



Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler

December 3, 1951 - April 16, 2020

Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler, 68, Kenner, died on April 16, 2020, from complications due to COVID-19.

Steve was born Dec. 3, 1951, in New Orleans. He worked as a United States Postal worker for 32 years, and was a member of the Air National Guard from February 1971 until June 1974. Steve was a life member of the Harley Davidson Owners Group and joined the New Orleans chapter in 1988. He was also a longtime member of the Ford Performance Association car club.

He is survived by his wife, Kathy Elwell Lechler; son, Lionel Matthew Lechler; siblings, Raymond Paul Lechler, and Adelaide "Bootsie" Colbert Rule; sisters- and brothers-in-law, Madelyn and Gary Ybarzabal, Joanne and Wilson Martin, Mary Botsay, and Vicki Lechler; cousin, James Jacobson; and a host of nieces, nephews, and longtime friends.

He is preceded in death by grandparents, Eugene and Elise Lechler, and Albert and Ella Keff; parents, Marion Francis Lechler Colbert and Curt Otto Lechler; step-father, Lionel Andrew Colbert; and brother, Curt Otto Lechler Sr.

As a result of present circumstances the funeral and committal services at Greenwood Cemetery are private, but our community of friends are important to us. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date for family and friends. Please consider sharing your thoughts, favorite memory or condolences at ww.w.muhleisen.com Arrangements under the direction of L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, Kenner.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

121 City Park Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70124

Tribute Wall



“ Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ Ruth Ann Albin-Prince lit a candle in memory of Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler



Ruth Ann Albin-Prince - January 17, 2023 at 09:24 AM



Will always have kind memories of your visit to Oklahoma to visit the Albins with your mom (my aunt Marion)and Kathy even when your dad my Uncle Curt (my mothers brother) passed when pop (Bill Albin) was stationed at Cherry Point with him and Mom crying on the back porch in base housing so young leaving you Curt Jr and Raymond, Surely missed by your close family Ray & his children and your Kathy & Lionel. May you rest in peace cousin. Ruth Ann Albin Prince.

Ruth Ann Albin-Prince - January 17, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ Samantha Founds & Samantha Harris purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler.



Samantha Founds & Samantha Harris - April 23, 2020 at 10:37 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler.*



April 22, 2020 at 12:05 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler.*



April 22, 2020 at 10:00 AM



“ *I am so proud to have known and loved you, a great travel companion and brother in so many countries around the world we had more adventures than many could ever imagine and to us it was just enjoying each other's company and loving life. I will miss you every day for the rest of my life and smile at all the great times together. You will be missed by so many.*

Pat Blevins - April 22, 2020 at 04:24 AM



“ *Kathy , Lionel , Ray and Family Saddened at the lose of a Dear Friend I would have trusted him in my foxhole anytime Sorry we lose this battle Steve RIP Wish You All Love and Peace Sincerely Tim Fischer*

Tim Fischer - April 21, 2020 at 10:46 PM

KM

“ *Kathy & Mac McEnaney lit a candle in memory of Stephen "Steve" Allen Lechler*



Kathy & Mac McEnaney - April 21, 2020 at 09:56 PM

KM

Mac and I want to send a very special note to Ray and Kathy and Lionel to Express our thoughts and prayers at this very sad time. Our memories of Steve are good ones and will be held close to our hearts. We share in your time of Sorrow.

Kathy & Mac McEnaney - April 21, 2020 at 10:04 PM

RK

Steve was my best friend. He was like a brother to me and my life will not be the same without him in it.
Ron Kelley

Ron Kelley - April 22, 2020 at 11:17 AM

MB

Steve has been our very good friend for more years than I can remember. He was what I call a "3 o'clock friend". If I called him at 3 am, he would answer the phone and do anything he could to help us, and we would do the same for him.
Anamaria and I love y'all, and pray for the family's comfort in these sad and troubled days.

Mike & Anamaria Baus

Mike Baus - April 22, 2020 at 07:01 PM