



Dale Earl Roberts

June 10, 1959 - August 6, 2020

Dale, age 61, went to meet his Lord and Savior, Thursday, August 6, 2020, while surrounded by his wife and daughters. Throughout his entire life, Dale was a selfless man with a great love for his family and friends. He was a true man of God and a lifelong member of St. Joseph Catholic Church. For more than 40 years, Dale was a dedicated employee of Atmos Entergy, and was jokingly known as “Peter Perfect” by his fellow co-workers. He was a 20 year Life Member of the Ponchatoula Fire Department. For 14 years he was also a member of Hammond’s Krewe of Omega and he and his wife, Cathy, reigned as King and Queen Omega XXXI. Dale was a simple man who loved tending to his vegetable garden and woodworking. He was generous with both his time and his talents. Dale was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend who is already dearly missed by all who knew him.

Dale is survived by his adoring wife of 43 years, Catherine ‘Cathy’ Roberts; daughters, Nicole Dillon, and Megan Eppes (Marshall); grandchildren, Collin Allen Dillon E4 / 3rd Class Seaman (Jamie), Eli Dale Eppes, Palmer Kay Eppes; Great-granddaughter, Kora Shay Dillon; siblings Carolyn R. Bergeron, Larry F. Roberts (Becky), Frances R. Poche, Sherry L. Roberts, Debby R. Gomez, Bonnie R. Clay (Timmy), Sherry F. Michelli (Donald); along with numerous nieces and nephews.

Dale is preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Leola Roberts; twin infant

daughters, Catie and Janie Roberts; and brothers-in-law, Bush Bergeron, Rufus Poche, and Milton Brad Gomez.

In lieu of flowers, family requests that donations please be made to MD Anderson Cancer Center, and/or North Oaks Hospice. Thank You

PONCHATOULA, LA.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Ponchatoula Sunday August 9, 2020 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Services will resume at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Ponchatoula, Monday August 10, 2020 with a Funeral Mass starting at 11:00 a.m. Father Paul McDuffie will officiate with interment to follow in Rosaryville Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Rosaryville Cemetery

Rosaryville Road
Ponchatoula, LA 70454

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 9. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Ponchatoula, LA
1190 Highway 51
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
(985) 370-9296

Tribute Wall

JN

“ Dale was a special person. Discovering his death today (11/11/20) caused me great sorrow. Dale was always kind-hearted and light-hearted! He knew how to make you smile! Everyone loved Dale. I didn't know he had died or I would have returned home for the services; I had heard the sad news some time back that he was sick with cancer.

In 1970, I remember going to a new school (St. Joseph's) in the 6th grade and feeling very alone. Hurricane Camille had destroyed my family's home and we relocated north of the lake to Ponchatoula. It was a very difficult time in my life, but Dale made me feel welcome. He sat behind me in class, talked to me often, pulled my hair, tapped me with his ruler, and chased me with erasers. Sweet memories! Throughout junior high (especially) and in high School, he was a dear friend to me. And though we didn't have many classes together in high school, I still remember him walking around in his blue (FFA?) jacket always sharing a warm smile and kind words.

Dale was such a humble guy, he probably had no idea how greatly I esteemed him and valued his friendship. He was a genuinely nice and caring person.

One day I'll see you again, Dale, in Glory Land! Juanita "Nita"
Gonzales Neef

My deepest sympathy and condolences to you, Cathy, and family.

Juanita G. Neef - November 11, 2020 at 10:44 AM

LS

“ Pitching hay with Dale and his Family when I was dating his Sister Sherry Roberts, I thought I was in pretty good shape but those guys wore me down to nothing. Those were some hard working fellas.

Lynn M.King Sr. - August 09, 2020 at 09:54 PM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.



August 09, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.



August 09, 2020 at 08:57 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.



August 08, 2020 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



August 08, 2020 at 11:37 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



August 08, 2020 at 10:31 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



August 08, 2020 at 08:01 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



August 08, 2020 at 03:05 AM

MS

“ *MR. & MRS. MICHAEL Scott lit a candle in memory of Dale Earl Roberts*



MR. & MRS. MICHAEL Scott - August 07, 2020 at 06:52 PM

RV

“ *Fran,Larry ,and entire Roberts family I would like to send my sincerest feelings for ya'll losing a loved one.God sent him as a present and you all enjoyed him for many years.Don't cry for losing him,but rejoice as Heaven has gained another angel to look over your families.Please accept my deepest condolences.*

russ Vicknair - August 07, 2020 at 06:19 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



August 07, 2020 at 05:58 PM

GA

“ *So sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.*

Gordon Anderson - August 07, 2020 at 04:00 PM

CF

“ *Cindy, Tricia, Vickie and families. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



Cindy, Tricia, Vickie and families. - August 07, 2020 at 03:57 PM

SL

“ *Sonia, Matt, Nick, Hannah, Dane, Shelby, Archer L purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Dale Earl Roberts.*



Sonia, Matt, Nick, Hannah, Dane, Shelby, Archer L - August 07, 2020 at 03:55 PM