



## Carl N. Martin Jr.

September 8, 1953 - October 21, 2023

Carl, age 70, passed away on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at his home surrounded by his family after a battle with Frontotemporal Dementia and Parkinsons. He grew up in Pumpkin Center, LA and was a resident of Albany, LA. Carl was a hard worker who dedicated 38 years of service to the Boilermaker Union Local 37 before retiring. He was a true family man and was happiest at home with the ones he loved. Carl adored his family, but his grandson, James, held a special place in his heart. He was a strong yet gentle man and really was just an all-around good guy. Carl loved his family deeply and left them with a lifetime of wonderful memories. He will be forever missed.

He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Christine Bates Martin; daughter, Annie Martin Connors (Chris); son, Christopher Carl Martin; sister, Rhonda Martin Rau (Mike); brother, Larry Martin (Bobbie); grandson, James Elliott Connors; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Carl is preceded in death by his parents, Penny and Carl Martin Sr.; and grandparents, Henry and Mary Martin, and Phillip and Annie Robillard. The family would like to extend a special thank you to The Hospice of Baton Rouge for their exceptional care of Mr. Carl, especially his nurses, Renae, Rhi, Lisa, and Latarsia.

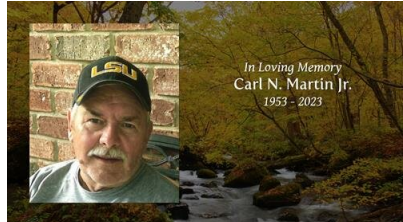
In lieu of flowers the family has requested that donations be made to The Hospice of Baton Rouge at <https://hospicebr.org/giving>.

A cremation was held and private family services will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carl N. Martin Jr.*



**Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home** - October 23, 2023 at 01:50 PM

PR

*Christine , Rhonda, and Larry so sorry to hear of Carl JR's passing. All my Love and Prayers to y'all and the family*

**Phil Robillard** - October 24, 2023 at 01:27 PM

MD

*So sorry for your loss prayers for you and your family 🙏🙏🙏🙏*

**monica dunn** - October 25, 2023 at 01:24 PM

FG

*Such a beautiful video! Our thoughts and prayers for your beautiful family ❤️🙏❤️*

**Frank & Helen Good** - November 01, 2023 at 02:20 PM

SS

“ Carl N. Martin, Jr. was the next to the oldest among 10 grandchildren of our matriarch grandmother, Annie Robillard. Carl Jr. honored our grandmother by giving his first child Annie our grandmother’s namesake. He was a quiet, gentle man, whose centered focus was his wife Christine, and their 2 children Annie and Christopher. Oh how I recall the memories as a child when we all got together in Pumpkin Center, and played long hours at Aunt Penny’s house. My mother and his mother were sisters. They couldn’t be separated just like Carl Jr.s baby sister, Rhonda and me. His loss will be missed by many. Grandma Annie used to sing all the time, Will the Circle Be Unbroken. I can answer that with the solemn characteristics of a loving man. “The circle has just begun” Love you cousin. Fly high in the realm of God’s glory.



Sharon Sparacello - October 24, 2023 at 09:53 AM

DN

Carl Jr was a fun loving (always got a joke) kind man He loved his job and always had stories to tell. My deepest sympathies for Christine and family ❤️

Darlene Red Normand - October 25, 2023 at 12:02 AM

RT

“ Christine, Annie and Chris, you are in my thoughts and prayers.  
Rebecca Tate

Rebecca Carter Tate - October 23, 2023 at 04:51 PM

PR

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Phil Robillard - October 24, 2023 at 09:16 AM

GA

*Christine, Annie and Chris, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Hold dear to your precious memories..*

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**Gail Arceneaux** - October 24, 2023 at 12:55 PM