



Royal "Wayne" Levy

November 17, 1943 - November 18, 2021

Wayne, at the age of 78, was called to his heavenly home on Thursday, November 18, 2021, while surrounded by his family. He was a resident of Hungarian Settlement, Louisiana. Wayne was known to be a true family man who was the happiest when he spent time with the ones he loved. "Jack of all Trades" best describes him as he was a very hard worker who proudly owned several restaurants after working his way up from being a meat cutter. Wayne enjoyed cooking and was known for his exquisite seafood. He was featured in cookbooks with celebrity chef's and was even mentioned on the Johnny Carson Show. He loved fishing and was a member and one of the founders of The Tangipahoa Association of Bass Angler's. He also enjoyed traveling with his family and could be found dancing on the dance floor doing the jitter bug. Wayne was a doting husband and father, and an extraordinary grandfather who will be deeply missed.

He is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Chris Ladner Levy; daughters, Mindy Starkey (Marty) and Monica Levy; his siblings; grandchild, Michaela Balfantz; and great-grandchild, Carsan Culler.

Wayne is preceded in death by his sons, Brian Levy and Michael Erdey; parents, Leon and Leda Ruth Levy; siblings.

Pallbearers are Marty Starkey, Jordan Foster, Jim Lyons, Tom Ladner, Corey

Morreale and Steve Perret.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Mr. Wayne's best friend and caregiver, Billie Ann Hutchinson and Lakeside Hospice nurses, Phil and Katelyn.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Albany Hungarian Presbyterian Church.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation on Monday, November 22, 2021, held in the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home 12012 Hwy 190 W. Hammond, LA 70401, beginning at 10:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 1:00 p.m. Rev. Daniel Vanek will officiate and the interment will follow in Albany Hungarian Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Albany Hungarian Presbyterian Church Cemetery

30767 Hungarian Presbyterian Church Road
Albany, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 22. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

NOV 22. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

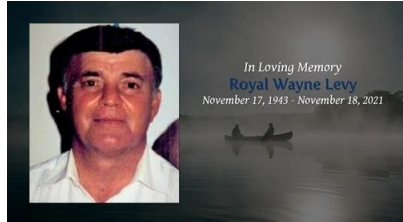
NOV 22 (CT)

Albany Hungarian Presbyterian Church Cemetery
30767 Hungarian Presbyterian Church Road
Albany, LA

Tribute Wall



“ Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Royal "Wayne" Levy



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - November 20, 2021 at 03:48 PM

RC

“ Chris, I enjoyed visiting with Wayne when he stopped by the Oak St office. Warm thoughts and prayers to you and your family.....rc

Ricky Currier - November 23, 2021 at 10:09 AM

LB

“ My husband Jarrett Bodi worked for Mr. Wayne through high school back in the late 80's. While I only had the honor of meeting Mr. Wayne once, I felt like he was part of our family. Jarrett always told me how he learned to fry and boil seafood from Mr. Wayne. My deepest sympathies to the family he leaves behind.

Loretta Bodi - November 21, 2021 at 02:39 PM

JS

“ I have many memories of Wayne as we hunted and fished together. Lots of laughs for sure. He will be missed by many including me.
Jeff Schneider

jeff schneider - November 21, 2021 at 06:11 AM

MS

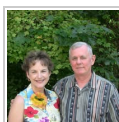
“ My dad was a wonderful father to me, Monica L. Sawyer (Paul). He had to other grandchildren Petyon and Blaine. We will miss him very much.

Monica L. Sawyer - November 20, 2021 at 09:37 PM

GA

“ Oh so so sorry for the loss of my dear long time best and high school friend. I am so sorry And shamed That I have not visited or checked on Wayne in recent years. A memory on the Hammond high school football practice Field I was playing linebacker and Wayne comes running up the middle I lowered my head as low as I could And his helmet butted me in the face. I got up screaming because my two front teeth were missing Coach TC CAImes Said Get your ass back in there Anderson there ain't nothing wrong with you. I still have my two front false teeth as one of my long-term memories of Wayne. And many Other great memories with Wayne. Our prayers are with you.

Gordon Anderson - November 19, 2021 at 06:42 PM



Wayne was quite the running back. Glad I never made the football team. I like my teeth. May he rest in peace.

Robert Pauli - November 22, 2021 at 08:35 AM