



Walter "Butch" Ray Bankston

January 4, 1945 - December 19, 2017

Walter, age 72, went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, December 19, 2017. He was a lifelong resident of Albany, LA. Walter was a true Christian man who attended many churches in his lifetime, the latest being Bethlehem Baptist Church. Walter was known for being an extremely hard worker and he dedicated over 35 years to the LDOT. He truly cared for everyone and had a heart of gold. Walter left an incredible impact on the ones he loved and will be forever missed.

He is survived by his daughters, Rhonda Bankston Mclin and husband Charles, Tammy Bankston Brumfield; sisters, Ella Caillouet and husband Malcolm, Charolette Castell and husband Danny; grandchildren, Justin Kennedy, Jourdan Kennedy Raney and husband Dylan, Billy Brumfield Jr., Breanna Brumfield, and Brandon Brumfield; and great-grandchildren, Raylee Brumfield, Presley Grace Brumfield, Aubree-Anne Debacco and Anthony Wayne Debacco Jr.

Walter is preceded in death by his loving wife, Dorothy Bankston; parents, Montez and Ray Bankston; and sisters, Winnie Ruth Bankston Johnson and Zillah Bankston Delaughter.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson, Hammond, on Friday, December 22, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Bro. Larry Moak will officiate and interment will follow in Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery

29350 S Montpelier Rd.
Albany, LA 70711

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Walter "Butch" Ray Bankston.*



December 22, 2017 at 07:49 AM



“ *He was one of the best men in my life , he taught me about the Lord and for standing up for myself at all cost when i am being done wrong*



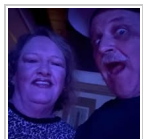
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“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Walter "Butch" Ray Bankston.*



December 21, 2017 at 12:12 PM



“ *Asking That God wrap his loving arms around you and give you a peace,that only comes from Him*

Lisa Westmoreland - December 21, 2017 at 02:42 AM

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“ I will always remember that BIG smile. Always a kind word. Always knew who you were. I will miss MR. WALTER. Truly a great man. He is where he wants to be. I love all of you and have and will always keep yall in my prayers.

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“ So sorry for the loss of my dear long time friend. Went to school with Walter Ray first grade through high school Our prayers are with you..

Gordon And Eloise Anderson - December 19, 2017 at 05:58 PM