



Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu

March 16, 1925 - September 22, 2023

Abram, age 98, better known as the 'Gray Fox', passed away on Friday, September 22, 2023. He was a native of Manassa, Colorado and a longtime resident of Amite, LA. Abram proudly served his country for over 22 years in The United States Navy as a Chief Boatsmans Mate during both World War II and the Korean War. He was a member of St. Helena Catholic Church in Amite, LA. For many years he was a member of VFW Post of Hammond. He loved traveling making lasting memories. Abram was a wonderful, generous man who is already dearly missed by all who knew and loved him, and he never met a stranger.

Abram is survived by his Guardian Angel of the past 31 years, Diann Delbasty; daughter, Sheila Cantu Delong; grandchildren, Jacob Arrazate, and Joshua Arrazate; 6 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

Abram is preceded in death by his wife Patsy Brocker Cantu; parents, Severo and Manulita Cantu; along with 3 brothers and 8 sisters.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a visitation at St Helena Catholic Church, 122 S. 1st St., Amite, LA. on Friday, September 29, 2023, from 9:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. A Funeral Mass will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. Fr. Miles Walsh will officiate with interment to follow in the Cantu

Family Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Cantu Family Cemetery

21139 Hwy 1061
Amite, LA 70422

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

St. Helena Catholic Church
122 S. 1st St.
Amite City, LA 70422

Funeral Mass

SEP **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Helena Catholic Church
122 S. 1st St.
Amite City, LA 70422

Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - September 27, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ *A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu.*

September 28, 2023 at 04:58 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu.*



September 27, 2023 at 05:27 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu.*

September 26, 2023 at 02:23 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu.*



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“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Abram 'Gray Fox' Cantu.*



September 25, 2023 at 08:35 PM