



## Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr.

December 28, 1931 - July 9, 2014

Roy Joseph Gautreaux, Sr., "Bud", passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday, July 9, 2014. Roy was born on December 28, 1931 in New Orleans, LA.

He was the loving husband of Annabel Favalora Gautreaux and the devoted father of Mary Schmidt (Gilbert), Roy Gautreaux, Jr. (Anna), David Gautreaux (Leslie), Lisa Benoit (Noble) and Jane Galey (Troy). Roy was the loving grandfather of Kristen, Gilbert III, Jonathan, Becky, Roy III, Jessica, Katie, André, Joshua, Jordan, Raleigh, Christian, Grace, and 3 great-grandchildren, Caden, Ansley and Hannah. Roy was preceded in death by his parents, Leo and Neomie Gautreaux and is survived by his sister, Betty Gautreaux Matherne and several nieces and nephews.

He was a long time resident of St. Rose and recently Destrehan. Roy was employed as a truck driver for Southern Pacific Transportation for 35 years and was also a member of the Teamsters Union Local 270. He was a devout parishioner of St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church where he served as a Eucharistic Minister.

The family wants to express their deepest gratitude to his devoted caregivers, Genevieve Curley, Lula Lee, Ernestine Davis, Cassandra Williams, Tawanta Franklin and Wendy Green. Also to Jeff Tully and the staff of Notre Dame Hospice.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Mass at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, River Rd., Destrehan on Friday, July 11, 2014 at

12:00 noon. Visitation will begin in church at 10:00 a.m. Interment in St. Charles Borromeo Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Charles Borromeo Cemetery

13396 River Rd.  
Destrehan, LA 70047

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 11. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church  
13396 River Road  
Destrehan, LA 70047

## Funeral Mass

JUL 11. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr.

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ Bud was a good man, loved and respected by so many. We are all going to miss him very much, but we're so thankful for the time we had with him and grateful that he doesn't have to suffer any more. He is at peace now, safe in the arms of the Lord.

*I owe this man a debt of gratitude, for raising such a kind, generous and good man to be my husband. I'm proud to be his daughter-in-law.*

*Goodbye Bud. I love you. Since you were one of the best truck drivers of all time I am sure upon your arrival in Heaven you got to choose one of the best trucks in the fleet. Someday, when we meet again, you can tell me about your tractor trailer and your custom pickup truck.*

*Billie*

**BILLIE GAUTREAUX** - July 14, 2014 at 04:33 PM



“ So sorry to hear about Roy's passing, but I'm sure he is being welcomed with open arms by our savior. I worked with Roy only a short time at SP but my experience with him will always be of a man who was easy to talk with, smiling all the time and always there if you needed a friend. Rest in Peace Roy, you deserve your place in heaven. Emmet P. LaJaunie, Jr.

**Emmet P. LaJaunie, Jr.** - July 11, 2014 at 01:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr..*



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July 10, 2014 at 07:38 PM



“ *I am sorry I cannot be there, I am in Orlando with my neices. Roy was like an uncle to me, rather than a cousin. He used to come visit us on Roosevelt Blvd just to have some 'man' time with daddy. He was always kind, always had a smile and I will miss him and the joy he brought to you all. I know you know he is with his family-past and God now and in no pain.-----Jeanne*

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**Jeanne Stayton** - July 10, 2014 at 05:17 PM



*Thanks Jeanne.*

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**jane galey** - July 13, 2014 at 10:46 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr..*



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July 10, 2014 at 11:48 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr..*



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July 10, 2014 at 11:35 AM



“ *Care and Compassion Spray was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph "Bud" Gautreaux, Sr..*



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July 10, 2014 at 07:15 AM