

Obituaries



Mark Andrew Clark

Private services for Mark Andrew Clark, 65, of Lake St. John, LA will be private for family and close friends only.

Mark was born on Saturday, November 19, 1955 in Newmadrid, MO and passed away Sunday, April 25, 2021 at his home at Lake St. John, LA

He was preceded in death by his parents, Floyd Curtis Clark and Nellie Louise Colvin Bam-

burg; and three sisters, Frances Myann Bam- burg, Laura Patricia Wempren, and Barbara Sue Clark.

Mark leaves behind his son, Mark Jason Clark and his wife Jodee; three daughters, Lori Ann Clark, Savannah Van Voorhis and her husband Jason, and Lindsay Clark Brashier and her husband Beau; siblings, Floyd Dean Clark, Angela

Kay Beard, Rusty Bamburg, and Madonna Louise Clark; and 15 grandchildren.

Those honoring Mark as honorary pallbearers will be Keith Caviness, Danny Wayne McDaniel, Robert Shores, Hunter Goodwin, Rodney Sones, Fred Fudickar, and Matt Foster.

To leave an online condolence for the family please visit www.youngsfh.com.

Bruce Edward Faillace

Memorial services for Bruce Edward Faillace, 72 of Vidalia, LA who passed away on Tuesday April 27, 2021 in Lafayette, LA were held at Our Lady of Lourdes, Catholic Church, Vidalia La. on Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM. Father Joe officiated the Mass. A Rosary service began at 1:30. Interment followed at Harrisonburg Cemetery, Harrisonburg, LA, under the direction of Young's of Vidalia.

Bruce was born to Marshall and Margarita Faillace on Friday, June 18, 1948 in Nassau County, Rockville Center, NY. The family soon after moved to Florida and settled in West Palm Beach, where Bruce spent his childhood. He graduated from Palm Beach High and was drafted by the US Army soon after graduation. While enlisted he was stationed in Okinawa as a Radio Operator at the Hawke Missile Site, Special Services. While serving during the Vietnam conflict, his talents as left handed pitcher on the baseball field were recognized and became a star pitcher on the US Army exhibition team known as the Gunners. At the conclusion of the war, Bruce played baseball

for Florida Atlantic University until graduating with a degree in Education. In the mid 1980's, Bruce moved to Natchez where he began his life's work in the oil and gas industry. Soon after he met and married the love of his life Ann and they spent over 30 years together. Bruce was always know as a master story teller and often held family members captive at any gathering with his endless entertaining tales. His love of baseball, Diet Coke and pepperoni pizza was only superseded by the love he had for his family and enormous group of friends from all walks of life.

He is preceded in death by both parents Marshal and Margarita Faillace. His beloved son T-Jack Owens.

He leaves behind his wife Ann Faillace, Vidalia, LA; daughter, Tia O. Powers, daughter, Leah O. Tiffie and husband Aaron; grandchildren, Jack A. Tiffie, Arden Tiffie, Kendall Boulton, Sophie Powers, Tianna Ables, Marcellus Ables and Cody Powers; niece Heather Faillace Vidulich and her children Hutton and Carter; niece Anne Head and husband Ken and their children Weston, Ava,

Jackson and Kendall; nephew Marshall Bruce Faillace and wife Regina and their son Dylan; nephew Paul Lemke; brother Marshall Mora Faillace and sister in law Holly Faillace.

Honorary Pallbearers were Russell Day, Zachary Owens, Jack Tiffie, Dr. Leslie England, Weston Diamond, Marshall Paul Faillace, Dr. Aaron Tiffie and Cody Powers.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the excellent care provided by the Emergency Department staff at Merit Health in Natchez, MS, Dr. Leslie England, Dr. Bobby Lee, Dr. Michael Dibbs and the entire staff at Our Lady of Lourdes in Lafayette, LA

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In lieu of flowers the family would like memorial donations to be sent to:

T-Jack Owens memorial Scholarship Fund
The Catholic Foundation of
Jackson Mississippi, INC
PO Box 2248

Retha J. Bass



Retha J. Bass passed away Saturday, April 24, 2021. A Graveside Service was held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 1, at Coolidge Cemetery with Chaplain Curtis Holland officiating. Burial followed.

Retha was born August 10, 1933, in Coolidge, Texas, to W.H. "Will" and Sarah Furlow. Retha graduated salutatorian from Coolidge High School. She then attended Baylor Nursing School at Hillcrest Hospital where she earned a degree as a surgical technician. She later joined the Air Force and served with the medical group at James Connally AFB in Waco.

While at James Connally, she met and married Charles, her husband of 67 years. After Charles' retirement from the Air Force, they returned to Waco. She worked in various nursing capacities throughout her life. The last position she held was that of a surgical R.N. at Hillcrest Hospital in Waco for over 30 years.

Retha loved to travel and spend time with

her family. She was also an avid bridge player.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother, W.F. Furlow; and a sister, Martha Mueck.

She is survived by her husband, Charles E. Bass; sons, John R. Bass and wife, Sydna, Charles E. Bass, Jr., and wife, Sandra, and Keith H. Bass and wife, Susan; and a daughter, Rebecca; four granddaughters; and four great-grandsons; brother-in-laws: Dale Bass and Melvia, Mark Bass and Alyne; sister-in-laws; Georgia Netherland, Shelia Mayo, Everette Dimple Cooper, Kenneth Bobbie Calhoun, and J.W. and numerous nieces and nephews.

Charles and Retha also "adopted" 18 Baylor students, providing a home away from home during their time attending the university in Waco.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First Woodway Baptist Church. The family invites you to leave a message or memory on our "Tribute Wall" at www.WHBfamily.com

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