



## Thomas Maxwell Fry Sr.

December 24, 1936 - February 4, 2023

Tom, age 86, passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 4, 2023. He was a proud graduate of the General Motors Institute in Flint, MI where he studied automotive engineering. Tom furthered his education in mechanical engineering at the University of Iowa. He was a talented and skilled engineer for 42 years. Tom was an avid reader. He enjoyed history, politics, theology, and especially reading his Bible. Tom was most passionate about music, especially singing. He was a member of a barbershop quartet in North Carolina and sang in the choir of First United Methodist Church of Ponchatoula. Tom was an enthusiastic football fan and enjoyed following many different teams. He was a devoted member of the First United Methodist Church in the Ponchatoula community as a member and proud past president of the local Rotary International.

He is survived by his son, Thomas Maxwell Fry Jr.; daughter, Brendalyn Michael; grandchildren, Thomas Maxwell Fry III (Jamie), Kaylee McCormick (Robert), Alexandra Fry, McKenzie Fry, Jacqueline Fry, David Fry, Millicent Fry, Theo Michael, and Macy Michael; and daughter-in-law, Rachel Fry.

Tom is preceded in death by his son, Aaron David Fry; parents, Jackson and Dorthea Fry; and brother, David Fry.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Dawn Collura for her

exceptional care of Mr. Tom with the help of Martha Fry.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the music program at the First United Methodist Church of Ponchatoula.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a memorial service at First United Methodist Church in Ponchatoula, LA on Tuesday, March 7, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. Tom will be interred with his parents and brother in Davenport Memorial Park Cemetery in Davenport, IA.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAR 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

1st United Methodist Church of Ponchatoula  
201 E. Pine Street  
Ponchatoula, LA

# Tribute Wall

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“ Tom was a exceptional gentleman, extremely knowledgeable but humble, friendly to all and, oh, what a beautiful voice he added to his choir!

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**Kathryn J Martin** - March 07, 2023 at 10:22 AM

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“ There are no words to express the depth of my sadness knowing my beloved Tom has passed from this life. I am comforted knowing he was gathered into the loving arms of his savior, Jesus Christ and now sings with heavily angels. You will always be the love of my life.



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**martha fry** - February 21, 2023 at 04:49 PM

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“ Tom will always hold a special place in my heart. He had a way of making anyone he met feel special. I was honored to have known him.

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**Dawn N Collura** - February 12, 2023 at 09:06 PM