



Lawrence Hoffpauir

October 26, 1936 - June 6, 2018

Lawrence Hoffpauir, 81, passed away peacefully on June 6, 2018 at his home surrounded by his family.

He was born on October 26, 1936 in Acadia Parish to Allen and Marie Hoffpauir, the youngest son of 10 children.

A native of Hayes, Lawrence worked as a mechanic owning his own business Hoffpauir's Service Station for 25 years, then retiring from Lake Charles Regional Airport after 25 years of service. After retirement, he worked as maintenance supervisor for St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Bell City.

Lawrence was a member of the Bell City Knights of Columbus 3048 serving as Grand Knight and received Knight of year in 1985. He served as a board member of the Ward 2 Fire District from 1989–2017 and also served as Constable of Ward 2 for 18 years.

Still living life to the fullest through simple pleasures, growing a garden, visiting with friends, tinkering in his shop and spending time with his family. He had an uncanny ability to reach out to young people in a positive way, they were drawn to him.

Lawrence was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and friend to all. He never met a stranger and was known to be quite a character

He is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Ann Hoffpauir; two daughters, Duanne Hoffpauir, Angelia Decoteau (Lyle); four grandchildren, Kyle Fox (Jill), Kate Fox, Kash and Cody Decoteau; three great-grandchildren, River Fox, Grayson Fox and Kamron Reber; sister, Alice Guidry.

A Mass of Christian burial will be in St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Lacassine, Saturday, June 9, 2018 at 11 a.m. with Father Roland Vaughn and Father Rojo Antony officiating. Burial will follow in Lacassine Cemetery under the direction of Johnson &

Brown Funeral Home of Iowa. Visitation is Friday in Johnson & Brown Funeral Home of Iowa from 2 p.m. until 9 p.m., with a rosary at 6 p.m. followed by a celebration of life and visitation will resume Saturday from 8 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in the funeral home.

Special thanks to Brighton Bridge Hospice for their endless compassion and support; Taylor, Lauren, Pat, Don, Jill, Anna, John, Sandi and Dr. Brian Clements.

Events

JUN 8 Visitation 02:00PM - 09:00PM
Johnson & Brown Funeral Home
505 Hwy 90 East PO Box 1387, Iowa, LA, US, 70647

JUN 8 Rosary & Celebration of Life 06:00PM
Johnson & Brown Funeral Home
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JUN 9 Visitation 08:00AM - 10:30AM
Johnson & Brown Funeral Home
505 Hwy 90 East PO Box 1387, Iowa, LA, US, 70647

JUN 9 Mass of Christian Burial 11:00AM
St. John the Evangelist
306 Ann Street, Lacassine, LA, US, 70650

Comments



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lawrence Hoffpauir.



June 08, 2018 at 04:33 PM



“ ta friend we had with great love for people .we had a great time while we worked at the station and restautant with him .every time I see him he tell me some kind of joke . and I enjoyed the times he come and sit on the porch with my moma and talk to us. that is times I will never forget . my friend in heaven now .bonnie and joe bourgeois

bonnie bourgeois - June 08, 2018 at 10:00 AM



“ Bertha Guyre lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Hoffpauir



Bertha Guyre - June 08, 2018 at 12:55 AM



“ Denny & Patty Primeaux lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Hoffpauir



Denny & Patty Primeaux - June 07, 2018 at 11:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence Hoffpauir.



June 07, 2018 at 10:15 PM



“ If you knew Mr Lawrence you heard a story whether it was a story about how he rode the railroads when he was young or how he met his wife and how they ran the cafe or how he cleared all the dogs from Hayes. He always had a story all you needed was a fresh cup of coffee and a listening ear and you have the best friend I will never forget mr. Lawrence he will live in my memories forever next cup of coffees on me mr. Lawrence may you rest in peace and I know you found your way to heaven tell Jesus a good story for me. From Sandra Huse

Sandra - June 07, 2018 at 07:12 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Lawrence Hoffpauir.



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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lawrence Hoffpauir.



June 07, 2018 at 03:53 PM



“ Robert and Tammy Brownlee purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lawrence Hoffpauir.



Robert and Tammy Brownlee - June 07, 2018 at 03:37 PM



“ Sending prayers to the family, Mr. Lawrence will be greatly missed. I worked for the Hoffpauirs years ago at the cafe and always remeber the kindness and smiles every day !!



Carolyn Deshotel - June 07, 2018 at 02:48 PM



“ So sorry to hear of his passing. Lifting the family in prayer during this difficult time.

Brittney Atwell - June 07, 2018 at 01:54 PM



“ So sorry to hear of his passing. He was a great man. My prayers are with the family
stephanie duhon burnett - June 07, 2018 at 02:49 PM



“ Prayers for the family. Remember all the good things Lawrence has done to help you through this.
Pauline Poole - June 07, 2018 at 03:15 PM



“ Love and prayers extended to family - what fun you'll have shared with mr. Lawrence all these years! Peace Be With All of You!! Love ms Kathy and mr Roy
kathy dever - June 08, 2018 at 11:38 PM