



Larue Martin

July 27, 1944 - July 22, 2020

JAMES LARUE MARTIN

Larue lost his hard fought battle with cancer on Wednesday night July 22, 2020. He left his earthly home in Pine, where he resided most of his life, and moved to a home of eternal peace and health. He was born July 27, 1944 to the late Hezzie Larue Martin and Rosalie Barber Martin of Pine. He was a graduate of Pine High School, and after attending LSU and a few years working at Exxon, he returned to Pine with his loving wife of 48 years Polly Ford Martin. Larue then spent many years as a dairy and cattle farmer, a job he truly loved. He was once awarded the Young Dairy Farmer of the Year.

Larue served for 6 years in the United States Army Reserve, worked off-shore for a few years and served as a volunteer fireman for his community for several years. He also was elected to serve 2 terms on the Washington Parish Police Jury, even serving as President during his second term. Larue was a longtime, active member of Pine Missionary Baptist Church. He loved his church that his family attended for so many years and he even had his favorite sitting spot. He will be missed by his family, friends and church family.

Survived by:

Wife: Polly Ford Martin

3 Daughters and Sons in law: Melanie and Chad Adcox of Bush,
Lana and Will Baird of Covington,
Laura and Tommy Linn of Ponchatoula

7 Grandchildren: Laken and Evan Adcox,
Liam and Ryan Baird,
Thomas, Leah and Hattie Linn

Sisters and a Brother in law: Evelyn and Charles Reeves of Pine,
Elane Martin of Alabama

Brother and Sister in law: Pastor Jerry Lynn and Connie Martin of Bogalusa

Uncle and Aunt: Shelby and Barbara Martin of Bogalusa

Also numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many dear friends.

He was also preceded in death by a nephew Jeremy Chad Martin, father in law and mother in law Paul Ford and Vera Kees Ford, special uncle and best friend Douglas Martin and other family members.

The family would like to express their gratitude to the doctors, nurses, and caregivers who were so kind and gave their all.

A graveside funeral service will be held in the Pine Community Cemetery at 2:00 pm Saturday July 25th with Bro. Adam Luper and Bro. Lynn Martin officiating.

Pallbearers: Chad Adcox, Will Baird, Tommy Linn, Evan Adcox, Liam Baird, Caleb Martin

Honorary Pallbearers: Thomas Linn, Danny Reeves, Levi Reeves

Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to hear about Larue. I have lots of good memories of him,

Devon and Delores Thomas - July 25, 2020 at 02:15 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Keeping the family in our thoughts and prayers.
Elton Miley and family

Laurie Miley Branch - July 24, 2020 at 11:11 PM

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“ So very sorry to hear of his passing. Prayers for the Martin family
and especially for Polly.

Barbara Lang Breland - July 24, 2020 at 11:42 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Larue Martin.



July 24, 2020 at 11:04 AM

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“ Very sorry - have fond memories of interacting with your families.

Dr. Gerald Foret - July 24, 2020 at 10:50 AM



“ *Juanita Luper lit a candle in memory of Larue Martin*



Juanita Luper - July 24, 2020 at 12:34 AM



“ *Lynn and Connie, I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of Larue. May precious memories keep him close to you.*

Mavis Fussell Brinkley - July 23, 2020 at 06:34 PM