



Gregory Holyne Newman

February 24, 1949 - December 31, 2018

GREGORY HOLYNE NEWMAN, AGE 69

Was born in Bogalusa on February 24, 1949 and died at his residence in Kentwood on Monday, December 31, 2018.

He attended Franklinton High School and later earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business from Southeastern Louisiana University. His business resume is long, some of which were: Owner/Operator of Casino Beach Resorts in Gulfport, MS,; Newman Rental Corporations; Board of Directors of United Investments Corporation for over 35 years; Newman Scholarship Fund for deserving students at SLU and Co-owner of Urban Ore, Inc. His favorite businesses were his bands that spanned 45 years.

Survived by:

Wife: Jacqueline Morgan Newman of Kentwood, LA

3 Sons: Gregory Holyne "Hal" Newman, II of Ponchatoula, LA

Joseph Morgan Newman of Hammond, LA

Samuel Salloum Newman of New Orleans, LA

Sister: Sandra Elias of Long Beach, MS

Aunts: Gloria Salloum Newman of New Orleans, LA
Barbara Thomas Salloum
Sandra Salloum both of Gulfport, MS

Uncle: Phillip Hage of Gulfport, MS

Brother and sisters in laws: Walter and Mary Livaudais of Slidell, LA
Frances and Steve Lacour of Mandeville, LA
Robert and Michelle Morgan of Madisonville, LA

Several nieces and nephews

Also many Salloum cousins, who were so very precious to him.

He was preceded in death by his parents Holyne and Gladys Salloum Newman, his sister Cindy Newman Muldrey, his grandparents Joseph and Alice Kortez, George and Fadwa Zahra Salloum.

Visitation will be from 10 am until 11:50 am, with a eulogy at 11:50 and a mass at 12 noon Thursday, January 10, 2019 at Holy Family Catholic Church, 1220 14th Avenue, Franklinton, LA 70438. Burial will follow at Ellis Cemetery. A reception will follow the burial at the hall at Holy Family Catholic Church.

Honorary pallbearers are Kenneth Bailey, Bert Bertucci, Hudson Brock, Chuck Carver,
Kent Chatellier, Thomas Warren Ford, Kent Heap, Edward J. LeBlanc,
Michael Pace,
John Phelps, Lamar Richardson, Edmond Salloum, Michael Varnado

The family prefers memorial donations be made to:

Mrs. George Salloum Charity Fund (a charitable fund in honor of Greg's grandmother),

c/o Bert Bertucci, 708 Klondyke Rd, Long Beach, MS 39560 or

Holy Family Catholic Church, 1220 14th Avenue, Franklinton, LA 70438

Tribute Wall

ES

“ Jackie,
My name is Eddie Keith Schwartz (EK) and I am from Kentwood. I met Greg in the mid 1970's and we immediately " hit it off". I am a retired banker and an alum of SLU as Greg. God did not bless me with a lot talents, but the one He did bless with was judging character. I can say without a doubt that your husband had Great Character and loads of talent. He was a great musician/singer, businessman and most of all just a great person. I am positively sure that he was a great husband and father to your boys. I am also positive that he will be missed and I can assure you that I will be praying for you and your boys in the coming days. Please accept my most sincerest sympathy and rest assured you and your boys will be remembered in my prayers daily.

Sincerely,

EK

Eddie Keith Schwartz - January 04, 2019 at 05:57 PM

MJ

“ Sending love and prayers, dear Jackie! One of my favorite memories of Greg is as the athletic, good- looking, young guy who could out-ski everyone at the "gravel pit"! I was always so impressed that he would have the boat pull him from the highest bank to make a perfect landing in the lake on ONE ski, and take off!! Multitalented, kind, and caring man!!!
Love, Martha Jones

martha jones - January 03, 2019 at 04:49 PM

JN

What fun, carefree memories!

Jackie Newman - January 03, 2019 at 09:29 PM

SL

Dear Jackie and family, I just can't find the right words to express the sadness of Greg's passing. But knowing how much love and fun you had as a family makes it so much better. I can't remember not knowing Greg. He was involved in so many activities and such a presence. He made everyone smile! As you know when we talked and reminisced at our 50th, Gregory was my first date. We went to the Methodist Church Banquet an we were about 14. We dated much later in HS and always had fun. He made everyone happy who was around him. God Bless all and help you through this loss. You know Greg's up there, letting you know he feels good now, and is playing music.

Sylvia LaPointe - January 04, 2019 at 10:32 AM