



Aubrey T. Temple, Jr.

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Aubrey T. Temple, Jr. passed away at the age 68 on October 18, 2014 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana surrounded by family and close friends. He was the beloved husband of Linda Hernandez Temple, father to Tim Temple (Amy), Candace Adams (Boots) and Ryan Temple (Ashley). He is survived by 2 grandsons, Bryce Adams and Jackson Temple; and 5 granddaughters, Baylee Adams, Isabella Temple, Aubrey Marie Temple, Sophia Temple and Taylor Temple. He is also survived by a brother, Dewey Temple and a sister, Merlene Thompson. A native of Leesville born August 21, 1946, Mr. Temple worked his way through college graduating from Northwestern State University in 1969. Upon graduation, Mr. Temple was employed as an educator and coach at Merryville High School before settling into the insurance industry in 1975. He was the co-founder of Amerisafe Insurance Company which grew from a single office in DeRidder, Louisiana to writing policies across the country and employing in excess of 400 people. He was the founding Chairman of the Board of the Louisiana Workers' Compensation Corporation (LWCC) serving in this capacity for the first 20 years of the company's history. Aubrey continued his board service and was named Chairman Emeritus of the LWCC in 2012. Through his continual and tireless leadership he helped stabilize the workers comp market in Louisiana and position the company for the level of success it represents today.

He served on numerous other boards and commissions over the years including: The Business First Bank, Beauregard Federal Savings and Loan, Louisiana Superdome Commission, Coastal Restoration Finance Authority, Sabine River Authority, Louisiana Insurance Guaranty Association, Office of State Group Benefits, DeRidder Chamber of Commerce and the DeRidder Lions Club. He was formerly CEO of the Temple Group which later became the ICT Group, and now is a part of Regions Insurance Group.



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The wake will be held from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at Grace Church 1021 West First Street DeRidder, LA. The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church 2030 Hwy 171 DeRidder, LA. Ministers officiating will be Rev. George Lee Glass and Rev. Lindsay Burns. A private family burial will be at a later date at Beauregard Cemetery in DeRidder, LA.

Labby Memorial Funeral Home in DeRidder is in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in the name of Aubrey T. Temple, Jr. to the Baton Rouge Chapter of the American Heart Association or to Grace Church in DeRidder.



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Linda and family, Bruce and I were shocked and saddened to hear of Aubrey's death. I cannot imagine the pain you are experiencing. We remember and still laugh about all the fun times when we were together in Sandestin, DeRidder and just a few years ago in Baton Rouge. I am so glad we called you as we were driving to Texas. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all the family. Aubrey was an exceptional man and we will always remember him. Bruce and Linda Marshall, Amelia Island FL

October 30 at 7:00 PM



Claire(Rayford) Jas posted:

Linda and family, Aubrey (Junior) when we were at LHS was a good friend and classmate. So sorry to read of his passing; he certainly had a fulfilling life. The class of '65 will miss him next year at our 50th, but if you are up to it please consider attending in his place. I am sure you will hear a lot of funny and good times from our school days. I lost my husband in '06 and no to well how hard it is, but take comfort in knowing you have your family and friends to help you. May God bless you all through this most trying time. Sincerely,

October 27 at 7:00 PM



Linda G Davis posted:

Grief can be so hard, but our special memories help us cope. Remembering you and your loved one today and always.

October 27 at 7:00 PM



Charlene Stidham posted:

So sorry to hear about Aubrey's passing. I know he will be missed. Linda, hold those grandchildren and Ryan, care for your mom! Take care!

October 23 at 7:00 PM



Bo & Marie Smith posted:

~ Bo & Marie Smith, DeRidder, Louisiana Contact Me

October 22 at 7:00 PM



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PC

Pam Coopersmith posted:

Aubrey, I'm going to miss the whirl that was you flying into my office to make sure we haven't had any claims and then flying back out again on to your next destination within the office.

October 22 at 7:00 PM

DM

Dr. John And June Mcmillan posted:

Linda, and family, John and I send our condolences for this tragedy and pray that the Lord will bring you peace and Grace during this difficult time. In Christ's Name,Dr. John and June McMillan

October 22 at 7:00 PM

VB

Victor Balbuena posted:

Tim,I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your dad. Please know that you and your family are in our prayers.

October 21 at 7:00 PM

KM

Keitha Manning posted:

Dear Linda, Candace, and family you are in my thoughts and prayers.

October 21 at 7:00 PM

BS

Bobbie Shirley posted:

Linda my prayers are with you and the family at this time.

October 21 at 7:00 PM

DF

Dean Gaukel And Family posted:

Linda, Ryan, Tim and family.We were very sad to hear of Aubrey's passing. It was a pleasure to have known and worked with him over the pass few years. He was a kind and friendly man who will be missed dearly! Our deepest thoughts are sent your way in this difficult time.

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Anonymous posted:

My you find comfort in your memories of your loved one. I had the privilege to work with him during his service time with the Board of Commissioners of the Sabine River Authority. To Ryan, it was a pleasure knowing your dad and may you and yours feel God's love and grace in the days ahead.

Becky Anderson-Sabine River Authority, Many, LA

October 21 at 7:00 PM



Donna Kelly posted:

So sorry for your families loss.

