



## Joseph Henry Stevens Jr

April 21, 1980 - December 6, 2013

Joseph "Joe" Henry Stevens, Jr.

Joe grew up on the Westbank and was a current resident of Hammond. He passed away on Friday, December 6, 2013 at the age of 33. He was an avid outdoorsman, who had a great love and appreciation of nature. Joe was an extremely generous, kind, and caring person, and enjoyed nothing more than spending time with his beloved children.

Joe leaves behind his daughter, Alyssa Stevens; sons, Caleb Stevens and Daniel Penton; special companion, Mandy Savoie; father, Joseph Henry Stevens, Sr.; step-father, Danny Ponder. He is also survived by his sisters, Elizabeth Ponder, Danielle Kennedy, Nicole Erb and Jennifer Stevens; brothers, Matthew Stevens, Patrick Stevens and Jonathan Stevens, along with numerous nieces and nephews. He is also survived by his grandmother, Isabell Rix; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Margie and Joel Penton; special friend, Stacey Trapp.

Preceding Joe in death was his mother, Patty Gonzales Ponder; grandfather, Willie Gonzales; grandmother, Joyce Gonzales.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the religious services at River Rock Church, 19505 Hwy 40, Loranger, LA 70446 on Friday,

December 13, 2013 at 12:00 p.m., with visitation beginning at 9:00 a.m.  
Pastor Trent Campbell will officiate the services, assisted by Pastor Ronald  
Peevy and interment will follow in Addison Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Brandon G. Thompson  
Funeral Home, 12012 Hwy 190 West, Hammond LA 70403.

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

## Addison Cemetery

Loranger, LA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 13. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

River Rock Church  
19505 Hwy 40  
Loranger, LA 70446

## Funeral Service

DEC 13. 12:00 PM (CT)

River Rock Church  
19505 Hwy 40  
Loranger, LA 70446

## Burial

DEC 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

Addison Cemetery  
Loranger, LA

# Tribute Wall

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“Offering my deepest condolences to the Stevens family and friends for the loss of your dear loved one. May your treasured memories and the drawing ever closer to God through prayer help begin to bring you the comfort you need during these difficult days of sorrow. (2Cor1:3,4)(Rev21:4)(Acts24:15(Isa25:8)

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**Stephanie** - December 14, 2013 at 03:47 PM

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“Words cannot express the sorrow that I feel for you. No parent should ever have to lose a child. Our loving Creator knows how hard this is on you. We are told at Ezekiel 18:32 “for I do not take any delight in the death of someone dying, is the utterance of the Sovereign Lord .” As you can see, He does not like death anymore than we do. It is not his will for us to die which is why He has given us the hope of everlasting life! (Psalms 37:9-11, 29; Rev. 21:3, 4). As the God and Father of tender mercies, He wants you to find comfort in Him through prayer (2Cor 1:3).

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**Dan Lawrence** - December 12, 2013 at 09:27 AM

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“Special prayers for the families involved. May God bless all of you.

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**Patricia Ivey** - December 12, 2013 at 09:18 AM