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Graveside Services for Ben R. Crocker, 64, of Merryville, LA, will be held on Thursday, May 30, 2013, 10:00 AM, at Beauregard Cemetery, under the direction of Labby Memorial Funeral Home of DeRidder, LA. Rev. Lindsey Burns will officiate. Mr. Crocker passed away on Sunday, May 26, 2013, at his residence.

Survivors include

his Sister: Beth Crocker Wegener and husband, John of Zwolle, Louisiana

Sister-in-law:

Pat Crocker of Zwolle, Louisiana

Nieces and Nephews:

Kim Wegener Estlinbaum and husband, Raoul of Corpus Christi, Texas

Scott Wegener and wife, Laura

Will & Max of Dallas, Texas

Kenneth Crocker and wife, Cathey

Nate & Josh of Houston, Texas

Brenda Crocker Frederick and husband, Mike Annalie of Shreveport, Louisiana

Ben Rush Crocker was born January 26th, 1949, to George W. Crocker and Martha Lynelle Crocker in DeRidder, Louisiana. Ben graduated from DeRidder High School where he was an active member of the Dragon Band. He attended McNeese State College for two years where he was also a member of the Cowboy Band. Ben enlisted in the United States Navy where he served four years that included active duty in Viet Nam on the USS Schofield. Following his military service he attended a 2 year electronics school and worked for a number of years with Texas



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Instruments in Houston and in Colorado Springs. Upon returning to the DeRidder area Ben acquired a contract postal route in the rural outskirts of Merryville, Louisiana. This led to a permanent civil servant position with the Merryville Post Office from which he retired. Ben loved the outdoors and had a passion for hunting and fishing on his beloved Old River where he lived and ultimately retired.



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JD

Jo Beverly Dekemper posted:

~ Jo Beverly DeKemper, Georgia

May 29 at 7:00 PM

SC

Scott Cornes posted:

Thank you Ben for being a part of my mother's life. She enjoyed your company and was glad to have a friend. Rest in Peace.

May 28 at 7:00 PM

KD

Kimberly Dean posted:

May God bless this family in their time of nee and Ben may you be sitting on the right side of our Lord Jesus Christ helping him to protect your family in their of need so RIP Ben.

May 28 at 7:00 PM

NP

Nola Rathburn Palmer posted:

~ Nola Rathburn Palmer, DeRidder, Louisiana

May 27 at 7:00 PM

WR

Walton Avery Rathburn posted:

RIP, Ben!

May 27 at 7:00 PM

BN

Brenda Elliott Nole posted:

RIP Ben! May God Bless the Crocker family! Thoughts and prayers!

May 27 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the family !Frances Marks Dickinson (Class of '67)

May 27 at 7:00 PM



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BE

Brenda Ewing posted:

Ben has been taken from us much too soon. We will all miss his shy smile and kind manner. You will be in our prayers. God has promised that His grace is sufficient for all our needs.

May 27 at 7:00 PM

DH

Dianne Hanchey posted:

I have always considered Ben a friend. He was one of the nicest people that I went to school with. He will be missed.

May 27 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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