



## Dr. Glenn M. Hymel

December 7, 1946 - February 7, 2025

Dr. Glenn M. Hymel, a beloved father, grandfather, and professor, passed into eternity on February 7, 2025 at the age of 78. He was born on December 7, 1946 to Rose Mae Triche Hymel and Clement Etienne Hymel in New Orleans, LA. His siblings are Debra DiLeo and Angel Songy. In 1965, Glenn met Linda, and they were blessed with two sons (Steven and Michael), two daughters (Judy and Donna), and eight grandchildren (Sean, Jason, Andrew, Lilli, Luke, Jessica, Daniel, and Sarah). Glenn was also blessed with a cherished friend of many years, Loretta Orlando.

Glenn was a graduate of St. Aloysius High School. He earned an undergraduate degree at Loyola University and graduate degrees at the University of New Orleans. He served in a reserve unit of the U.S. Coast Guard from 1968-1974 and enjoyed a long and distinguished career of 49 years on the faculty at Loyola University.

Glenn lived a life marked by exceptional achievements. His unwavering faith provided him the courage to face life's challenges with strength, grace, and resilience. He was compassionate and selfless, always placing the needs of others above his own. His family will forever remember and cherish the gift of his boundless love and devotion.

Services will be held on Friday, February 14, 2025 at St. Benilde Church, 1901 Division St., Metairie, LA, with visitation from 10:00-12:00 and a requiem Mass at 12:00. A burial will follow at St. Peter Catholic Cemetery, 1550 Hwy 44, Reserve, LA. In lieu of flowers, donations in Glenn's memory may be made to

St. Benilde Parish and Brother Martin High School.

Arrangements by Millet-Guidry Funeral Home. To share memories or  
condolences, please visit [www.milletguidry.com](http://www.milletguidry.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Peter Cemetery

1550 Hwy 44  
Reserve, LA 70084

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 14. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Benilde Catholic Church  
1901 Division St.  
Metairie, LA 70001

## Funeral Mass

FEB 14. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Benilde Catholic Church  
1901 Division St.  
Metairie, LA 70001

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dr. Glenn was a true Christian man who cared for his family and friends. God Bless Dr. Glenn Hymel! Stan Kottemann, Jr.

Stan Kottemann, Jr. - May 02, 2025 at 07:24 PM

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“ Professor Hymel was my professor twice at Loyola because I had to withdraw the first time because it was hard. LOL! But he encouraged me the next time and saw my persistence and helped me grow so much in my writing and research! I am forever thankful for him not giving up on me! Take your rest professor! 🙏

Gina Collins - April 09, 2025 at 11:53 AM

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“ In 1995, my family went through a difficult time. I was graduating from Loyola in two weeks, my parents home flooded with over four feet of water and my Mom had just started battling a rare cancer. Dr Hymel took several of my Moms cherished books and had them preserved. He took my diploma and had it framed. His compassion and kindness to my family will always be remembered. Every time I see my framed diploma, I'm reminded of Dr Hymel, his kindness, and especially the gift he gave to my Mom saving a few of her cherished books. Condolences to his family and may you all find comfort in the cherished memories shared. Natalie Biondolillo

natalie biondolillo - February 12, 2025 at 07:10 AM

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“ On behalf of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart Alumni Association and Brother Martin High School, I offer our prayers and condolences. We will say a Mass in his memory.

*Kenny Spellman '84  
Brother Martin High School*

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**Kenny Spellman** - February 11, 2025 at 03:05 PM

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“ I had the distinct honor of directing Glenn's doctoral dissertation as a member of the Graduate Faculty of The University of New Orleans. Glenn was my closest colleague, as well as dear friend, up until his death. Our close association was made possible because of the faith and values that we shared. Although I shall miss him terribly, I look forward to sharing the rewards of eternity with him.

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**Dr. W. George Gaines** - February 11, 2025 at 12:31 PM