October 21 at 7:00 PM



Lisa Mcdonald posted:

My prayers and thoughts to all of Mr. Temple's family and friends. So sorry for your loss.

October 21 at 7:00 PM



Henry Mouton posted:

So sorry to hear about Aubrey, a GREAT man is Many Ways. A Good Friend.

October 21 at 7:00 PM



Charles Hebert posted:

Linda and family,I am so sorry to hear about your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.

October 21 at 7:00 PM



Stevie Toups posted:

So sorry for your loss. Mr. Temple was such a great guy. Our prayers are with him and the whole family!

October 21 at 7:00 PM



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GF

Georgia (Havens) Franks posted:

Sending Prayers ! Was a honor to know Mr. Temple (Coach) from Merryville then later as our Insurance Agent for E. R. Havens Logging. I pray God gives you all comfort at this time.

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Temple Family,Our hearts, thoughts, and prayers go out to ya'll. We are deeply saddened to hear of this news. Mr. Aubrey was truly a great man and I am proud to have known him.Sincerely,Billy and Katelyn Landreneau

October 20 at 7:00 PM

DC

Debra Cellini posted:

I am honored to have known Mr. Temple even briefly for the last several years. My prayers are with all of the family and friends that will miss him dearly.

October 20 at 7:00 PM

LT

Les Titus posted:

To the Temple Family,Our hearts go out to you at this time of the loss of a great man. Aubrey treated everyone he came in contact, from the janitor to the CEO with the same respect. He will be missed and was special to the Titus family.

October 20 at 7:00 PM

CC

Carla Cooley posted:

Linda, so sorry for your loss, prayers for you and your family.

October 20 at 7:00 PM

FR

Franklin Roemer posted:

So sorry for your loss. He was a great man.

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Anonymous posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you (all). Your Faith will sustain you through this very difficult period. Martha & David Hamilton/ Plano, TX

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Brother & Patti Marine posted:

We are sorry to hear about your loss and will keep your family in our prayers. Aubrey made a difference in many people's lives by creating an environment for people to succeed. He was one of a kind and will be missed!

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Trish Truman posted:

So sorry for your loss. He was one of the greats! God has gained an angel.

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

So very sorry for your loss. My heart felt prayers are with you all. Mr. Aubrey was such a dear sweet man with a gentle ,sweet heart. He will be missed . May God's peace be with you and comfort you.Steven and MaryAnne Champney

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Dana Ledoux-Cortez posted:

I am so sorry for your loss.

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Sonny Gascon posted:

Boots,You and the Temple family are in my thoughts and prayers.

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Craig And Laura Firestone posted:

Linda and Family - We are so sorry for your loss. Aubrey was a special man and we know his legacy will live on through you and all of his many accomplishments - he will be truly missed. You are in our thoughts and prayers today and always.

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry for your loss!!! Am praying for the family. God Bless the family!!!

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Stephanie Foster-Williams posted:

Mrs. Linda, Ryan, Ashley and family, I am very sorry to hear about Mr. Aubrey. Words cannot express the sympathy I would like to convey. I pray that God will put his arms around you all and guide you through this difficult time. He will be greatly missed but will live on through his amazing family. Sending warm thoughts, big hugs and love your way!

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Rest in peace Aubrey, I am glad I got to know you! Bruce Fawcett

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Bill Green posted:

So sorry for your loss. Aubrey was one of the good ones. Bill Green, Kennesaw, Ga

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Billy Crawford posted:

Our prayers are with you and your family.

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Anonymous posted:

Words are hardly enough to express the sorrow I share for your family right now. Life is about relationships and Aubrey impacted so many, including mine. Our prayers are with you. Skeeter & Carol Moore

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Mike Manes posted:

Aubrey was one of the bigger than life characters that periodically cross our paths on the road to tomorrow. He'll be missed. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. Relish the memories - there are many.

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

May your memories of the wonderful times you shared with your loved one comfort you and your family, today and always.

October 20 at 7:00 PM



Tony Bianca posted:

Linda and Tim, I am so sorry to hear about Aubrey. I always enjoyed my limited opportunities to visit with him and discuss the industry that we shared a love for. My prayers are with your family. Tony Bianca (Houma, LA)

October 19 at 7:00 PM



Sean Merrill posted:

Aubrey will be greatly missed by both his family and extensive number of friends. He had a sharp mind for business and his leadership and wisdom could only be matched by a small few. His legacy will live on through his incredible family. My prayers are with you all. All the best,

October 19 at 7:00 PM



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Buddy Taylor posted:

I am sorry to hear of your loss Linda and Tim.. Aubrey was bigger than life and working with him all those years ago at Morris/Temple was one of the best times of my career. he will be missed, all my loveBuddy Taylor

October 19 at 7:00 PM



Jake Brown posted:

Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.

October 19 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Linda, We are so sorry for your loss- We don't always understand why things happen like they do, just cling to God and he will give you peace and understanding-- Always, Frank & Charlotte Holliday Hensley

October 19 at 7:00 PM



Tammy Sims-Wilks posted:

I'm so sorry to hear about Mr. Temple and your family is in my prayers. I had the pleasure of meeting and working with Mr. Temple as an employee of Morris, Temple and Company/other sister companies over the years. Tammy Sims Wilks

October 19 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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