



Leander J Roberts Jr

August 29, 2023

Leander J. Roberts Jr., age 77 was born on August 21, 1946 in New Orleans, LA.

Leander left with the angels on August 29, 2023. Preceded in death, his parents

Leander O. Roberts Sr. and mother Jeanne Alcorn. Leander leaves behind his beloved wife (Mary Alice Roberts); two daughters-Michelle Turner (Keytree) and Fallon Roberts. Four sons-Leander III (Missie), Faullon Roberts, Anthony Donseroaux and Theron (Karrie) Harris.

Brother of four sisters-Michele Roberts, Andra Roberts, Robi Givens and the late

Jeanne Payne Robinson and Sonya Brown. And three brothers-Leander G.; Darryl

(Monica) Roberts and the late Charles Roberts. He was lovingly called "Papa" by 8 grandchildren and cherished two great grandchildren. Also a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Leander had many interests and things he enjoyed with family and friends. Most know him as "Bubbie" with a charismatic personality. He loved telling jokes with every story and made everyone in his presence feel welcomed. He was well versed in his crafts-from drawing portraits, advanced in mechanics, and even mastered the art of Karate where he achieved a Black belt. He faced every challenge head on and there was no obstacle too great.

Leander is a graduate of Booker T. Washington HS and attended Refrigeration

school

(1989), where he obtained HVAC certification. Past work history includes working at a toy

factory, then D. H Holmes for some years, all while doing mechanic work on the side.

Leander also worked at UNO for several years, where he retired as an HVAC Supervisor.

Was always Industrious, willing to teach anyone who wanted to learn and was everyone's go-to person for advice and of course, car trouble.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his Funeral Service at Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Avenue on Tuesday, September 12, 2023 at 1:00 pm. Visitation will begin at 12:00 pm. Interment: Private.

Arrangements by Rhodes Funeral Home, New Orleans, LA. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the guestbook.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home - Washington Avenue
3933 Washington Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70125
(504) 822-7162
<https://www.rhodesfuneral.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Hey Dad this so hard for me to do but you already know this. I love you and Miss you so much. You trained me up in the way I should go. Gave me the best example of how to be a man, to tell the truth and be a Leader. Taught me to be strong, show love, and help others. Dad you were always willing to teach and eagered to learn something new. Your strength is un matched. Your mental toughness and your big loving heart. The moments you have been there for me I won't ever forget. The discipline, the message in the words you spoke to me I will forever carry it on. My heart is broken and I wanted you to see what was next to behold. What I won't give for a hug and good job son, or I'm proud of you. You are my Super Hero. I love you dad..watch over me and the family..you're my angel. I think about you everyday. Wish I can go back to when we would sit on the porch and you have your radio outside playing Maze, EW & F, and Motown. We would talk and just hang out. I miss it All. Dad I Love you.



Faullon Roberts - December 16, 2023 at 10:51 PM

MT

“ Hello Dad, just thought I'd take a minute to let you know that I miss you so much and I am always thinking of you - EVERY DAY. Not sure how I am going to do this holiday season without you - but you will be with us in spirit. We will remember your laughter and the energy you would bring to the room. I fight back the tears as I write this because my heart aches and I am longing for another conversation with you. I'll just keep talking to you -the way we used to talk for hours. It's still so hard to believe you're gone, but never forgotten. I owe you so much!! I am very thankful and grateful for everything you showed me and taught me and all the sacrifices you made. Rest heavenly dad.
Luv ya. Chelle



Michelle Turner - October 18, 2023 at 04:45 PM

MR

“ I watched you through your struggle and your pain,the fight you gave showed your true strength and the ability to be with the Lord,in the final hours.I miss you every day..death leaves a heartache ,no one can heal, but love leaves a memory -no one can steal.Boo you will always be in my heart,in Jesus name ,forever My Love.!! Your Boo



Mary Roberts - October 09, 2023 at 04:01 PM

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“ I will surely Love and Miss you dad forever and ever. I was your side kick through it all. And you knew I was there for you no matter what. I will miss all the jokes and sarcasm you expressed out of every situation. I'm going to miss you telling me how stubborn I am knowing I get that from you lol and how you shared your knowledge and crafts with everyone who came to you for help. You always wanted one of us to learn more about your trades. Growing up it was my sis Chelle who would be your right hand, and then later I came along to do the same. You taught us love, leadership, resilience, selflessness and showed us what a father is suppose to be, a great provider and an example of an Amazing man. Get your rest dad and continue dancing with the rest of the family in heaven.



Fallon Roberts - October 01, 2023 at 09:29 AM

BB

“ All good times around uncle Bobbie,I can remember how you joked with us about my son size when he was younger. All in the fun and love of family

Bryant Brown - September 12, 2023 at 12:14 PM

MP

“ No words can describe the loss I feel for my uncle's death. My heartfelt condolences go to the entire family.
Uncle, you are gone, but you will never be forgotten. Love, Maletta

Maletta Marie Payne - September 11, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Leander J Roberts Jr.*



September 11, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Leander J Roberts Jr.

September 11, 2023 at 11:30 AM