



Stephen Leon Harward

December 13, 1974 - September 12, 2021

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Stephen, age 46, went to his heavenly home on Sunday, September 12, 2021. He was a precious soul who touch many lives. Stephen never met a stranger. He enjoyed engaging everyone in a good conversation; often slipping in a joke or two. Stephen never met a sport he wasn't interested in. From the summer sports to the winter sports and everywhere in-between, he enjoyed watching each and every one, while participating in the ones he had the opportunity to play. Stephen was both so very proud and so very happy working for the good people at Carter's Supermarket in Springfield for many years. Stephen was an exceptionally loving son, brother, uncle, and friend who is already dearly missed by all who knew and loved him. Although his love for his family gave him the desire to fight the battle he faced at the end, his faith in our Heavenly Father ultimately gave him the comfort he needed to move onto his next journey.

Stephen is survived by his loving parents, Bob and Kim Briggs; sisters, Stephanie Peaslee (Lyn), Joey Cooper (Chris), Terri Hays (Justin), Jodie Crozier; brothers, Cody Harward, and Cory Willoughby (Melanie); grandmother, LaNae Herbert; several nieces and nephews which included special bond with Camdyn and Landon.

Stephen is preceded in death by his grandmothers, Carol Harward, and Fern Briggs; grandfathers, Victor Herbert, Norman Harward, and Wesley Briggs; niece Chelsea Peaslee; and great friend, Curtis Dykes.

Pallbearers for Stephen will be his very own VooDoo Softball Team members and the Coaches. They will have the honor of carrying Stephen to his final resting place.

In lieu of flowers, any and all donations will benefit the VooDoo Softball Team; donation may be sent to Brandon Thompson Funeral Home, thank you.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, 12012 Hwy 190 West, Hammond on Saturday, September 25, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. until the start of the Funeral Service at 12:00 p.m. Pastor Dallas Stewart and Pastor Nathan Wall will officiate. Interment will follow in Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery on Macedonia Road in Hammond.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

SEP **25**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Burial

SEP **25** (CT)

Macedonia Baptist Church
40228 Macedonia Road
Hammond, LA

Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Stephen Leon Harward*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - September 23, 2021 at 11:45 AM

DO

“ *I will dearly miss Steven very much ,he used to cut my grass every few weeks and his work was immaculate he always showed up on time and always had a good conversation about the weather . I will always remember him as a good friend a good neighbor and also a good gardener he always would share his vegetables with me. I will always remember this great person that touched my life thank you kindly Donna*

Donna - October 24, 2021 at 11:03 PM

JB

“ *What an awesome tribute to Stephen, Although I haven't seen him since he was a child, he was always special. and as divorce took me out of your families life, you where all still family to me. And Stephen was still my very first nephew, Huggs to Kim and Bobby both! you are both in my thoughts and prayers*

Jerry Boyd - September 24, 2021 at 03:48 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Stephen Leon Harward.*



September 22, 2021 at 09:07 PM



“ *We knew Steve when we live in park by him he would always stop by and talk just about every day if he saw us on tha porch he was such a sweet and caring person. RIP STEVE Michael and Betty Moore..* 🙏🏻✝️



Betty Moore - September 17, 2021 at 09:15 AM



“ *The Bible says the fruit of the spirit is love, joy,peace, temperance, long suffering, patience, gentleness. I never knew Stephen personally other than seeing him in the store, but he always seemed to display these qualities. He always had a smile and a hello when I saw him. God bless you and your family and know that God has received his child with that same smile he displayed for everyone he saw.*

Rodney Edwards - September 17, 2021 at 08:32 AM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stephen Leon Harward.*



September 17, 2021 at 01:16 AM

MM

“ Stephen R.I.P my friend. You will always be in my heart. I really enjoyed working with you all those years at Piggly Wiggly. You always made me laugh no matter how I felt. You could make me mad sometimes but not for long. I am going to miss you my friend. Hope you will be watching those Saints up in heaven.



Marian Meyers - September 17, 2021 at 01:15 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stephen Leon Harward.



September 16, 2021 at 07:56 PM

JS

“ Joyce Sunseri lit a candle in memory of Stephen Leon Harward



Joyce Sunseri - September 16, 2021 at 07:29 PM

JS

Such a sweet guy, liked by everyone. Thank you for your kindness and smiles

Joyce Sunseri - September 16, 2021 at 07:30 PM



“ *A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Stephen Leon Harward.*



September 16, 2021 at 03:12 PM



“ *Stephen you will be well missed!
I remember when we lived down the road from you and your family. you would always see if we needed help in our yard or checking on your little sister. you enjoyed working for Piggly Wiggly & Carter's grocery store, we will miss your conversations when would see you.
GOD BLESS YOU!
REST IN PEACE!
Kathy & Glenn Motichek & family*

Kathy Motichek - September 15, 2021 at 07:29 AM



“ *Love you little brother!! I will miss you calling me an old lady on every Birthday. I have so many memories of him growing up. He always did Special Olympics and when we were in Jr high I loved helping his bowling team. I remember him riding the bucking calves in a rodeo. Then I grew up and moved away. I regret not seeing him as much as I should have. I love you little brother. Rest in peace.*

Stephanie Peaslee - September 14, 2021 at 08:12 PM