



## Ernest "Buddy" Bailey

October 24, 1935 - December 10, 2017

Ernest "Buddy" Bailey passed away peacefully on Sunday, December 10, 2017 at the age of 82. He was a native and lifelong resident of LaPlace, LA. Buddy was a parishioner and usher at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church. He owned and operated various businesses throughout his lifetime, most recently Bailey's World Famous Andouille and Bailey's Cajun Creole Roux Mix. Beloved husband of June Marie Decareaux Bailey for 61 years. Loving father of E. J. Bailey (Marcelle), Lisa B. Doming (Mark), and the late Ron and Joseph Bailey. Grandfather of Leslie Faucheaux (Steven), Jay Bailey (Lori), Nicholas Christina, Nicole Doming and Blake Doming. Great grandfather of Owen, Hartley, Brea, Bram, Brew, Reice and Leland. Son of the late Albert and Victorine Avriel Bailey. Brother of Ferrel Bailey, Harold Bailey and the late Albert Bailey and Ida Mae Vice. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Family and friends are invited to attend the visitation at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 529 W. 5th St., LaPlace on Thursday, December 14, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and on Friday, December 15, 2017 from 9:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. with the Funeral Mass to immediately follow at 12:00 p.m. Interment in St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, masses preferred.

# Cemetery Details

## St. John Memorial Gardens Cemetery

2205 W. Airline Hwy.  
LaPlace, LA 70068

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **14**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church  
529 W. 5th St.  
LaPlace, LA 70068

## Visitation

DEC **15**. 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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## Mass

DEC **15**. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Ernest "Buddy" Bailey

October 05, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ Sorry to hear about Buddy.....work with him in the 80"s. Good memories!

Maxie McGraw - December 25, 2017 at 07:46 PM



“ Rest in peace, my friend. You earned it.

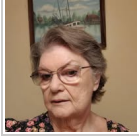
Anthony Schneller  
SLOTMAN

Anthony Schneller - December 15, 2017 at 10:52 AM



“ Buddy kept me entertained when we worked together! High strung, full of energy, and always a Sweetheart to me. I'll never forget how he tried so hard to convince me to try his "Gumbo Mix". I would just argue and say, "you can't make gumbo from a mix"! Finally, Ferrell made a pot of gumbo one day and brought it to work, and Buddy made sure I went taste it. From that day on, I was SOLD! You'll never see me mixing a roux again! You will be missed by many Buddy! Ms. June, I am so, so sorry for your loss, and for all the family. Sending love and prayers for Peace, in Jesus' name. RIP Buddy Bailey!

Elsie Cambre - December 14, 2017 at 03:47 PM



“ I knew Buddy thru my Son Troy Vollentine they were the BEST of friends for many years Buddy was like a Father to him and he a Son to Buddy . Buddy will be greatly missed by many.

Donna Vollentine - December 14, 2017 at 01:25 PM



“ My condolences to Buddy's family. I remember Buddy and Albert were real go-getters from the time they were able to begin working. They worked for Pemont Tousselle and saved enough to buy two brand new 1955 Chevrolets, one red and white and one blue and white. They were the envy of every young man around Laplace and Montz. I lost track of them after I enlisted in the Navy and was gone for 22 years, but I know Buddy kept on working hard all his life. Again, my condolences.

John Sheldon Perilloux - December 11, 2017 at 10:40 PM



“ Buddy was a Good Hardworking and friend, May He Be in the Lords Hands. God Bless Buddy. Sorry Mrs. June he will be missed.

Ranney Wilson - December 11, 2017 at 09:09 PM



“ Condolences to Ms. June and the families. Loosing a fine man like Mr. Buddy is hard to accept but the Good Lord called him to heaven. Our prayers and love go out to this fine family. He set a great example of a gentlemen and family provider. Rest In Peace Mr. Buddy. Reuben J. Klibert Jr.

Reuben J. Klibert Jr. - December 11, 2017 at 07:53 PM

MC

“ I was so sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers. May God be very near to you and the family during this difficult time. May you feel God's presence as He is with you.

*Mary Vincent Crumpler*

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**Mary Vincent Crumpler** - December 11, 2017 at 06:26 PM

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“ My condolences to Buddy's family. It's a tough road to travel. Just take one day at a time. My favorite memory of Buddy is when he would bring andouille samples cooked various ways. He even asked if I could come up with a recipe for him. I did, Andouille bisquits! He was a good friend of my husband's cousin Ferrel. They had some business ventures way back when. Wonder what these two will cook up now behind these pearly gates? Rest in Peace Buddy. It was a pleasure knowing and working with you for 22 years. God speed  
*Audrey MilleGaryville La*



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**Audrey Millet** - December 11, 2017 at 05:26 PM

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*My deepest sympathy to the entire Bailey family.  
Frank and Bunnie Szubinski-Lutcher*

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**Bunnie Szubinski** - December 11, 2017 at 07:40 PM