



Leroy Owens, Sr.

July 26, 1935 - June 22, 2008

LeRoy Owens, Sr.

Age 72, a native of Hammond and a resident of Holden, LeRoy passed away Sunday, June 22, 2008 at Oschner Medical Center of Baton Rouge. After retiring as a barber for twenty-two years and being co-owner of Morris' Barber Shop in Baton Rouge, LeRoy then became self-employed for the past several years with Max's Barber Shop in Albany: as well as retiring as a boiler maker in the maintenance department with the Hammond Developmental Center.

LeRoy was a member of Masonic Lodge #466 and a member of the Independence Baptist Church and he served in the United States Army.

He is survived by his devoted wife, Linda Triplett Owens of Holden, loving son and daughter-in-law, LeRoy and Paula Perricone Owens of Holden; adoring daughter and son-in-law, Liz and Miles Cotten of Hattiesburg, Mississippi. He leaves behind five wonderful grandchildren, Justin Lee Owens, Clint Owens Cotten, Madison Elizabeth Cotten, Milam Cotten and Kyle Musacchia.

Surviving siblings are brothers, Max Owens and wife, Barbara of Albany, Paul Owens and wife, Julie of Baton Rouge and Rodney Owens of Hammond along with one sister, Lillie Williams and husband, Mitch of Baptist.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Don Owens and Richard "Dick" Owens and his parents, Ralph and Reba Addison Owens.

Pallbearers are Justin Owens, Clint Cotten, Tom Owens, Terry Glascock, Dwight Blount and Sonny Thompson.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services

from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, west of Hammond on Wednesday, June 25th at 10:00 a.m. The family requests that visiting hours be observed on Tuesday, June 24th from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with a Masonic Service at 7:00 p.m. Visitation will resume on Wednesday beginning at 8:00 a.m. until the service time. Leroy's brother-in-law, Rev. Mitch Williams will officiate the services and interment will follow in Holly Gardens Cemetery in Hammond.

Condolences and other information available online at www.bgthompsonfuneralhome.com

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

Tribute Wall



“ Mrs. Linda, Leroy and Liz

So sorry to hear about your loss.

May God comfort all of you at this time.##imported-begin##Sharon DePaula##imported-end##

August 04, 2008 at 07:20 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Leroy's passing; he was my barber for a lot of years. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire Owens Family. May the good Lord bless you all and take you thru these trying times.*

Carol & Glynn Starkey##imported-begin##Theresa Sparacello Bell##imported-end##

June 25, 2008 at 01:30 PM



“ *I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, GOD BLESS YOU.##imported-begin##Glynn & Carol Starkey##imported-end##*

June 24, 2008 at 10:00 PM



“ *Linda, Leroy and Liz, I just heard this evening and wanted you to know that you are in my prayers now and will remain there in the days to come. We are unable to come tomorrow but will drive down sometime in the next few weeks to check on you. We love you guys. Kay##imported-begin##LISA WESTMORELAND##imported-end##*

June 24, 2008 at 08:05 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Kay Helms##imported-end##

June 24, 2008 at 06:53 PM



“ Leroy was a fine person. May he rest in peace with the Lord.##imported-begin##Larry and Lavelle Cannon##imported-end##

June 24, 2008 at 04:55 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Buck & Mitzi Grantham##imported-end##

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“ Linda, John (J.H.) and I were so sorry to learn of LeRoy's death. We have fond memories of taking all three of our boys to Morris' Barber Shop for "Mr. LeRoy" to get their first hair cuts. What a patient person to put up with screaming kids!!

May you find comfort in the memories of your years together. Our prayer is God will wrap His loving arms around you and give you strength and peace in the days ahead.

Fondly,

John & Barbara Meades##imported-begin##Gordon Anderson##imported-end##

June 24, 2008 at 02:25 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*
Stormy & Denise Lee##imported-begin##John & Barbara
Meades##imported-end##

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“ *##imported-begin##Denise Lee##imported-end##*

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