



Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr.

October 29, 1960 - December 29, 2019

Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr. passed away on December 29, 2019 at the age of 59. He was a native of New Orleans, LA and a resident of Metairie, LA. Beloved husband of Rhonda Hebert Eschette. Loving father of Brett Edward Eschette and the late Reveé Ashley Eschette. Son of Gwendolyn Colon Eschette and the late Raymond Anthony Eschette, Sr. Brother of Lauren Eschette Fairbanks (Donnie), Keith Eschette (June) and the late Brian J. Eschette. Brother-in-law of Michael Hebert (Kim), Stephen Hebert (Debra), David Hebert (Karen), Bryan Hebert and the late Rosemary Hebert and Eddie Hebert. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Ray was a strong man, raised by an awesome family to be a gentleman, a loving husband and a wonderful father. He was blessed with 2 lives. He fought a long battle following his lung transplant 16 years ago. He loved his wife and his son with a full heart. We were blessed with awesome memories throughout our 22 years of marriage. Ray grew up enjoying baseball, track and swimming. He continued his love for baseball playing 20 years in a men's league. He also loved hunting, fishing and laughing. He loved life and enjoyed it to the fullest. Ray was an employee of Atmos Energy for 39 years. He loved his job, was totally dedicated to his work and made many friends throughout the years. Ray was also blessed with several lifelong friends that helped him and Rhonda on his journey. He will be loved and missed by many.

A special thank you to the Ochsner Living Transplant Department and LOPA. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at St. Ann Catholic

Church, 3601 Transcontinental Drive, Metairie on Saturday, January 4, 2020
from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. followed by a Memorial Mass at 10:30 a.m. To
share memories or condolences, please visit www.muhleisen.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Ann Catholic Church
3601 Transcontinental Dr.
Metairie, LA 70006

Memorial Mass

JAN 4. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Metairie, LA 70006

Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr.*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *I met Ray when I was young. I started my first job in 1985 and was very nervous until I saw his familiar face. Ray had such a kind heart, caring words, and great listening ear. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. Rhonda you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Cheryl Schilling - January 05, 2020 at 07:45 AM



“ *It was an absolute pleasure to have known Ray, we spent some weekends cheering the boys, starting back when they were at Girard and continued to until they left Rummel, He was a gentle soul and just loved talking to him. prayers for you and your family.*

Maurice, Renee, lil Maurice and Malik Bailey

Maurice Bailey - January 04, 2020 at 09:02 PM

BD

“ We have great memories of time spent with Ray when we went to Santa Fe back in 1978 The first time was with the State Champion Babe Ruth team at the Regional play off and the next year when my wife and I took Ray and Brock Jr., back to Santa Fe for two weeks in the following summer. Ray was such a fine young man. We are so sorry to learn of his passing. He leaves us with such fine memories.

Brock and Pat Dumestre

Brock and Pat Dumestre - January 04, 2020 at 02:19 PM

BR

“ Rhonda, I am sorry for your loss. You now have Ray as your guardian angel. Sending prayers for your family.

Betty Jane Rudiger - January 03, 2020 at 09:03 PM

MM

“ Dear Rhonda,
I was stunned when Michael told me this sad news.
Please know that you and Brett will be remembered in my prayers as will your beloved husband. Be strong my dear, and remember he is now safe at last in the arms of his Savior. May His Peace comfort you now. Love and hugs, Mary Membreno

mary membreno - January 03, 2020 at 05:32 PM

DR

“ I would like to send my condolences and prayers for the family in this time of grief. I went to Rummel with Ray and graduated the same year as Ray. He was a good friend and always in a great mood. He will surely be missed. My condolences, Darryl Robelot

Darryl Robelot - January 03, 2020 at 03:47 PM

TW

“ Ray I am still in shock that you are gone. I know you are up in heaven with your new lungs and breathing normal again. We have had a life time of great memories and I will always remember you. You were such a good father, loving husband and a great friend. May God bless Rhonda, Brett and all of your family. Rest in peace my friend!

With Love and friends forever
Tommy

Tommy Willis - January 03, 2020 at 03:28 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



January 03, 2020 at 01:06 PM

SB

“ It is with deep sorrow that I received the news of Ray's passing. He was a true and loyal friend and I will forever cherish the memories of our childhood. Ray was highly thought of by all who knew him, and he will be sorely missed. I hope knowing that others share in your grief will bring some consolation. Rhonda, Brett, Gwen, Lauren, Keith and to all his extended family - you have my sincere and heartfelt sympathy.

With Love,
Nerkey

Stephen Bontempo - January 03, 2020 at 11:19 AM

SF

“ Steve & Sue Bontempo and Family purchased the A New Sunrise Spray for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



Steve & Sue Bontempo and Family - January 03, 2020 at 11:11 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



January 03, 2020 at 10:48 AM

TB

“ Tricia, Chris, Rayce & Payton Beauvais purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



Tricia, Chris, Rayce & Payton Beauvais - January 03, 2020 at 10:10 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



January 03, 2020 at 10:05 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..*



January 03, 2020 at 10:00 AM



“ *Rhonda & Brett,
Ray was an amazing man, husband & father what a beautiful family the three of you were. Always cherish your memories & remember the good times. Ray will always be with you. May God grant you both peace during these difficult days ahead. We are here if you need anything. We love you and are sending lots of prayers & hugs your way.*

We love you,

Tricia, Chris, Rayce & Payton Beauvais

xoxo

Tricia Beauvais - January 03, 2020 at 10:00 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..*



January 03, 2020 at 09:41 AM

GS

“ Rhonda, I want to let you know how sorry I am at hearing about Ray's passing, my thoughts and prayers are with you and he will never be forgotten.



Gwen Snakenberg - January 03, 2020 at 09:24 AM



“ Garden Cross was purchased for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



January 03, 2020 at 09:23 AM

LC

“ Sincerest prayers and sympathy to the entire Eschette Family on the loss of Ray. All of you are in my thoughts at this time. May he rest in eternal peace.

Sincerely,
Larry Caillouet

Larry Caillouet - January 03, 2020 at 09:17 AM

LL

“ louis d lambert purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..



louis d lambert - January 03, 2020 at 09:03 AM

BB

“ *Ray was a great guy. Lots of fun memories from the neighborhood, Girard Playground, St. Ann CYO and Archbishop Rummel.*

Barry Breaux - January 03, 2020 at 08:51 AM

MM

“ *Madeline and Don Meyer purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Raymond Anthony Eschette, Jr..*



Madeline and Don Meyer - January 03, 2020 at 07:43 AM