



## Corporal Todd "Michael" Penn Jr.

August 13, 1996 - May 25, 2017

Corporal Todd "Michael" Penn, Jr. passed away at his residence surrounded by family on Thursday, May 25, 2017 at the age of 20. He was a native and lifelong resident of LaPlace. He attended St. Joan of Arc Catholic School and St. Charles Catholic School. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Beloved son of Todd Michael Penn, Sr. (Michelle) and Tina Sudkamp Penn. Loving brother of Amanda Johnston (Airman First Class Edwin "Preston" Johnston, V) and Rebecca Penn. Grandson of Joseph "Charles" and Diane Sudkamp and Leo and Valerie Penn. Nephew of Joseph and Jennifer Sudkamp, Shannon and Rachel Penn, Chad and Gina Penn and the late Scott Penn. Step-brother of Erica Adams, Katie Nicholson, Andrew Tannehill and Claire Tannehill. He is also survived by his cousins, Victoria, Erica, Brandi, Avery, and Emerson and many other cousins, aunts and uncles.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the visitation at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 529 W. 5th St., LaPlace on Tuesday, May 30, 2017 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, May 31, 2017 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass at 11:00 a.m. Burial will be held at a later date in Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery in Slidell.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in his memory to Semper Fi Fund, at [www.semperfifund.org](http://www.semperfifund.org) or by phone (760)689-5805.

# Cemetery Details

## Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery

Slidell, LA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **30**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

MAY **31**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Mass

MAY **31**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Corporal Todd "Michael" Penn Jr.*

October 05, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ *I seen a photo one of my Facebook friends shared, It was a photo of Michael saluting his grandfather. Such a touching, heartfelt photo. My heart goes out to you, I can not imagine the pain you're going through. I'm very sorry for your loss.*



*°Loving memories never die; As years roll on and days pass by  
°In my heart a memory is kept; Of one I have loved and never will forget.*

*May your son, Michael, rest in peace.*

*With condolences.  
Karen Trimblett*

**Karen** - October 03, 2017 at 11:53 PM

DP

“ It's difficult to even imagine the pain and sadness you must be feeling during this most difficult time of losing a young adult child . My Heart goes out to you, your family and friends. May GOD Be with you though these difficult moments.

*My Condolences*

*Donna Peoples*

*(Smoky Mountain Dream Vacations)*



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**Donna Peoples** - June 01, 2017 at 09:14 AM

MA

“ Sorry for your loss.

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**Mandy** - May 30, 2017 at 10:46 PM

DB

“ Donna Bukhiet lit a candle in memory of Corporal Todd "Michael" Penn Jr.



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**Donna Bukhiet** - May 30, 2017 at 01:58 PM

RC

“ Dear Todd, Michelle and family,  
Since first learning of Michael's health challenges, Mike and I have prayed and thought of him often.

Words could never adequately express the sympathy we feel for the loss of your beloved son. It's difficult to even imagine the pain and sadness you must be feeling during this most difficult time.

As parents ourselves, it is difficult to even conceive of losing a child. Please know that we hold you in our hearts and prayers. May the precious memories of Michael's life sustain you until the day that you are once again reunited in our heavenly home.

God Bless and Keep You as you mourn Michael's passing while also celebrating his life.

In His Love,

Mike and Rita Chisum



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**Rita Chisum** - May 29, 2017 at 09:57 PM

TP

Thank you so much for your prayers. I miss my son every day. He was truly a light. Appreciate your prayers.

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**Tina Penn** - November 19, 2017 at 08:30 PM

MF

“ Todd, This is Margaret Friloux from next door in Riverland Heights many years ago. I can only imagine what you and your family are going through right now. I will not be able to come to the services, but please accept my prayers and condolences, and please tell Mom and Dad I'm thinking of them also.

Margaret

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**Margaret Friloux** - May 29, 2017 at 02:15 PM