



# **William Odell Behan, Sr.**

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**F**uneral Services for William Odell Behan, Sr. age 82, of Hornbeck, LA will be 2:00 PM, Sunday, July 13th, at the First Baptist Church in Hornbeck with the Rev. Harvey Hoffman, Rev. Gil Aruther and Rev. Bill Hines officiating. The burial will follow in the Oak Grove Cemetery in Hornbeck. Friends may call from 9:00 am Sunday until service time in the church.

Odell passed away, Friday, July 11th in Alexandria.

He was born in Plainview, LA; he was a member and a deacon at the First Baptist Church in Hornbeck, also a member of the Hornbeck Masonic Lodge. He retired from the Vernon Parish School System after 27 years as a School Bus Driver. But mostly he will always be remembered as a Loving husband, father and grandfather and as a man who faithfully served his Lord. He was preceded in death by his parents, James A and Kathy Chance Behan, brothers Lewis and Tommy Behan and daughter-in-law, Evelyn Behan

Odell is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Betty Behan of Hornbeck; sons, William Behan, Jr (wife, Velva) of Anacoco and Dale Behan (wife, Linda) of Fort Worth, TX; daughter, Shirley Kyle (husband, Ray) of Leesville; brother, Elmer Eugene Behan (wife, Faye) of Hornbeck; sister, Letha Mae Leach (husband, Darion) of Shreveport, LA; 9 Grandchildren and 13 Great Grandchildren.

The Behan family wants to extend a special Thank You to following for their compassion and kindness that they gave; Joycelyn Saikali, Dr Romel Wren, Leesville Dialysis Center, Hospice of Leesville and Cabrini Hospice.



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DA

**Donna Dunavin -Abernathy** posted:

My condolences to the family , Mr Behan was my bus driver back in the 60s .. my thoughts and prayers are with the family

June 2 at 6:16 AM

BP

**Betty S Prichard** posted:

I want to express my love and sympathy to this wonderful loving Christian family at this time. He was a caring friend to everyone in my family. God Bless You All with comforting peace and strength.

June 2 at 6:16 AM

EW

**Elizabeth Asher Welch** posted:

To my friends Dale and Linda Behan:\r\nI am so sorry about the death of Mr. Behan. My thoughts and my prayers are with you and all of your family during this sad time. \r\n\r\nWe are in Destin now and are spending half the year here since Jim retired. I wish that I could have been with you for the services yesterday. Know that I will keep you in my prayers.\r\nLibba

June 2 at 6:16 AM

JS

**Jr. Judy, Cathy & Glen Stevens** posted:

To the Beham Family,\r\nOur thoughts and prayers are with you all. Krystal (daughter and sister-n-law) spoke so highly of Mr. Beham and how she rode the bus with him many many years ago. May you all be comforted knowing that God has one more angel at his side.

June 2 at 6:16 AM

CW

**Courtnee Williams** posted:

He was Truly a man worth knowing. Our prayers are with you. God will see all of you through..\r\nBilly \"fish' williams Family

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**Karen** posted:

I would like to express my deepest thought! Shirley...I know u loved ur daddy w/all ur heart! He will live on through u! I am praying for u & ur family! I love u, Karen Crosby...if there is anything I can do let me know!!!

June 2 at 6:16 AM



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