



John Daniel Coyne

September 27, 1949 - December 21, 2023

John (Johnny) Daniel Coyne was a man of many things within his time on earth. Johnny was an excellent family man, a friend to many, a musician known best for his banjo and mandolin and most importantly a man of faith. He fervently prayed without ceasing, knowing that his God will hear his words. He passionately aligned with God and His will, fighting his battles and worries on his knees. A true man of God.

He was born on September 27, 1949, raised in Covington, LA and a resident of Ponchatoula, LA. He passed away in the early morning hours of December 21, 2023, trading his earthly life for his eternal life. One would find it difficult to try to put into words the legacy Johnny left here on earth, for the memories and moments and fruitfulness flowed immensely all through the days of his life and thereafter.

At 20 years old, he chased his love, Glenda to Arizona where they got married and after returning home to Louisiana, lived a full life together for 54 years. They raised 3 children: Kipphi Egnew (Emmett), Kelli Blades (Brandon), and John (Bubba) Coyne (Kim.) His greatest joy in life was to pass on the love of Jesus to his loved ones, especially his grandchildren: Brenna (Rob), Kayla, Emily (DJ), Brittney (Jared), Monique (Alex), Valerie (Justin), Gabrielle (Casey), Blake (Kaitlyn), Brennen, and Bret (Gabrielle) and great grandchildren: Madison, Kyle, Chelsi, Drew, Brantley, Emerson, Kelslyn, Weston, Emmett, Zayden, TJ, Evangeline, Dale "D", Sawyer, Oliver, Jacob and Ezra. Never did a day pass him by without praying for each of his grands;

lifting them up by name within his prayers. He is survived by his siblings who loved their big brother greatly, Jack Coyne (Kathy), Janie Revere (Roger), Jimmy Coyne (Carol), and Herbie Coyne.

He retired from being Head Welder at SLU, where during his work years he was brought to the attention of the public because of his passionate efforts to save musical instruments he found discarded in the dumpster. He fixed the instruments, taught his fellow workers to play, and the Dumpster Band was recognized by the local press. He enjoyed his retirement at his beloved swamp home near Selser's Creek and continued playing music with his family, known as Mama's Family, where they played for nursing homes as an act of kindness to cheer up those residents.

He was met at the Pearly Gates by his loving parents August and Willie Knight, Hebert and Shirley Coyne and in-laws Leo and Nadine Guedry and met his great granddaughters: Olivia and Kate Fayard. He is preceded in death by grandparents: Ed and Katherine Coyne, Newman and Dovie Hicks + several aunts, uncles, cousins, and one niece, Stephanie Gilchrist.

His service will be held on Thursday, January 4, 2024 at The Ridge Church: 44291 W. Pleasant Ridge Rd. in Hammond, LA. Visitation starts at 11am, service begins at 1pm led by beloved family friend, Pastor Ron Allen.

Fellowship to follow.

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing." -2 Timothy 4:7-8

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

The Ridge Church
44291 W. Pleasant Ridge Rd.
Hammond, LA 70403

Funeral Service

JAN 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Daniel Coyne*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - December 31, 2023 at 01:17 PM

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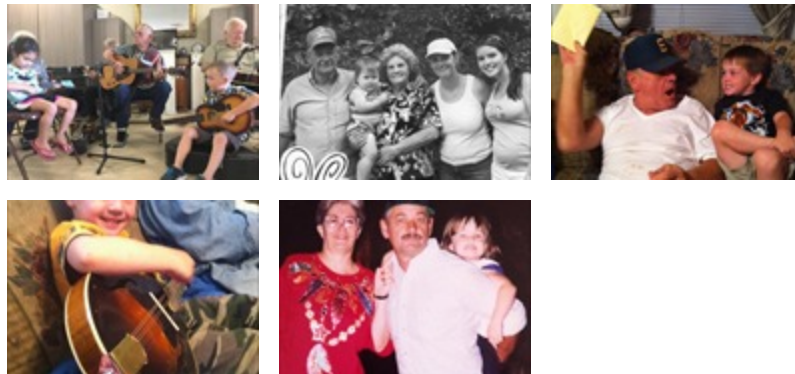
“ *I miss u daddy* 🥺



Kelli Coyne Blades - December 29, 2023 at 02:18 AM

KC

“ *15 files added to the tribute wall*



Kayla Ann Coyne - December 27, 2023 at 05:53 AM

DA

“ Coyne Families,
Our deepest condolences to you each. May you each find the love and sweetest moment's of memories to bond you in a way that only Mr. Johnny could with his smile or singing a tune when he didn't realize you had driven up. Or looking up from his garden and waving when he saw the face of his Madi girl coming home. He was a giant of a man, that left his impression forever on his family and friends. We're forever grateful for the love, laughter ,patience & also stern voice he commanded to teach his great grandchildren in the way they should go. Madi, Kyle, Chelsea & Drew know he is always with you,God bless you all. Debbie & Tod (Nana & Poppy)



Debbie & Tod Alday - December 26, 2023 at 06:50 PM

JW

“ I will Miss my Cousin Johnny a great deal. The memories I have are the ones where he and my Mom(Doris) my Aunt Wanda and my Aunt Shirley and my Cousin Tommy and a few others in the group Johnny and the Tag-a-Longs where they toured all over. At the singing gigs my sisters and I along with cousins would walk around selling their records. Awesome memories. Saw many of the old great Country artist by going to all their shows. I will treasure this memory of my cousin Johnny and all the music they played for so many years starting in like around 1966. I will Miss You Cousin ❤️

Jerri Gill Wise - December 26, 2023 at 05:52 PM

LT

“ Nanny I'm so sorry ,I'm praying for you all,I always enjoyed when I was spending time with you and Johnny,I always loved his banjo and music
Lori G Templet

Lori Templet - December 26, 2023 at 05:43 PM

MF

You and your family have Jennifer and mine condolences. Had a lot of good times with Johnny, a man of integrity, he will be missed. Merl and Jennifer Fagan

Merl Fagan - January 04, 2024 at 11:51 AM