



James F. Owens

March 6, 1935 - August 31, 2020

JAMES FAIREST OWENS, AGE 85

and a resident of the Warnerton Community passed away Monday night August 31, 2020 at Riverside Medical Center. He was born in the Varnado Community on March 6, 1935 and lived in St. Bernard Parish for over 40 years. James returned home to Washington Parish following the destruction of Hurricane Katrina and was a member of Clifton Baptist Church. He retired as a heavy equipment operator, Local 406 after 44 years of service. James loved working in his vegetable garden and enjoyed selling his goods at Farmer's Markets throughout the area with his nephew, the late Leonard Stogner. He enjoyed fishing, expertly cutting his grass and was affectionately known as "Unc" to his friends and many others. James was always a loving husband, father and grandfather that loved taking care of his family and grandchildren.

Survived by:

Wife of 65 years: Glenda Faye Owens

Son and Daughter in law: James Garry Owens and Stephanie Nicholas Owens

Daughter and Son in law: Monica Faye Emerick and Mark Emerick

Grandchildren: James G. Quinlan,
Scott E. Quinlan,
Steven L. Quinlan,
Nicholas J. Owens,
Melissa Weems,
Mark Emerick,
Melinda Emerick,
Amy Owens

Great-grandchildren: Jamie D. Quinlan,
Asher Emerick,
Nolan J. Owens,
Eli W. Quinlan,
Mason A. Owens,
Nayell Weems,
Annelise Quinlan,
Ever Kaiser,
Kit Kaiser

Great-great-grandchildren: Austin L. White,
Lauralye D. White

Sisters: H. Loucrisie Reynolds,
Vanda Jean Cauley

Also numerous nieces, nephews and other family members

He was preceded in death by his son Gregory Owens, parents James L. Owens and Mary Fortenberry Owens, daughter in law Alicia LeGrand Owens, brothers Willie, Daniel, Homer, Paul, Valentine, Charlie, Benton, Kenneth,

Ralph, sisters Hattie, Edith Mae, Eunice, Eva, Agnes, and Ervaline.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home (1109 Bene Street, Franklinton) on Friday September 4th from 9:00 am until 11:00 am. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 11:00 am Friday with Rev. Tony Hicks officiating. Burial will follow in the Oak Grove Baptist Church Cemetery.

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James F. Owens.* ”



September 03, 2020 at 10:52 PM



“ *Your Union Family at Laborers local 110 purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of James F. Owens.* ”



Your Union Family at Laborers local 110 - September 03, 2020
at 03:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James F. Owens.* ”



September 03, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of James F. Owens.* ”



September 02, 2020 at 05:53 PM

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“ Omg uncle ferry I miss you wish I could have said good bye ☐
I loved you and aunt Glenda so much 💕

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“ Uncle Farriest I have no idea that you and the rest of your brothers (my dad and his brothers including Uncle Charlie) I was just looking at the heads on theirs and I wonder how did they have their heads look the same? Anyway I remember you was just teasing my mom like playing around and I watched that you put crabs and shrimps in the pit to boil and I asked you why put them in with their eyes to boil them well he said that is the way they do them in the pot to boil and eat them well not eyes of course. You and my mom were close very close but pick at each other. There is something else you was telling me about but I keep something with me uncle farriest I love you and will miss you for a long long time you are in my heart uncle farriest but hopefully you will be reunited with the loved ones that they left us behind where ever you are at till we meet again uncle farriest love you from Marsha your niece

Marsha Ard - September 01, 2020 at 04:06 PM