



Gerald John Matherne

September 24, 1946 - May 17, 2020

Gerald John Matherne passed away on Sunday, May 17, 2020 at the age of 73. He was a native of Baton Rouge, LA grew up in The Irish Channel and was a resident of LaPlace, LA.

Beloved husband of Edna Berlin. Loving father of Billy Matherne (Connie), Brandi Matherne, Gerald Matherne, Jr. (Genevieve) and Nicholus "Nicky" Matherne (Karen). Stepfather of Charles "C.J." Farrell (Michelle), Dwight Berlin (Anna) and Bridgett Guaraggi. Grandfather of Kaleb, Cade, Heather, Thomas, Logan, Kyran, Kylie, Rylie, Landon, Maci, Chad, Landon, Shane, Holly, Chaz, Rhiannon, Dwight, III and the late Madelyn. Great grandfather of Jeremiah. Son of the late Essie King Matherne and Joseph Charles Matherne. Brother of Joseph "Jimmy" Matherne (Joann), Arthemise Pelingon, Hulon Matherne (Deanna), Claude Matherne (Claire), Phil Matherne (June) and the late Joseph Matherne, Lawrence Matherne (Carolyn), Virgil Matherne (Pat) and Lucille Delaney (Frank). Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

As a result of present circumstances, a Memorial Service will be planned at a later date. Please consider sharing your thoughts, favorite memory or condolences at www.muhleisen.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Gerald John Matherne*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *I met Gerald many years ago when he was working for Industrial Pressure and I was with BFI. We were both in a turnaround at American Cyanamid. Our first meeting was not pleasant. We were chemically cleaning a boiler that developed a need for immediate flushing with water. Gerald possessed the only water. He would not budge! Xxxx!!*

Years later we worked together at PSC. I reminded Gerald of the story above and he laughed out loud.

Gerald was a soft hearted sole that you could not help but love. My heart felt condolences to all his family and friends.

Mike Shay

mike shay - May 28, 2020 at 02:46 PM



Thank you for sharing that.

Gerald matherne jr - May 29, 2020 at 11:20 AM

CK

“ We were so sorry to hear about Gerald passing away. My prayers are with all of the family at this difficult time. I have known the Matherne family for a long time, we all grew up together. There were so many good times together a lot of good memories .
May you rest in peace Gerald, May God be with you.
My condolences
Cindy Willioz Krummel

Cindy Krummel - May 25, 2020 at 07:35 PM

MW

“ I was so sorry to hear of Gerald's passing. My sincere condolences to the family. I first met Gerald and the rest of the family when we were all kids in the Irish Channel. We grew up together, had dance parties on the front porch. He was my first boyfriend. Gerald was one of the most caring, genuine person I've ever known. He certainly left his mark on all he came in contact with. He will be missed.

Marlene Petrey Whitsell - May 24, 2020 at 07:44 PM

GJ

Thank you

Gerald matherne jr - May 29, 2020 at 11:21 AM

JR

Your family has my sincere condolences. Gerald and so many family members mentioned in the obituary bring back many memories of growing up as the youngest of the Petrey family. I will keep your family in my prayers.

Janet Petrey Reed - May 30, 2020 at 09:52 AM

RD

“ *Marlana and Jeffrey each lit a candle for you at church last Sunday. We sure are going to miss you and your delicious cooking at all the get togethers. Jeffrey absolutely loves your gumbo! I am sure that you're cooking some up there for your friends and family.*

Rochelle Deville - May 23, 2020 at 02:48 PM

AB

“ *I found this picture today. Boy will we miss this man. He was such a loving person. He was so passionate about sports, especially the Saints. He loved watching little Dwight and all of his children and grandchildren play sports. When he laughed his whole belly would shake like Santa Claus. My heart hearts for my son and all of his grandchildren who will have no new memories with him. His body has been through so much and he has fought hard for so long. Although there is so much I will miss about him, it brings me peace and comfort knowing he will suffer no more and he can finally just rest. We will always love you Mr. Gerald and I will keep all of our memories close to my heart.*



Anna Berlin - May 22, 2020 at 01:45 PM

ME

“ *Rest in Peace Mr Gerald. It saddens me that you are no longer here. My family and I have always enjoyed spending time with you and Mrs Edna, and absolutely LOVED your cooking. My deepest sympathies and condolences go out to Mrs. Edna that the family. Mr Gerald was such an awesome person and will certainly be missed. Halloween and Mardi Gras wont ever be the same without him*❤️



Megan - May 21, 2020 at 07:46 PM

ME

“ *Megan lit a candle in memory of Gerald John Matherne*



Megan - May 21, 2020 at 07:43 PM

HM

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 04:33 PM

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Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 04:28 PM

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Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 04:17 PM

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“ Pawpaw and Grandmawmaw



Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 04:11 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gerald John Matherne.



May 21, 2020 at 02:37 PM

HM

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 01:46 PM

HM

“ Thanks everyone for the prayers and condolences. Pawpaw you will always be close to my heart. You've raised my mother and myself like your own. You got up went to work every day and never complained once. Ill forever remember the man you were when this little girl was looking up to you. I'll never forget our last conversation. Pictures and memories are what we have now ❤️

Heather Matherne - May 21, 2020 at 01:31 PM

GJ

“ I would like to say in advance thank you for taking the time to share a memory or comment about our dad. I ask that if anyone has old photos that would like to share please leave them here for everyone to see, or you can send request to his FB page Gerald j matherne, and I will approve it. Thank you

Gerald matherne jr - May 21, 2020 at 01:20 PM

AR

I am having a mass said for your dad.

Artie - May 21, 2020 at 04:08 PM

HM

Who's deleting the pictures I'm sharing

Heather Matherne - May 22, 2020 at 01:04 AM

CL

“ *Uncle Gerald. You will be truly missed. I will miss our long phone conversations. I have many fond memories. One of my favorite is of the many years that he spent on St. Charles Ave the night before Mardi Gras to Dave the family spot. We all had so much fun. I love his kind heart and will miss him dearly*

Cindy lizana - May 21, 2020 at 01:11 PM