



Henry Murphy Rando, III

October 15, 1943 - March 31, 2015

Henry Murphy Rando, III passed away on Tuesday, March 31, 2015 at the age of 71. He was a native of New Orleans and a resident of Kenner. Coach Rando taught and coached football for St. John Prep, Jesuit, Rummel, Holy Cross, First Assembly and East Jefferson High School. He also worked for the City of Kenner.

Beloved son of the late Frances Porretto Rando and Henry Murphy Rando, Jr. Brother of the late Mary Rando Recurt. Uncle of Kevin Recurt and Karen Recurt Kyler and husband Keith. Great uncle of Katelyn and Kandace Kyler. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at L. A. Muhleisen and Son Funeral Home, 2607 Williams Blvd., Kenner on Friday, April 17, 2015 from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and on Saturday, April 18, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Service at 10:00 a.m. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

121 City Park Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70124

Previous Events

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APR 17. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Henry Murphy Rando, III

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ A demanding coach, sometimes mercurial, who pushed his players daily to give and be their best because your best was required everyday. I met Coach as a 15 year old freshman when he was hired as the defensive line coach and coordinator at Rummel High School. I got yelled at everyday from that day in early May, 1971 through my senior season. Many times I wanted to scream back at him, but wisely thought better of such a foolish reaction. He made all of us play at a high level; it was expected and the norm. He was an excellent strategist, extremely detail oriented, and ahead of his time with regard to scouting and film study. He was also an historian of prep football and the Catholic League from the 40's on. With the passage of time and adulthood, we became friends which transcended our former player - coach relationship. A complex man, but one all of his ex-players loved and respected. His name is forever etched in Rummel football history as the coach of our defense which posted seven shutouts in 1972, which still is a Rummel record. Quite the accomplishment considering the coaching and player talent in the Catholic League at that time. May you rest in peace, Coach. You will not be forgotten. My sincere condolences and prayers to his family for their profound loss.

Walt Robelot, Metairie - May 06, 2015 at 07:38 PM

RO

“ I was saddened to hear about Henry. He was a dedicated leader and deeply cared about everyone he came in contact with. I will keep him in my prayers.

Randy Oddo Saint Aloysius 1962

Randy and Gale Oddo - April 19, 2015 at 07:31 PM

MC

“ Michael Coburn lit a candle in memory of Henry Murphy Rando, III



Michael Coburn - April 17, 2015 at 07:03 PM

MC

“ What a great individual-His passion and drive was truly second to none. He really cared about every student-athlete that had the pleasure to play for this great coach. I truly want to thank him for giving me the opportunity to begin my coaching career with him at Holy Cross High School. Even though I have not seen you in many years, I still remember daily, all the things you taught me on how to be a good coach and even a better person. May God grant you peace, and continue to Bless your Family.
Michael Coburn

Michael Coburn - April 17, 2015 at 07:02 PM

JR

“ I was Coached by this bigger than life man at Rummel High School. He was my Sophomore year home room and Geomitry teacher. He was funny, serious inspirational and an all around good hearted fellow. I will always carry many many fond memories of coach Rando with me for the rest of my years.

God must have needed a great coach for his heavenly High School team and He couldn't have picked any better

James Roach

Rummel '78

james Roach - April 16, 2015 at 09:04 PM

TS

“ Like a Second father to me while in school.

With great respect,

Tony Schneller

Tony Schneller - April 15, 2015 at 09:44 PM

BJ

“ Bridgette St. John purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Henry Murphy Rando, III.



Bridgette St. John - April 15, 2015 at 11:03 AM

LH

“ Sorry to see Coach Rando past away. he was a great help to me at Rummel with school and sports. I always held him in high regards.
Leo Hodgins Class of 1973

Leo Hodgins - April 13, 2015 at 01:22 PM

DM

“ Sincere condolences on the loss of a fine man and coach. Henry was instrumental in many young men's lives with his coaching and will be missed. May God comfort his family and may Henry rest in peace in the arms of our Savior.
The Michelet Family



darlene michelet - April 13, 2015 at 09:30 AM

MJ

“ You were a good friend and a great coach. Rest in peace with our Lord and rejoice with your friends and family in eternity. You will be greatly missed, Coach. *Mary Jenks*

Mary Jenks - April 12, 2015 at 07:50 PM