would like to thank the good Lord above  
For blessing us with our Grandpa with his kindness and love  
Dear God, if it is not too much fuss  
Take extra special care of our Grandpa as he is very dear to us*

*Grandpa if you are listening say a prayer for us every day  
Be sure to protect us and guide us on our way  
We know when God called you, you had to go*

*But we want you to know Grandpa we miss you and love you so*

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**Brittany thiele** - December 28, 2013 at 09:05 AM

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“ *Brittany lit a candle in memory of Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.*



**Brittany** - December 28, 2013 at 08:54 AM

TT

“ *I haven't felt this kind of pain in my soul for a long time. Our family has lost our leader. He was definitely one of a kind. Sixteen grand kids and 33 great grand kids. He was our king. We will continue to pass on your memory through all of our generations to come. You were a great man. So strong in every way. If men were still like you in our days this would be a different world! I admire you so much. I love you and this is so hard for all of us.*

**Tosha Thiele** - December 27, 2013 at 11:42 PM

CT

“ *My grandfather was a very loved man and Respected by many the last Memory I have of him was having all my children n Nieces and nephewstogether we all had a very Nice visit with him and I'm just glad I got to tell him I loved him and good bye but he is in a better place now and no longer in pain and I see it as he is looking down on me with a smile so I love him so and may he rest I. Peace*

**crystal thiele** - December 27, 2013 at 10:44 PM

CS

“ well um i really dont know what to say i mean Benny thiele was not just a friend but he was a man that gladly accepted me as his step grand son and i honorably wanna say how proud i am to call this great man my grandfather and be apart of the thiele family it's truly a blessing but Benny i just wanna say i love you and i thank you with all my heart for accepting me as a grandchild and you will be dearly missed but i know that everywhere i go you will always be with me deep in my heart and to protect me from anything in my path

*i love you grandpa*

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**cody saucier** - December 27, 2013 at 09:10 PM

CS

“ Cody Saucier lit a candle in memory of Benedict S. 'Bennie' Thiele, Jr.



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**cody saucier** - December 27, 2013 at 09:06 PM