



## Huey Leon Beyl

May 23, 1929 - March 6, 2017

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Mr. Huey Leon Beyl, a devoted and loving husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, uncle, son and friend, peacefully went to be with our lord while surrounded by family members on March 6, 2017. Huey passed away at age 87 in Hammond Louisiana after an extended illness.

Huey is survived by his wife of 67 years, Joann Flanagan Beyl of Ponchatoula, La; daughter, Barbara Beyl Coleman and husband Roy E. Coleman of Walker, La; son, Tommy A. Beyl wife Marion F. Beyl of Ponchatoula, La; and brothers, Richard "Dickey" Beyl of Ponchatoula, La and William "Billy" Beyl of Napoleonville, La.

In addition to Huey's 3 children, God blessed him with six grandchildren & four great-grandchildren. Granddaughters, Tiffany Ann Beyl Santangelo and husband Brandon, Jennefer Renee O'Donnell and husband Patrick, Emily Nicole Mihlfread, Ryan Elyse Coleman and Taylor Renee Coleman; grandson, Aaron Joseph Beyl; and great-grandchildren, Jada Elyse Clark, Alex Kathleen Santangelo, Lailah Elaine Mulvey and Aubrey Michelle O'Donnell.

Huey is preceded in death by a son, Huey Leonard Beyl of Ponchatoula, La; parents, Maggie Mae Corbin Beyl and Albert F. Beyl of Hammond, La; sisters, Dorothy "Dot" Drott of Ponchatoula, La, Ethel Rae Wittie of Hammond, La; and brothers, Robbie "Rob" Beyl of Hammond, La, Eugene "Dill" Beyl of Covington, La and Paul "Hoot" Beyl of Hammond, La.

Huey was born on May 23, 1929 in Natalbany, Louisiana to Albert Franklin

Beyl and Maggie Mae Corbin Beyl. Huey graduated from Ponchatoula High School in 1945, and attended Southeastern Louisiana College just after his discharge from the Air Force. After high school, Huey went to work as a carpenter for Wainwright Construction of Hammond, La. Shortly after the Korean conflict began, Huey enlisted in the U.S. Air Force and served our nation from 1950 through 1953. While serving in the Air Force, Huey acquired his skills in electronics that served him well throughout his civilian work life. Huey actually worked on radio equipment for some of our nation's first military jet air craft. He was honorably discharged from the Air Force with the rank of sergeant.

Huey married Joanne Caroline Flanagan, December 25, 1950. After discharge from the military, Huey and Joann moved back to Hammond, La. Huey utilized his electronics trade and began working in the radio & television service industry for Frank Constanza of Hammond, La. He later acquired ownership of Constanza's business and changed the name to Beyl's TV Shop, for which he was most known for. In the late 1960's, Huey did step away from the television business for a brief period. He worked as an instrument / electrical technician during the commissioning and start-up process of the Texaco (now Motiva) refinery located near Convent, La.

Huey was always an avid sportsman, he enjoyed hunting and fishing. He loved hunting squirrel, rabbit and quail as far back as his youth. Later in life, he was fortunate to share deer camp with his sons in many different states. He helped design and build the family deer camp in Mississippi a few short years ago, where many hours of enjoyment were spent.

Although Huey was a hunter and outdoorsman, his biggest passion was fishing...more importantly saltwater fishing. For the better part of 30 years, Huey terrorized the speckled trout that inhabited Lake Ponchatrain from Slidell to the Rigolets. Knowing that many of Huey's fishing buddies have since gone to be with our lord, one can only believe they're loading the boat in heaven with trout right now!

Huey was a member and deacon of the Natalbany Baptist church. He was

always willing to help those who needed it. When thinking of Huey, some of the adjectives that come to mind quickest would be, teacher, mentor, peacemaker, and story teller. He appeared to know everyone, and if he didn't know them, you certainly couldn't tell it. Please join the family as we continue to celebrate Huey's life.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to St. Joseph Hospice for everything they did to care for Mr. Huey.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Hammond, on Thursday, March 9, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Pastor Rodney Taylor will officiate the ceremony with Mr. Oscar Lofton of Baton Rouge offering a Eulogy. Interment will follow in Wetmore Cemetery.

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

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

# Cemetery Details

## Wetmore Cemetery

Hwy 22  
Ponchatoula

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



March 09, 2017 at 10:24 AM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



March 08, 2017 at 08:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



March 08, 2017 at 06:10 PM



“ *Kenny, Yaumara, Ale and Shawn* purchased the *Florist Choice Bouquet* for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



**Kenny, Yaumara, Ale and Shawn** - March 08, 2017 at 04:56 PM

KS

“ I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Beyl. He always had a smile on his face every time I saw him Our sympathies are with all of you during this time.  
Kenny Smith & family

Kenny Smith - March 08, 2017 at 04:12 PM

RF

“ Ron and Debra Dallimore and family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



Ron and Debra Dallimore and family - March 08, 2017 at 02:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



March 08, 2017 at 11:43 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Huey Leon Beyl.



March 08, 2017 at 10:50 AM

GA

“ So sorry for your loss and the loss of a long time Friend. Our prayers are with you.

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**Gordon Anderson** - March 07, 2017 at 07:03 PM

SS

“ Tommy, I'm so sorry to hear about your Dad. My prayers are with you and your family. Sid and Julie Smith

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**Sid Smith** - March 07, 2017 at 05:58 PM