



Leonard Louis Martin Jr

May 7, 2014

Leonard Louis Martin Jr. entered into eternal rest on Wednesday, May 7, 2014 at the age of 63. Husband of Dorothy Lowe-Martin. Son of the late Leonard L. Martin, Sr. and Adele Barabino-Martin. Father of Leonard L. (Shannon) Martin III, Allegra Smith, Angela Martin, Lenell (Jerry) Smith and Felicia Thomas. Brother of Debra Martin-Collins (Late Daniel Collins Sr.), Linda Martin Hawkins (Phillip Hawkins Sr.), Darryl Martin (Annie Jean-Martin), Cynthia Martin Hughes (Late Earl Hughes Sr.) and Gregory Martin (Malethia). Godfather of Anitra Martin-Taylor and Byron Smith. He is also survived by 20 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren and 2 honorary daughters Chianti and Joy Martin, 2 stepsons Rickie and Troy Lott, and 3 step grandchildren. He is preceded in death by one step grandson. Leonard was a veteran of the U.S. Army and worked as a Master Plasterer for many years with Lafayette Plastering and King & Co. Inc.

Relatives and friends of the family also Priest and Parishioners of St. Paul the Apostle C.C., and members of The Barabino Family and The Barbarin Family are invited to attend A Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, May 21, 2014 at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, 6828 Chef Menteur Hwy. Visitation will be from 9:00 AM until 11:00 AM. Arrangements by D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 21. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul The Apostle Catholic Church
6828 Chef Menteur Hwy
New Orleans, LA 70126

Service

MAY 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Lenelle,

My condolences goes out to you and your family. Keep praying through this time and ask God to heal and bring you through this trying time. You know God makes no mistakes he no longer wanted his child to suffer. As he watches you continue to be the bright woman you are, continue to reach out to him, talk, and ask him for advice a father gives a daughter he will answer.

*With love your Friend & Co-worker
Tianne Williams*

Tianne Williams - May 21, 2014 at 09:00 AM

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“ *My daddy was a man with a down to earth personality, who brightened any room he walked in and had a heart of gold. He loved everyone and he loved his kids with all his heart. His absence is and will be felt forever by everyone who has met him, but I do know that God makes no mistakes and He was called home because his job here on earth was done. My daddy told me that he didn't want people crying over him, but its hard not to. Daddy, I know you are no longer suffering and you should be crying for us but I know we will see you again. Until we meet again, you will forever be in my heart and you are now my guardian angel. I love you and miss you.*

Lenell - May 19, 2014 at 08:48 AM

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“ *Forever missing you, your little sisters Debra, Linda & Cynthia.*

Ashley - May 15, 2014 at 07:43 PM

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“ Prayers go out to you Angela in your family....

kelly webb - May 15, 2014 at 07:36 PM

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“ Our condsolences are with the Family at this time. Know that our prayers are with you all as you mourn the loss of your dear loved one. Leslie Smith & Kenneth Landix

Leslie Smith - May 15, 2014 at 05:13 PM

 Angela Martin

“ My daddy gave me many memories from his stories, dancing, jokes, singing and loud mouth..everyone my daddy came across liked him and he made them laugh in some type of way. My daddy wasnt perfect by a long shot but he was perfect enough for me. I will miss my daddy with all my heart but I do know he isnt suffering anymore and he is in a much better place. God saw it fit to call him home but he gave me the pleasure of having this man in my life, and the one thing I never had to question was my daddys love and he knew I loved him too. You can rest now daddy your job here on earth is done.

Angela Martin - May 15, 2014 at 04:37 PM