



Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr.

January 11, 1957 - April 18, 2016

Roland, age 59, passed away on Monday, April 18, 2016, at his Hammond residence. He was a Tickfaw Police officer and enjoyed all aspects of his job, so much so that the children knew him for passing out candy in his patrol car. Roland proudly served in the Marine Corps and retired after 25 years of dedicated service where he served in Beirut and Vietnam. He was a simple sharp dressed man, who loved country music and serving his community. Roland will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Roland is survived by his beloved wife, Theresa J. Hughes; step sons, Rian, Rusti, and Tyler Fowler; grandchild, Nicholas Fowler, mother; Anna Nell Hughes; siblings, Becky and husband Dwight Raiford, Cindy and husband Ronald Holton, Steve Hughes, Beverly and husband Ted Holden, Dale Hughes; former wife, Olby Matta Hughes, 11 nieces and nephews, and 8 great nieces and nephews.

Roland is preceded in death by his father, Roland B. Hughes, Sr.; brother, Robert Howard Hughes; grandparents, Byron and Irene Hughes, Emily Sweeney Strate; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, Hammond, on Thursday, April 21, 2016, from 5:00 p.m. until the service at 7:00 p.m. visitation will resume after

the service until 9:00 p.m.

Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com.

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

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 21. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA
12012 Highway 190 W
Hammond, LA 70401
(225) 567-1884

Celebration of Life Service

APR 21. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

APR 21. 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DC

“ My deepest sympathy go out to you and your family during this time of grief. May you have comfort and peace knowing that “The Bible calls Jehovah God “the source of life.” (Psalm 36:9; Acts 17:24, 25) The One who gave life to all living creatures is certainly capable of restoring life to someone who has died.” Please accept my condolence, and know we are here for you. If you have any questions please contact me at the email listed.

Debra R. Collins - April 28, 2016 at 04:56 PM

SC

“ Ms Annie, and all your family & Bruce's family! Out hearts and prayers are with you all. We spent a lot of good times together when younger! Ifyou read Matthew 5:5-12 it is The Beatitudes one of the sermons Jesus spoke while on earth! They are all beautiful! But I want to share two with you! We love you family very much!
Matthew 5:4 Blessed are those who mourn, For they shall be comforted.
Matthew 5:9 Blessed are the PEACEMAKERS, for they shall be called SONS of GOD.
May God wrap you all in the plam of him amazing arms of love and comfort you with Grace and mercy!
We love you All,
Sue, William, Ralph, Jr, Crockett
Friends & Family by Hearts

Sue Crockett - April 22, 2016 at 05:07 PM

MD

“ Margaret Milford DeLacerda lit a candle in memory of Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr.



Margaret Milford DeLacerda - April 22, 2016 at 07:39 AM

TC

“ Since the news of his passing I have thought of many smiles, laughs and jokes he shared with me. I would first like to remember his family, they need prayers. I will never forget the dedication he had for law enforcement. He did his job with a smile and sincerity, perhaps what more officers do rather than not. He never took himself seriously but took his job very serious As God brings comfort as only he can. may he rest in the arms of God now. Miss you Roland!

Terri Monteleone Crosby - April 22, 2016 at 06:51 AM

AJ

“ Aletha Johnsno lit a candle in memory of Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr.



Aletha Johnsno - April 21, 2016 at 01:35 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr..*



April 20, 2016 at 04:46 PM



“ *Uncle Julian and Aunt Pat Adams purchased the Fruits and Blooms Basket for the family of Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr..*



Uncle Julian and Aunt Pat Adams - April 20, 2016 at 03:36 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of Bruce. Bruce and Teresa look so happy when I saw them Christmas day. I wish that I could be with you. But Cypress Tx is still flooded. Love Uncle Julian Adams*

Julian Adams - April 20, 2016 at 01:56 PM



“ *Brenda "Nana" and Sonny Vince purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Roland Bruce Hughes, Jr..*



Brenda "Nana" and Sonny Vince - April 20, 2016 at 10:59 AM

BV

“ Roly was a very special person to our family and he was a good person. He always kept us laughing, him, my husband, my son and our whole family had some good times together. When that trio got together look out. There will be a big hole in our family and he will be dearly missed. I'm like Teri I can't believe our Roly is gone. He called me Nana and I love him so very much. Brenda Vine his mother-in-law. Rest in peace Roly until we see you again. You know you will be a big topic when our family gets together and we were very blessed to have you.

Brenda Vince - April 20, 2016 at 09:41 AM

SC

“ So sorry for your loss of Bruce as I knew him. Years ago he worked with his brother ,Dale on a project of mine and I enjoyed working together so very much. He was certainly a character filled with humor. Will pray for the family's peace and comfort for the loss

Sherry Cashio - April 20, 2016 at 09:11 AM

JH

“ Mr Roland was a good man I met him when I started working at the. Tick faw pit stop my prayers go out to his family and the tick faw police department

Jackie hart - April 19, 2016 at 10:39 PM

GA

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of this man. Our prayers are with you.

Gordon Anderson - April 19, 2016 at 10:14 PM

BC

“ Prayers go out for your family, there is a special place awaiting you my brother. You always treated people with honor and respect. God bless!

Butch Carrone - April 19, 2016 at 07:03 PM

TD

“ Anna and family, I am so sorry for the loss of Roland. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Tilly DiMaggio - April 19, 2016 at 06:48 PM

AB

“ I knew Roland when I was in the Marine Corps. My prayers and condolences to his family.
Anna Buchanan

Anna Buchanan - April 19, 2016 at 05:46 PM

JB

“ Roland was a friend and mentor of mine for years. He could always be counted on to keep his word and do what was right. He loved his God, his Country, his Marine Corps, and being a police officer. I will miss him, he was a great American.

John BonneCarrere - April 19, 2016 at 03:58 PM

JB

See you on the high ground Devil Dog

John BonneCarrere - April 19, 2016 at 03:59 PM

JH

I did not personally know Roland but knew of his service through his sister, Beverly and his mom, Ann. May your family find peace and comfort in your life and memories. Rest easy Marine and Semper Fidelis!

Janell Heathcock - April 19, 2016 at 06:01 PM

SS

I met Roland when he 1st came to Tickfaw as a police officer! He always had a smile on his face, and would help anyone in need! He was a true American! He served his country, and he continued to serve as a peace officer! I know he will be missed by all! RIP Sgt. Hughes!

Sharon Sparacello - April 19, 2016 at 08:08 PM

KA

My thoughts and prayer go out to his family and friends. I new him many years ago and he was truly a wonderful, delightful person who always had us laughing.

Karen Acosta - April 21, 2016 at 04:15 PM