



John Oliver Braud

April 10, 1953 - May 21, 2018

John went to be with his Lord and Savior on Monday, May 21, 2018 at the age of 65. He was a native of Thibodeaux and resident of Loranger. John enjoyed bible study and teaching about his faith. John was a brilliant man and triumphed in everything he pursued. He completed two master's degrees and his Juris Doctorate. John taught at Loyola Law School and met his wife while teaching. He was a certified Diver and five-time winning Iron Man. John enjoyed traveling with his family. He was a truly brilliant and inimitable man who will be so deeply missed by all.

John is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Brenda Braud; daughters, Genie Marie Braud, Carole Vest (husband Rick Coleman), and Christy Penton (husband Michael Penton); son, Allen Vest; sisters, Mary Braud, Cynthia Dehart (husband Bobby), and June Wilson (husband Robert); brothers, Michael Braud and Richard Braud; grandchildren, Justin Vest, Andrew Smitherman, and Matthew Smitherman; great grandchildren, Alana Vest and Rayne Vest; as well as several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Oliver J. "O.J." Braud and Mary Lee Porche; step-mother, Lucille Capo Braud; and grandson, Michael Mounger. Relatives and friends are invited to visitation at Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Hammond, on Thursday, May 24, 2018 from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and Friday, May 25, 2018 from 9:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at St. Helena Catholic Church at 12:00 noon. Fr. Mark Beard will officiate.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Abbey Cemetery

75376 River Rd.
Covington, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 24. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

MAY 25. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 25. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Helena Catholic Church
122 S. 1st St.
Amite City, LA 70422

Tribute Wall

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“ *David Evenson and Lois Leventhal purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



David Evenson and Lois Leventhal - May 25, 2018 at 03:37 PM

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“ *Zorica and Razvan Constantin purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



Zorica and Razvan Constantin - May 25, 2018 at 01:01 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 24, 2018 at 04:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 24, 2018 at 12:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 24, 2018 at 12:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 24, 2018 at 09:21 AM



“ *Yakov, Raisa and Zorrik Voldman purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



Yakov, Raisa and Zorrik Voldman - May 23, 2018 at 08:13 PM



“ *The Wayne and Susan Guidroz family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



The Wayne and Susan Guidroz family - May 23, 2018 at 03:31 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 23, 2018 at 02:19 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



May 23, 2018 at 11:29 AM



“ *Phyllis and Wade LeBlanc purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Oliver Braud.*



Phyllis and Wade LeBlanc - May 23, 2018 at 10:58 AM



“ *Suzanne Lee lit a candle in memory of John Oliver Braud*



Suzanne Lee - May 22, 2018 at 04:27 PM