



Henry "Hank" Nastasi Jr.

September 23, 1942 - September 15, 2017

Hank, age 74, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Friday, September 15, 2017 at his Hammond residence. He proudly served his country in the US Air Force. Hank was an extremely active member and greeter of Woodland Park Baptist Church and took pride in working with the LA Southern Baptist Disaster Relief. He enjoyed going fishing, camping, and cooking for his family. Hank was a true example of what it means to be God's Child. He will be extremely missed by all who knew him. "Have I told you today that I love you?"

Hank is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Alva Nastasi; daughter, Carlyn Nastasi of Picayune, MS; sons, Anthony Nastasi and wife Beth of Nolenville, TX, Douglas Nastasi Sr. and wife Jessica of Picayune, MS, and Kiley Nastasi of Raleigh, NC; mother, Dorothy Nastasi of Hammond, LA; and sisters, Kathy Powell and husband Henry "Tank" of Ponchatoula, LA, and Susan McDaniel and husband Cliff of Hammond, LA. He is also survived by his five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his father, Henry Nastasi Sr.; and son, Michael Nastasi.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the Memorial Service at Woodland Park Baptist Church on Thursday, October 5, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. Pastor Darryll Woolery will officiate and a memorial gathering will be held directly after the Service.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Cancer Society in

Mr. Hank's honor, <https://www.cancer.org/involved/donate/memorial-giving.html>
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Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

Woodland Park Baptist Church
1909 J.W. Davis Dr.
Hammond, LA

Tribute Wall

CB

“ I met Mr. Nastasi 'bout 40 years ago. He was quick with a joke and had the dryest sense of humor :) Awesome Cook... I remember our last meal together more than anything I know how much He Loved the Lord, his Family and Community.. I imagine he's sitting at the masters table enjoying a amazing meal but adding a little salt to the dish Hehehehe Hahahaha ;).....

catherine burgoni - September 17, 2017 at 10:32 AM

TO

“ I met Mr. Hank when I started working with La Southern Baptist Disaster Relief a few years ago. What a JOY it was to work with him! You always got a hug and he always brought laughter to our work group. I will miss seeing him working with disaster relief, but look forward to the day I will get that hug in heaven. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and will continue to be in the days to come.

Tammy M. Ott
McComb, MS

Tammy M. Ott - September 16, 2017 at 11:43 PM



“ Working with Hank at River Fellowship during OCC , every day he was there was a joyful time. I'd mention that I'd like something and the next day he'd bring it.
Was a giving heart!! Will miss him 😔💖💖💖 But know he's happier where he is now. See you later Hank

Debbie Waguespack - September 16, 2017 at 03:44 PM

JW

“ *Mr. Hank, our sweet neighbor. I will never forget him, always working hard on his yard, laughing with my little ones, giving me hugs and advice! He has been a mentor the last two years, that we have moved here. His words of wisdom will always stay close to my heart. I'll never forget the last time I saw him, greeted with a warming hug and a kiss on the cheek, the way a grandpa would! He will be missed very much, may he fill the Heaven's with laughter and joy!*

Mrs. Alva, we love you both so much! We are here for you when you need anything, just a knock on the door and we are there! We know these moments will be difficult. You have been so grounded in your faith and love with the Lord. He will carry you through this! We send our condolences and love.

- The Woods' Family

Jessica Woods - September 15, 2017 at 09:02 PM

 Emily Klein

“ *Brother Hank and Mrs. Alva took care of me for 4-6 months when I didn't have money or a place to stay. Brother Hank cooked for me almost every day. More than that, they gave me love and strength while I lived with them (and even after I left). I can't describe how much I love you both. May he wear the crowns of kindness that were shown to me in a time of need. <3 God bless you both.*

Emily Klein - September 15, 2017 at 06:55 PM

 Emily Klein

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Emily Klein - September 15, 2017 at 06:34 PM

SM

How I love this picture! Of my brother

susan nastasi mcdaniel - September 16, 2017 at 10:11 AM

JM

love that picture also.

Joan Marie - September 16, 2017 at 01:33 PM

MG

*Kathy, Susie and family I was so sorry to hear about Butch.
Melanie Landry Garland*

Melanie Landry Garland - October 03, 2017 at 06:21 PM

WT

“ *One of my early memories I always think about was when I lived with joan and him for awhile in TX, he loved to wake me up by flipping on the light and saying " time to get up". Always funny to him. He liked me to play Cherry pink and apple blossom white on my guitar.*

wayne thomas - September 15, 2017 at 05:58 PM

MC

“ Will miss my Sunday Morning hugs & "have I told you lately, I love you". Hank, you will be greatly missed. I'll be looking for you when I get to Heaven. Prayers for the family. Love & hugs, David & Margaret Carter

Margaret Carter - September 15, 2017 at 05:46 PM

AP

“ My thoughts and prayers for all of u. Love y'all very much



Anna dunaway pierce - September 15, 2017 at 05:19 PM

 Tori Lumpkin

“ He was such a kind and loving man who always made me laugh. Prayers for the whole Nastasi family.

Tori Lumpkin - September 15, 2017 at 04:26 PM

DK

“ Praying that God will be with each of you in a way beyond your understanding and meet every need you have. Love and prayers

Debbie Kelly - September 15, 2017 at 12:32 PM

JM

I knew him when he was in the 10th grade.. he was always a gentleman. We were married in the Catholic church in 1960 and lived in two states in the Northeast; He was in the Air Force back then.. . Out of Service we lived in Texas.. After we divorced we continued to be good friends and never stopped caring about each other.. He was a very good man and always had Great Faith in God...I will be making donations in his memory to the animals in need of rescue and shelters..Will surely miss his sense of humor..and his prayers before family meals..

Joan Marie - September 15, 2017 at 11:01 PM

JM

correction.. that was the Northwest not East.. Washington State and Oregon.. just a misprint..

Joan Marie - September 16, 2017 at 01:35 PM

JM

must have written this in wrong place so I hear.. I knew Henry when he was in the 10th grade.. He was always a gentleman.. we were married in the Catholic church in 1960 and lived in Washington State and Oregon when he was in the Air Force.. out of service we lived in Texas . After our divorce we continued to be good friends and never stopped caring about each other. he was a very good man and always had great faith in God.. I will be making Donations in his memory to the animals in need of rescue. I will miss his sense of humor and his prayers before family meals.. Rest in Peace my dear Friend.. Joan Marie

Joan Marie - September 16, 2017 at 02:34 PM