



Leonard Jerry Kinchen

March 7, 1946 - August 3, 2020

Leonard Jerry Kinchen, age 74, passed away unexpectedly on August 3, 2020, in an accident doing what he loved best clearing land. Jerry was a world traveler and a master sportsman, especially an avid turkey and deer hunter. He was also an Elder at Fountain of Life Church in Albany. Jerry was the president of the Tri Parish Wild Turkey Federation for over 25 years. He had a soft heart for the individuals and families of those suffering from addiction. Jerry was a one of kind man and will be truly missed by all. The only thing he loved and valued more than his family was his relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Sheila Gill Kinchen; son, Ward Kinchen; grandsons, Trapper Kinchen and Ross Kinchen; special daughter, Carla Foster; brothers, Orlin "Shorty" Rogers, J. Warren Kinchen; sisters, Mickie Huszar, Sallie Stewart, Lucy Kinchen. Also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Leonard and Sallie Starkey Kinchen; father and mother in law, Chester and Florence Gill; and nine brothers and sisters.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at Fountain of Life Church, 28972 S. Montpelier Rd., Albany, on Thursday, August 6, 2020 from 12PM until 3PM. A funeral service will be held at 3PM. Interment to follow at Sallie Kinchen Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Sallie Kinchen Cemetery

8123 Sallie Kinchen Rd
Baptist, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 6. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Fountain of Life Church
28972 Hwy 43
Albany, LA 70711

Funeral Service

AUG 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

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28972 Hwy 43
Albany, LA 70711

Tribute Wall

DA

“ *Ms. Shelia and Ward,
I am so sorry for the loss of your husband and father. I was totally shocked to learn today of his passing. He was a man who I always loved talking with and sharing stories any time that I saw him, although regrettably it has been a while since I last had that pleasure. When we did some real estate deals years ago he always treated me fairly and always made sure that we were both satisfied. He was such a man of high principals and was always willing to help those who he knew needed help. Our community has suffered a great loss with his passing. May God bless the two of you and your extended family during this time of sorrow. It just feels like something is missing knowing that I'll never see him again.*

*Darryl G. Andrews
Livingston, LA*



Darryl Andrews - August 11, 2020 at 07:37 PM

ME

“ *Shelia, Ward and Ross,*

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. So very sorry for your loss.

Everyone at Garrety & Associates

Melissa - August 11, 2020 at 07:20 PM

LS

“ We met Jerry when he came to Kansas to hunt deer. He and Mike were at our place several times. Jerry's most recent call to us was to ask my wife about apple trees.

He was a great and a Godly person.

Larry and Vickie Shead, Garland, KS

Larry Shead - August 07, 2020 at 08:06 PM

CH

“ Sorry for your loss. God has a new angel in heaven. Your family has been such a blessing to me and mine.

Carla Hart - August 07, 2020 at 12:39 AM

NL

“ Sheila, I am so sorry and so sorry I can not make the services. Please know I am thinking of you, dear heart, and I know you are very strong and I pray you feel the strength and support of Jesus and all your family and friends who love you. Jerry will be missed by many many relatives and friends. My prayers and condolences to you and your family.

Nadine

Nadine Lagarde - August 06, 2020 at 01:49 PM



“ We are praying for you, Shelia, and Ward and your wonderful family. Very sorry for the loss.

Charles Spratt - August 05, 2020 at 11:49 PM

EJ

“ So sorry for your loss. May your many pleasant memories comfort and sustain you.

E Clark Forrest Jr - August 05, 2020 at 09:42 PM

JJ

“ Shelia, we are grieving the momentary loss of our friend and will be praying for you and your family during this difficult time. Terry and I will always be grateful for the part you and Jerry played many years ago in helping us purchase that piece of property adjoining our property.

Jim & Terry Jenkins - August 05, 2020 at 05:38 PM

LH

I can't amazing how you miss feel , we love you and Jerry and ward . Carla and two sons . Memory we have cant be taken away . We love your family 🙏

Linda Hart - August 05, 2020 at 10:59 PM

CP

“ Leonard Jerry was a friend for 40 years. We shared many trips & turkey hunts together. His kindness and love for others will be missed. I can attest that he has done things for me and my family that will never be forgotten. My sincere sympathy to all the family.

chaney phillips - August 05, 2020 at 02:04 PM



“ Garden Cross was purchased for the family of Leonard Jerry Kinchen.



August 05, 2020 at 01:01 PM

CJ

“ Deepest sympathy to Shelia, Ward, and family.

Calvin C. Fayard, Jr. and Family

Calvin C. Fayard, Jr. - August 05, 2020 at 10:26 AM

CJ

“ Calvin C. Fayard, Jr. lit a candle in memory of Leonard Jerry Kinchen



Calvin C. Fayard, Jr. - August 05, 2020 at 10:24 AM

DB

“ Praying for you, Sheila, and all of your family.

Debra Blount - August 05, 2020 at 07:51 AM

TF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. May Jesus comfort you.

The James D Miley Family - August 04, 2020 at 10:35 PM

TF

The James D. Miley Family

The James D Miley Family - August 04, 2020 at 10:36 PM

JK

“ I will truly miss my Brother My condolences to Sheila, Ward, Ross & Trapper. He is now in the hands of our Lord. J Warren Kinchen



J Warren Kinchen - August 04, 2020 at 08:30 PM

GA

“ Oh my goodness so so sorry for your sad and shocking loss and the sad and shocking loss of our dear long time family friend. I have many many wonderful memories and experiences growing up with him and his brothers and sisters. In spite of the sadness I will cherish these wonderful memories for the rest of my life. I remember cutting sugarcane picking cotton and whatever else they had growing on their farm. And riding horses all over the country out there. Man as he was called Back then And I are the same age. Again I will cherish the memories always. Our prayers are with you.

Gordon Anderson - August 04, 2020 at 06:34 PM

RW

I'm so sorry for yalls loss. Great man and great family. Sheila and Ward I'm here for yall. May God bless you lady. He was so sweet.

Red and Carmen Whitehead - August 05, 2020 at 03:55 AM

HA

Our prayers are with the family at this time, Rest in Peace MAN.

Harold Amerson - August 05, 2020 at 07:35 AM

JW

So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Stay strong and always know God is there RIP
Jean W. Williams

jean Williams - August 05, 2020 at 12:15 PM

EM

So sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort and peace.
Elaine Mier

Elaine Mier - August 05, 2020 at 12:25 PM

KT

Sheila, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. So very sorry for your loss.

Keith and Mayra Timberlake

Keith Timberlake - August 06, 2020 at 10:19 AM

IM

You are truly missed Mr Jerry you and Mrs Sheila were always good to me I love y'all

Inez Methvien - November 23, 2024 at 02:24 PM