



## Don Louis Bankston

September 4, 1951 - June 8, 2020

### Don Louis Bankston

Don, age 68, went to his heavenly home on Monday, June 8, 2020, surrounded by his family. He was a longtime resident of Albany, LA. Don was an extremely hard worker who dedicated 20 years to the Local Union 198 as a pipefitter. After finishing his work there, he moved on to construction and concrete work. Don took great pride in providing for his girls and was the epitome of a family man. He enjoyed having groups of people over and entertaining at his house. Don was an exceptional husband, incredible father, and one of a kind Paw Paw who will be forever missed.

Don is survived by his loving wife of 34 years, Deborah Neal Bankston; daughters, Lillie Bankston-Bora (Anthony), Katie Lynn Bankston; mother, Nadine Bankston; sisters, Pam Burchfield, Brenda Hoover; and grandson, John Louis Bora.

He is preceded in death by his father, John Henry Bankston.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Ochsner Cancer Center in honor of Mr. Don.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson, Hammond, on Friday, June 12, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. A Graveside Service will follow at St. Margaret Catholic Church Cemetery at 2:45 p.m. Fr. Jamin David will officiate.

Condolences and other information are available online at [thompsoncares.com](http://thompsoncares.com).

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 12. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home  
12012 Hwy. 190 West  
Hammond, LA 70401

## Graveside Service

JUN 12. 2:45 PM (CT)

St. Margaret Catholic Church Cemetery  
30300 Catholic Hall Rd.  
Albany, LA

# Tribute Wall

 Dana Kinchen

“ *Debbie , Sweet Girls & family,  
Y'all are all in my prayers... Every time I ran into Debbie and Don together, he was always smiling 😊 always happy... Thinking and praying for y'all .... Dana Kinchen*

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**Dana Kinchen** - June 12, 2020 at 01:44 PM

 DL

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with your special family. Don will always be remembered for his huge smile & kind words.  
Love.  
Stormy & Denise Lee*



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**Denise Lee** - June 11, 2020 at 10:48 AM

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“ *Albany Alumni Association purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Don Louis Bankston.*



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**Albany Alumni Association** - June 10, 2020 at 12:58 PM

 KD

“ *Debbie, Lillie, Katie and Mrs. Pam. My heartfelt condolences to you guys. Y'all are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Kevin Darouse** - June 10, 2020 at 10:10 AM

LF

*Debbie, so sorry for the loss you & your family are going through. My thoughts & prayers are with all of you!*

*Elizabeth Bates Foster*

*- Albany High School -*

*Class of 1969*

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**Liz Bates Foster** - June 12, 2020 at 11:39 AM

GR

“ *My heartfelt prayers and condolences to Debbie, her children, family, and friends.*



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**Greg** - June 10, 2020 at 03:55 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Don Louis Bankston.*



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June 09, 2020 at 10:37 PM