



Robert Ray Cox

January 6, 1927 - August 27, 2017

Mr. Robert went to be with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Sunday, August 27, 2017 at the young age of 90. He was a lifelong resident of Hammond, where he first learned to drive a truck on his brother's dairy farm; from there his passion grew to become a truck driver from which he later retired after many years. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army from 1947 until 1951. Mr. Robert was a very Christian man who had a wonderful relationship with the Lord and was even baptized in the Amite River. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather who is already deeply missed by all who knew him.

Mr. Robert is survived by his adoring wife, Barbara Scharwarth Cox; his children, Linda Nell Spells (Virgil) of Albany, LA, Darrell Authar Cox (Cindy) of Slidell, LA, Robert D. Cox (Jessie) of Ponchatoula, LA; step-children Tammy Derks (Eddie), James Gehegan (Bonnie) and Gary Gehegan; as well as 17 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his former wives, Jessica Eugenia Lambert, and Mary Fedele; daughter, Pamela Pridgen; parents, James and Lillie Cox; sisters, Bernice Stump, Dorothy Nell, Phylone Thomas, Doris Creel; brothers, Leo Cox, Nelson Cox, Zollie Cox, Louis Cox and 2 great-great grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Ponchatoula, on Wednesday, August 30, 2017 from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Visitation will resume on Thursday, August 31, 2017 from 10:00 a.m. until the Funeral Service at 12:00 p.m. Pastor Jay Griggs will officiate the services with burial to follow in Holly Gardens Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Holly Gardens Cemetery

South Holly Street
Hammond, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **30**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Ponchatoula, LA
1190 Highway 51
Ponchatoula, LA 70454
(985) 370-9296

Visitation

AUG **31**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Ponchatoula, LA 70454
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Funeral Service

AUG **31**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Isabella Marie - December 13, 2017 at 05:45 PM



“ My uncle Robert will always be missed

Tiffany cambetta - December 02, 2017 at 12:04 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert Ray Cox.



August 29, 2017 at 07:10 PM



“ Paw Paw... I will always remember the times we spent together and all of the memories of my childhood with you.. you were always a man of God and loved every one of your grandkids and great grandkids equally!! They were your heart and life.. these memories will last forever and I will love you forever.. I'm just happy that you are no longer in pain and you and momma are finally together again.. I bet she was at heaven's gates waiting for you with open arms.. love you always and forever..

Jennifer Pridgen - August 29, 2017 at 11:27 AM

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We all miss him so much

Tiffany cambetta - December 02, 2017 at 12:04 PM

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“ *So sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.*

Gordon Anderson - August 28, 2017 at 05:49 PM

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“ *Pawpaw robert was a great guy he was a Christian a loving husband, father and grandfather we will love and miss him dearly*



Albert And Erika Bearden - August 28, 2017 at 05:31 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Ray Cox.*



August 28, 2017 at 03:49 PM