



Dennis "Coach" Lowell Wagner

January 15, 1932 - July 26, 2013

Age 81 and a resident of Albany, Coach passed away on Friday, July 26, 2013 at North Oaks Medical Center. He was a retired school teacher and coach as well as a member of Old Zion Baptist Church. He was an inspiration to many and will live forever in the hearts of all who knew him.

Coach leaves behind his loving wife, Tlitha Wagner; his son, Lowell Claude Wagner; son-in-law, Willie Byron Comish; sister, Verna Wagner Honea; brothers, Clayton, Lawrence and Charles Wagner. He is also leaves behind his grandchildren, Dr. Carli Nesheiwat, Jill Fazende, Heather Wagner and Holly Wagner; great-grandchildren, Kylee, Emma, Caroline and Carson Fazende, Adam, Claire Nesheiwat, Conner Wagner and Chase Wagner.

Preceding Coach in death were 4 children, Denise Lynn Wagner Comish, Dennis Wagner, Jr., Jana Lea Wagner, Rhonda Gail Wagner; 1 great-grandchild, Cameron Adam Beck; 3 brothers, Claiborne, Leslie and Elbert "Bobby" Wagner; 1 infant sister and his parents, Riley Claude Wagner and Mary Elizabeth Wagner.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, west of Hammond, on Tuesday, July 30, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again on Wednesday, July 31, 2013 from 8:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 10:00

a.m. Rev. Willie Byron Comish will officiate the services interment will follow in Old Zion Hill Baptist Church Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 30. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA
12012 Highway 190 W
Hammond, LA 70401
(225) 567-1884

Visitation

JUL 31. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JUL 31. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA
12012 Highway 190 W
Hammond, LA 70401
(225) 567-1884

Burial

AUG 1. 11:15 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Old Zion Hill Baptist Church Cemetery
Highway 442 West
Tickfaw, LA

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dennis "Coach" Lowell Wagner.*



July 30, 2013 at 09:50 AM



“ *He touched so many of our lives in such a positive way. Tiara and I wandered just how many of us were telling Coach Wagner stories this weekend. RIP Coach and may God bless your family in their time of grief.*

Lonnie and Tiara Harper - July 29, 2013 at 07:50 AM



“ *Farewell to a wonderful man an awesome coach who treated every student like his own child. You will be missed. Prayers to the family.*

Tina Prokop - July 28, 2013 at 12:54 PM

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“ One of the most intelligent, comical, yet genuine and effective teachers from an area with a strong legacy of fantastic educators in the public schools. Every memory I have of Albany Springfield Junior High seems to include Coach Wagner. For an individual who stood head and shoulders above most, he never looked down upon anyone and did his best to raise your level higher than you could imagine possible at that time in your life. Actually at times his head seemed to almost reached the clouds when you spoke to him, and now his spirit will be forever modifying and inventing gadgets up in Heaven. Rest in Peace Coach.

Richard Haydel

Richard Haydel - July 28, 2013 at 12:38 PM