



# Joshua Caleb Murphy

July 7, 1977 - January 6, 2019

JOSHUA CALEB MURPHY, AGE 41

And a resident of Carencro, Louisiana died Sunday January 6, 2019. He spent his younger years growing up in Livingston Parish where he attended Walker High School and later lived with family near Franklinton. After high school, Josh joined the United States Army and later became a truck driver, working locally as well as driving cross-country. He most recently worked for different companies in the commercial refrigeration field. Josh loved riding his Harley-Davidson motorcycle and playing his guitar. He enjoyed wood-working and fishing. Josh always enjoyed cooking outdoors, crawfish boils and hanging out with his friends.

Survived by:

Mother: Judy Peavy Varnado of the Canaan Community in Washington Parish

Father and Step-mother: Kenneth W. and Linnie Murphy of Lafayette

4 Daughters: Corinne Rene Murphy of Carencro,  
Grace Helen Murphy of Denham Springs,  
Adelle Christine Murphy of Ethel, LA  
Brittany Nicole Verette of Ascension Parish

Son: Caleb Wayne Murphy of Walker

Grandmother: Nelda Sanders of Mansura

Step-grandmother: Barbara Peavy

Also numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his step-father Richard E. Varnado, grandparents Charles Peavy, Sr. and Helen Jones Peavy, grandfather Bobbie Joe Murphy and cousin Dana Owens.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home (1109 Bene Street, Franklinton, LA 70438) on Saturday January 12th from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 2:00 Saturday with Rev. Wayne Talley, Rev. Paul Roney and Rev. Stan Adams officiating. Burial will follow in the Canaan Baptist Church Cemetery.

An account has been established in the name of Joshua Caleb Murphy Benevolence Fund, and memorial donations can be received at any Hancock Whitney Bank location throughout Louisiana.

Pallbearers: Trampas Stogner, Terrence Stogner, James Peavy, Heath Peavy, Josh Waskom, Andrew Boudreaux

Honorary Pallbearers: Leelanau Boudreaux, Brandon Boudreaux, Jesse Clarke, Caleb Clarke

Obituaries can be viewed online at [www.crainfh.com](http://www.crainfh.com)

# Tribute Wall

RO

“ Sorry for the loss of your loved one. Losing someone you love can be unbearable at times. Thankfully we have a heavenly father who cares for us, 2 Corinthians 1:3,4 says that God is the father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort. God also promises us that soon he will reunite us with our loved ones Job 14:14. I hope these scriptures bring you comfort today and in the days that lay ahead.

Roxanne - January 15, 2019 at 01:04 PM



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January 12, 2019 at 09:15 AM



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JW

“ So so sorry to hear about Josh! He worked on my equipment all the time and was so good at what he did! I enjoyed our visits every time. He always went out of his way for me! Praying for you Kenny and family!

Jared West - January 11, 2019 at 04:34 PM

TD

“ Josh was an amazing man ,kind hearted generous & a gentleman he was a very close to me & my husband Scotty Darby much respect to him and his family he will truly be missed by many... ❤️RIP my brother n friend..  
Love you Nonnie

Twahana L. Darby - January 08, 2019 at 09:34 PM

CH

“ Josh was my cousin we grow up together we was always my bodyguard in school . He will be truly miss . Love you always sissy

cheyenne - January 08, 2019 at 04:29 PM

DE

Josh was my first cousin. He had a heart of gold and would do anything for anybody. He will truly be missed! RIP lil buddy until we meet again ❤️🙏

DeLaine - January 08, 2019 at 05:13 PM

SR

Our hearts go out to your family Josh, especially your children! We don't know any of them except Caleb. We know his heart is broken. They all are loved and lots of people to watch over them. R.I.P. Josh Sande Rodrigue and Bart Peters

Sande Rodrigue - January 08, 2019 at 05:55 PM

JO

So sorry for you loss. Josh was such a great man, and would do anything for anyone . My thoughts and prayers are with his family during this difficult time . May he Rest In Peace

joanna - January 08, 2019 at 06:16 PM

CL

Didn't know Josh very long but I'm proud to have known him and in my heart he will always be my brother. Death can't steal our memories. Always know that and never forget

clyde - January 08, 2019 at 08:37 PM