



## Phil "Pop" A. Breaux

March 28, 1940 - March 26, 2024

Phil "Pop" A. Breaux passed away on Tuesday, March 26, 2024, two days shy of his 84th birthday. He was born in New Orleans on March 28, 1940 and was a longtime resident of Reserve, LA.

Phil was well known as a barber at Breaux's Barber Shop in Reserve, where he worked for over 64 years, most notably alongside his father, Wesley. He was voted by his community as Best Barber in 2022's "Best of River Parishes" edition of L'Observateur. Phil was a great conversationalist and loved "shop humor." His many hobbies over his lifetime included coaching tennis, fishing, traveling to national parks, photography, riding motorcycles, studying astronomy, buying collector guns, and FaceTiming with family.

Formerly married to Karen Perret Coleman for 28 years. Beloved father of Eric J. Breaux (Jane) and Maria Breaux Cancienne (Dale). Grandfather of Mikah Simoneaux (Jody), Mallory Ippolito (Chase), Shane Roussel, Jr. (Madison), Skyler Roussel (Anna), Gabe Roussel (Laney), Kat Breaux, Jacob Breaux and Antonia Vital. Great grandfather of Ellasyn and Briggs Badeaux, Ava, Elijah and Sage Roussel, and Payton and Paige Simoneaux.

Phil was the son of the late Wesley A. Breaux and Mabel D'Arensburg Breaux, and the brother of Gary Breaux (Phyllis) and the late Joy Breaux Almerico. He is also survived by nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Service on Saturday, March 30, 2024 at Millet-Guidry Funeral Home, 2806 W. Airline Hwy, LaPlace. Visitation for family will be held from 9:00 a.m to 10:00 a.m and public visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. with the Funeral Service to immediately follow at 1:00 p.m. Interment in St. Peter Catholic Cemetery, Reserve. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you donate to your favorite local charity.

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

MAR 30. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Millet Guidry Funeral Home  
2806 W Airline Hwy  
Laplace, LA 70068  
(985) 536-7700  
info@milletguidry.com  
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## Funeral Service

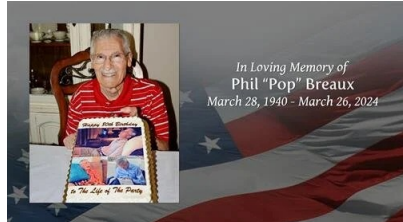
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# Tribute Wall



“ Millet Guidry Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Phil "Pop" A. Breaux



Millet Guidry Funeral Home - March 29, 2024 at 12:38 PM

LD

“ So sorry to hear of Phil's passing. Of course, like all of Reserve, he - or Mr. Wesley cut my hair since my days at St. Peter School. Later, after I moved away, I'd drop in occasionally for a visit. Phil and Breaux's Barber Shop are River parish institutions and he will be greatly missed.

Lester A Duhe - April 04, 2024 at 02:17 PM

RV

“ Sure going to miss a a true friend. Shared many great memories together. Always a pleasure to be around Phil, so knowable about so many topics. Great lost to the entire community!



Randall Vicknair - March 29, 2024 at 11:17 AM

BD

“ To Phil’s family, I’m so very sorry for your loss. I’ve long been a happy customer of Breaux’s Barber Shop--going since I was a child. I can remember as Mr. Wesley grew older, I’d let him cut my hair, because he often wasn’t as busy as Phil--but, that would give me a front row access to Phil as he tended to others and engaged in his conversations, humor, and advice. Once I moved away, I would be sure to drop by for a haircut and wonderful visits with Phil and other local friends and acquaintences. When my son was old enough for his first haircut, in 2007, of course he had to have it done by Phil! He was so good with kids--with the dinosauars and other things in the back room to entertain them with to get through this milestone. He will surely be missed by all. RIP Phil.

