



## Robbie Bankston

June 18, 1974 - December 29, 2022

ROBERT ALLEN BANKSTON, AGE 48,

and a resident of Franklinton, died Thursday, December 29, 2022, following a helicopter accident while working in the Gulf of Mexico. He was a 1992 graduate of Franklinton High School, who loved hunting, fishing, and the outdoors. Robbie worked at Winn-Dixie in Franklinton for several years and later worked with Ja-Roy Pest Control servicing homes and businesses throughout the area. He worked several years at the International Paper Mill Box Plant in Bogalusa, and for the last ten years worked for Island Operating Company. Robbie was a production operator on production platforms in different locations throughout the Gulf.

He attended Grace Missionary Baptist Church and loved watching football, especially the LSU Tigers. Robbie was an excellent cook and loved hosting his family and friends for meals. The family favorites include his delicious beef brisket and boiled crawfish. He had a special place in his heart for his pet Labradors, Saige and Scout. Robbie always kept his family first and cherished the time they all spent together. He was always a very kind, patient, understanding and caring person who truly loved others before himself. Robbie will be forever missed by all that knew him.

Survived by:

Wife: Bridget Bankston

Children: Summer Creel,  
Gracie Bankston Ragas and husband Carson,  
Treyton Bankston

Grandson whom he considered his son: Ty Creel

Father: Robert Elton Bankston

Mother: Beth Stucks

Sister and Brother-in-law: Alicia and Shane Breland

Brother and Sister-in-law: Marshall and Jessica Bankston

Grandmothers: Eva Bankston,  
Flossie Stucks

Mother-in-law: Diane Bateman

Sister-in-law and Brothers-in-law: Bonnie and Ernest Rodriguez,  
Allen Beahm

Nephews and Nieces: Aaron Breland,  
Courtney Breland,  
Laiya Bankston,  
Hannah Bankston,  
Maddox Bankston,  
Maximus Bankston,

Sissy Steimle,  
Dustin and Kelly Hodges,  
Adam and Marina Beahm,  
Brandon Beahm

Also numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, great-nieces, great-nephews and many dear friends and co-workers.

He was preceded in death by grandfathers, Tommy Bankston, Albert Stucks, father-in-law, Wade Bateman, brother-in-law, Mike Beahm, sister-in-law, Eva Beahm, Aunt Donna Bankston, Uncle Butch Edwards and best friend, Waylon Watson.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home (1109 Bene Street, Franklinton) Saturday, January 7th from 10:00 AM until 3:30 PM. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 3:30 PM Saturday with Eld. Edward Penton and Eld. Gary Sumrall officiating. Burial will follow in Carlee's Garden Cemetery.

Pallbearers: Bill Barber, Todd Edwards, Donald Wills, Allen Beahm, Adam Beahm, Rickie Bankston, Jason Bankston, Levi Morgan

Honorary Pallbearers: Treyton Bankston, Ty Creel, Carson Ragas, Marshall Bankston, Shane Breland, Mark Villere

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

# Tribute Wall

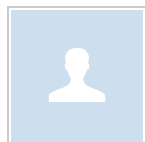


“ *L. M. sent a virtual gift in memory of Robbie Bankston*



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**L. M.** - December 29, 2023 at 09:13 AM

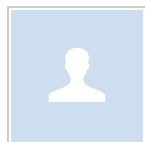


“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 06, 2023 at 07:53 PM

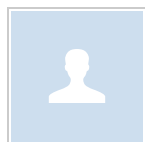


“ *Heavenly Sentiments Spray was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 06, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Celestial Love was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 06, 2023 at 05:25 PM

MH

“ *Michael, Jamie, & Addison Holley purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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**Michael, Jamie, & Addison Holley** - January 06, 2023 at 02:11 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 06, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 06, 2023 at 01:02 PM

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“ *Sincere condolences to the family and friends from the Mississippi Gulf Coast. We all have been praying for all involved in this tragic incident. Gods speed to all.*

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**Cassandra Lawless** - January 06, 2023 at 11:07 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.



January 06, 2023 at 10:53 AM



“ David Scarborough and his entire family extends our deepest condolences for Robbie and his entire family. Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers.

**Brian Scarborough** - January 06, 2023 at 07:47 AM



“ Juanita Luper lit a candle in memory of Robbie Bankston



**juanita luper** - January 05, 2023 at 10:47 PM



“ Were so sorry for your loss,we love yall and God loves yall. I pray for peace and comfort in this time for yall and your family.. LOVE SKIP AND LAURA. VERDIN. 🧡🙏💙

**Laura verdin** - January 05, 2023 at 10:04 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



January 05, 2023 at 08:50 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



January 05, 2023 at 07:39 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences to you all. May love and light surround you and your hearts fill with memories. Our continued prayers. Love you Bankston family -The Judd's/Jankston's-*

**April Judd** - January 05, 2023 at 07:38 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



January 05, 2023 at 07:25 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 05, 2023 at 07:25 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 05, 2023 at 07:21 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 05, 2023 at 04:17 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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January 05, 2023 at 03:55 PM

JS

“ *James and Mary Stucks purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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**James and Mary Stucks** - January 05, 2023 at 03:42 PM

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“ *your ieSS Family and Nick Colvin purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robbie Bankston.*



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**your ieSS Family and Nick Colvin** - January 05, 2023 at 01:34 PM