



Harold P. Abels

September 8, 1926 - March 19, 2017

Harold P. Abels, 90 years old of Springfield, Louisiana, passed away Sunday, March 19, 2017, at Hammond Nursing Home. He was born on Wednesday, September 8, 1926, in Springfield, LA, son of the late Alexander R. Abels and the late Rubye Pusey Abels. Harold served in the US Navy during WWII. He graduated from Southeastern Louisiana University with a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Education. Harold retired from the Hammond State School after many years of service in Special Education. Harold was a member of the Springfield United Methodist Church, a devout Christian who loved the Lord with all his heart, as well as a devoted husband and father.

Surviving is his wife, Gloria Glover Abels; and two sons, Harold Abels II, and wife Amy, Brian Abels and wife Susan; granddaughters, Christine and Erin Abels; grandson, Taylor Frick.

He is preceded in death by his brothers, Alexander Abels Jr., Charles "Bubby" Abels, Wilson Abels, Raymond Abels, Jacob Abels, Edward Abels and Ralph Abels; sisters, Lillie Abels Maurin, Helen Abels Easterly and Katherine Abels Fayard.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at Springfield United Methodist Church on Friday, March 24, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow in Springfield Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Springfield United Methodist Church, 32165 Walnut St, Springfield, Louisiana 70462 (P.O. Box 66, Springfield, LA 70462) or to the National Alzheimer's Association (www.al

z.org).

Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com.

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

Cemetery Details

Springfield Cemetery

27301 Hwy 42
Springfield, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 24. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Springfield United Methodist Church
Springfield, LA 70462

Funeral Service

MAR 24. 10:30 AM (CT)

Springfield United Methodist Church
Springfield, LA 70462

Tribute Wall

EK

“ *I am very sorry for your loss. May God continue to bless u.
Emogene Ryan Picou Kuhn*

emogene ryan picou kuhn - March 23, 2017 at 04:15 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Harold P. Abels.*



March 23, 2017 at 10:03 AM

JS

“ *I know he will be missed by all who love him, my sincerest
condolences to .Brian, Susan and Taylor,*

Judi Exner Parker

judi parker (friend of Brian and susan) - March 21, 2017 at 07:31 PM

LJ

“ *Harold's Reward*

*He walks with God, remembering his life
in each detail; once stolen by disease
upon this earth. His children and his wife
will miss his presence but their hearts take ease*

*in knowing that in passing he's now freed
from all the pain and suffering. God's gift
to all who lived within His light succeed
in finding their reward. Love spans the rift*

*that's lies between those who are left behind
and faith has built a bridge to Heaven's gate.
Reunion with loved ones will surely find
that loving arms outstretched and smiles await*

*our sure demise. Christ's promises He'll keep
and gentle hands shall dry the tears we weep.*

In loving memory and heartfelt condolences to family and friends.

Larry & Virginia McKigney Jennings

Larry & Virginia Jennings - March 21, 2017 at 03:11 PM

JF

“ *John Glover and family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Harold P. Abels.*



John Glover and family - March 21, 2017 at 12:08 PM

AR

“ *My prayers are with the family in this time of sorrow. He is with his Lord now. RIP*

Annie Laurie Ray - March 21, 2017 at 11:28 AM

LA

“ *Love Ed and Theresa Abels purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Harold P. Abels.*



Love Ed and Theresa Abels - March 20, 2017 at 10:00 PM

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“ *A wonderful brother in law that will be missed by all. I loved the time I spent in his air boat. We sure had fun. There has to be air boats in heaven. Bless you sister. We love you very much. Love, Billy Glover*

John Glover (billy) - March 19, 2017 at 07:51 PM

GA

“ *So sorry for your loss and the loss of a longtime family friend. Our prayers are with you.*

Gordon Anderson - March 19, 2017 at 07:36 PM