



James "Babe" Huff

September 23, 1938 - January 2, 2020

Visitation will be from 5 - 7 p.m. Tuesday, January 7th at The First Baptist Church, Ferriday, LA for James T. "Babe" Huff, 81, of Lake St. John, who passed away Thursday January 2, 2020. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 8th at The First Baptist Church, Ferriday, with the Rev. Josh Morea and Rev. Larry Wagner officiating. Burial will follow at the Natchez City Cemetery under the direction of Young's Funeral Home.

Mr. Huff was born September 23, 1938, the son of Howard and Wildred Norris Huff. He was a 1956 graduate of Cheneyville High School, attended Northwestern State University in Natchitoches, LA. He served his country in the U.S. Army, Missile Squadron, Cleveland, Ohio.

He was a highly regarded mud engineer for many of the major operators in the offshore oil industry for 35 yrs. and worked as a consultant for 10 yrs. Babe was an avid sports enthusiast, and was active for a big part of his life in baseball, basketball, golf, fishing, hunting and gardening. During his three-year stint in the Army, he was recruited to play in baseball, basketball and ping pong tournaments all over the United States.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Max Huff, and brother-in-law Roland Landry, Sr., and, brother-in-law, Alton Robert "Bobby" Patton.

Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Anita Patton Huff; two sons, Ty Howard Huff and wife Eleanor, of Frisco, TX and Max Huff and wife Angie, of Prairieville, LA; Daughter, Kelly Huff of Lake St. John; five grandchildren, Ayden Huff, Vannessa Huff, Noah Huff, and, Jylliann Huff and Samuel Huff; one sister, Joyce Huff Landry.

Pallbearers will be nephews Bobby Landry, Terrell Landry, Trey Smith, and friends, Jeremy Wood, George Cupit, Keith Dallalio, Josh Johns and Pat Gaspard.

Honorary pallbearers are Chester Hoover, Paul Patterson, Duke Ellis, Curtis Savoy, Larry Stuard, David Feduccia and Wayne Miley.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church, Ferriday, LA, or the American Cancer Society.

Online condolences may be sent to www.youngsfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Natchez City Cemetery

Natchez, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM.

First Baptist Church of Ferriday

Service

JAN 8. 10:00 AM.

First Baptist Church of Ferriday

Tribute Wall



“ *Charlotte Cain lit a candle in memory of James "Babe" Huff*



Charlotte Cain - January 07, 2020 at 08:34 PM



Anita, praying for you and your family at this most difficult time.

Charlotte Cain - January 07, 2020 at 08:42 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James "Babe" Huff.*



January 07, 2020 at 12:39 PM



“ *52 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Young's Funeral Home - January 06, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of James "Babe" Huff.*



January 05, 2020 at 07:50 PM



“ *Katherine Squyres sent a virtual gift in memory of James "Babe" Huff*



Katherine Squyres - January 03, 2020 at 07:58 AM