Brad Duhe - March 28, 2024 at 11:12 AM

JH

Phil was a long time family friend. My entire family got their haircuts with him. I’ll always be grateful to him as he came to my home to cut Jack’s hair while he was unable to go to the shop. Prayers for his family as they go through this sad time. 🙏

joyce Harvey - March 28, 2024 at 12:03 PM

BF

“ To Phil’s family, so very sorry for your loss. Phil was a good friend and classmate ‘59 LGHS. Always enjoyed talking with him and loved his sense of humor. He will surely be missed by all who knew and loved him. May he rest in his Heavenly Home!

Bobby Feucht - March 28, 2024 at 10:33 AM

SM

“ This is a “tuff” loss as Phil was my friend and barber for many years. I looked forward to my trips to Reserve for a hair cut because I knew besides getting a trim, I was in store for Phil’s humor and funny stories from customers who happened to be there.  
My sympathies to the family.  
RIP Phil. You were one of a kind. 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

Scrap Montz - March 28, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ I am up here in Arkansas and I am so sad to hear about Phil. He cut my hair all my life until I moved and my son Damon's hair too until he came up here. He was a special person with a great sense of humor. It always cheered me up to visit his shop. Rest in peace dear Buddy you brought a lot of joy to a lot of people. My sympathy to his family. He was a man I was proud to have known. My son Damon really enjoyed our trips to Reserve for haircuts. I have a photo of Phil giving him his first haircut.

Gary Beauchamp - March 28, 2024 at 09:26 AM

BG

“ My deepest condolences to Phil's family and friends. I've known Phil since he started cutting hair with his father and always appreciated his friendship, talent, skill, sense of humor and stories he shared with everyone. He will be sorely missed. May he rest peacefully, and may God receive him and comfort his family and friends. See ya later, old friend.

Bob St. Germain

Bob St Germain - March 28, 2024 at 06:56 AM

JV

“ Mr Phil you will truly be missed by us and the community. I was so blessed to have known you almost all of my life I was blessed. I will always remember you telling my husband that you still see me as a lil girl how sweet I will soon be 68 love you Mr Phil💙

Jody Delaneuville Vicknair - March 27, 2024 at 08:30 PM

CD

“ Jane introduced our NC family to Eric years ago. We know how the famy will miss Phil.

clara Daughtridge - March 27, 2024 at 08:14 PM

TL

“ Hey Phil tell my Dad hello for me. You were a great barber and a friend. You should have been in politics as you knew so much about all of your customers that you knew exactly what everyone of us did for hobbies as well as all about our families. You could have won any office you desired. What a wealth of knowledge you were. I'm sure you have as many friends in heaven as you did here on earth. Rest in Peace and enjoy eternity forever. 🍷🍷🏆

Timothy Luminais - March 27, 2024 at 07:47 PM

DD

“ So sorry that you left and went to Heaven you will be forever missed. The sweetest man in the world we just talked last month when I came there . Take your heavenly rest



Donna Duhe - March 27, 2024 at 06:48 PM

CB

“ A distinct pleasure of having Mr Phil in my life. The greatest joy was watching him cut my son’s hair as he did mine as a child. I shed a tear today for i will truly miss him as well as everyone in Reserve.

Corey “Doc” Brown - March 27, 2024 at 05:36 PM

CO

“ Mr. Breaux lived across from my mawmaw. He was so nice and always had his camera ready. We still have the photos he took of us as kids. We loved him like family. We will miss you! Prayers to the entire family.

Courtney - March 27, 2024 at 05:34 PM

MI

“ Words can’t even begin to describe how rich you made our lives for simply being apart of it. We are so lucky we got to have you as our Pop. Happy early birthday in Heaven. We will miss you every single day moving forward. I love you.



Mallory Torres Ippolito - March 27, 2024 at 03:48 PM

SR

“ Skyler and Anna Roussel purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Phil "Pop" A. Breaux.



Skyler and Anna Roussel - March 27, 2024 at 02:06 PM