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Funeral services for Freeman (FM) Jones, Jr. 74, of Longville, LA, will be held Saturday, May 27, 2017, at 3 pm at Longville Baptist Church in Longville, LA, with Rev. Stewart Graves and Rev. Johnny Johnson officiating. Services are under the direction of Labby Memorial Funeral Home of DeRidder.

Visitation will be Friday, May 26, 2017, from 4 pm until 8 pm and Saturday, May 27, 2017, from 12 pm until the time of service at 3 pm at Longville Baptist Church in Longville, LA.

Freeman (FM) the son of Eleanor Tatman and Freeman Jones Sr. was born on October 24, 1942 in Lake Charles, Louisiana. He passed away on Wednesday, May 24, 2017, in Baton Rouge, LA.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sherry Jones of Longville, LA; sons, Monty Jones (Karen) of Sulphur, LA; Ryan Vinyard (Kesslie) of Donaldsville, LA, daughters; Tish Martinez (Mike) of Sulphur, LA; Kristen Cooper (Kade) of Prairieville, LA; Teri Benoit (Tommy) of Lake Charles, LA, ten grandchildren; Mindy, Michael, Ashlyn, Alexia, Taylor, Tylee, Cayman, Dylan, Zachary, Kenzie.



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Freeman (FM) and Sherry were currently living in Baton Rouge, LA. He worked for Gulf States Utilities and retired from Entergy in 1996 after 30 yrs. He loved to travel and was an avid LSU fan; he also loved spending time with his friends, family and especially his grandchildren.

Words of comfort may be expressed to the Jones Family at www.labbymemorial.com



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CD

Cindy Dickson posted:

Tish and Monty, I'm so sorry for your loss. This is my first time seeing this or I would have been there. I always thought so much of your dad because of his sweet and kind heart. Praying for you and your families.

May 27 at 7:00 PM

NC

Nathaniel Coffin posted:

To FM's family: I met FM many years ago in Cozumel while I was visiting my parents. They all became great friends and some might say they were even family. When my step father was ill, they came back to the states and FM and Sherry opened their doors and let them stay while things were being sorted out as to how we could help. FM was incredibly generous, kind and a great friend to many. My sincerest condolences to his family, he will be missed by all. He was there (with his wonderful wife Sherry) to help my family thru a hardship and I can't thank them enough for being so great to my mother. I am sure FM is at peace and watching over all the good hearted people in his life.

May 26 at 7:00 PM

DK

Dermot Kenny posted:

A wonderful man. It was a pleasure to be in his company. Sherry and family my heart is sad upon hearing this news. God bless. Dermot

May 25 at 7:00 PM

TO

Tannis Oickle posted:

I am Kathleen & Dermot's friend from Canada and I would like to echo Dermot's memories of FM. I did not know him but heard many great stories of he and Sherri's days spent in Cozumel. My thoughts are with you & your family.

May 25 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Sherry, I am so sorry to see the news of FM's passing. I will forever remember "The Cajun National Anthem" and all the fun times and travels. Such great memories and you will forever be in my thoughts and prayers. Love you, Cindy Richard!

May 25 at 7:00 PM



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BC

Brian Cross posted:

Sherry, I was honored and blessed to have known and worked with Freeman. He was truly a friend and I will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Please accept my condolences. While we are mourning the loss of our friend, others are rejoicing to meet him behind the veil. -John Taylor

May 25 at 7:00 PM

BW

Becky Watson posted:

I am so very sorry to hear of Freeman's passing. He and I were friends since the day I started work at GSU. He had such a kind spirit.

May 25 at 7:00 PM

CJ

Calvin Jaetzold posted:

Dear Sherry & Family: No doubt tremendous hurt & pain in the loss of your beloved FM, yet for him joy & peace are his eternally. Really a neat & super guy and dear friend. We had a great work & personal relationship during our time at GSU. May our Gracious & Loving Lord give you and the family comfort & strength and may FM's "celebration of life" service impart the faith & love FM had for his Lord & family as well as his friends. May God Almighty bless & keep one & all in His everlasting presence & still troubled souls that find a void with your loss.

May 25 at 7:00 PM

SC

Susie And Tim Cooper posted:

Our deepest sympathy for your loss! Hold on to all the great memories you have made! May you be wrapped up in the arms of Jesus and find peace and comfort in knowing he is in Heaven! Our thoughts and prayers are with you!

May 24 at 7:00 PM

SA

Stephanie Ammons posted:

For Kristen Cooper and Family, Words are never enough during difficult times like these but know that my caring thoughts are with you and your Family.

May 24 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Freeman by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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