



# Francisco "Frank" Budd Bogran

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**F**rancisco (Frank) Budd Bogran, born January 3, 1927 in New Orleans, the son of the late Concha Bogran and Ferdinand Van Ness Budd.

Frank is survived by his wife of 56 years Birdie Ann Waguespack Bogran. Frank is the father of Leslie Ann Bogran Southerland (Michael), Stephen Rene Bogran (Dorinda) and Jeffrey Francis Bogran (Ann). Frank is the grandfather of Vaughan, Marley, Isabelle, Mae and the late Gregory Francisco Bogran.

A resident of Covington, LA for the past 53 years, Frank was a graduate of Isidore Newman School and of Tulane University School of Business Administration. Frank was an avid athlete and lettered in all sports at Newman as well as basketball and tennis in college. In his early twenties he became a low handicap golfer and in the early nineteen fifties qualified for the South American Amateur Championships as a member of the team from Panama where he was working at the time.

Frank served in the armed forces in World War II as well as Korea. After graduating from Tulane, Frank worked for the United Fruit Co in various capacities in Central and South America. He returned to New Orleans in 1959 and decided to take his family to live in Covington.

In business Frank became President of Mississippi Valley Silica Co of Covington and Owner and President of Stanblast Abrasives Inc of Harvey LA. After selling his company to Canadian interests, Frank continued as a corporate consultant until his retirement. He helped establish and served on the boards of various companies in Mexico and the Caribbean, mostly having to do with aggregates and abrasives used by the oil and pipeline industries. Frank was a founding member of the Covington Country Club as well as a member of the Tchefuncta Country Club. Frank was also St Tammany area Chairman of the United Way in 1972 as well as past Chairman of the American Heart Association.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a funeral mass at St Benedict Catholic



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Church 20370 Smith Road, Covington Louisiana on Saturday, July 21, 2012 at 10:30 AM. Visitation will be AT THE CHURCH from 9:00 to 10:30 AM immediately preceding mass.

In lieu of flowers please consider donating to St Benedict Catholic Church building fund or the charity of your choice.



## Tribute Wall

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JS

**Jean Scott** posted:

B.A., Leslie, Stevie, and Jeffrey, I have such warm memories of your family and remember Frank's ready smile and friendliness. I know he'll be sorely missed. You're all in my thoughts and prayers. Warmly, Jean Scott

July 25 at 9:42 AM

GF

**Gallo Family** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Bogran family at their time of loss. With deepest sympathy, The Gallo Family, Cindy, Debbie, Barry, Karen, and Diane.

July 21 at 10:15 AM

RD

**Robert & Dori Cox** posted:

Deepest Sympathy to the Bogran family.

July 19 at 2:40 PM

CC

**Carlo Capomazza** posted:

Frank was my neighbor on Lee Road and was always very pleasant and kind and willing to help when possible. I was saddened to read about his passing and want to give the family our best wishes. He will be in our prayers and thoughts forever. Carlo Capomazza

July 19 at 8:49 AM

DC

**Daniel Caffrey** posted:

Bombo was a great guy. Always friendly and funny. I grew up with his his son Jeff and always enjoyed going to their house to see Bombo. He was a great guy and will be sorely missed.

July 18 at 10:17 AM

DF

**David & Helena Finley** posted:

To Jeff and the Bogran family, It is with a warm heart that wish you the greatest strength for this tumultuous time. Find time to enjoy the family and be glad that God is with you. Be Blessed.

July 18 at 5:56 AM



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CM

**Camille Mccarron** posted:

Deepest sympathy for Dorinda and Steve and the entire Bogran family.

July 16 at 10:01 AM

CH

**Cindy Hogan** posted:

So blessed to have Bombo as our neighbor. We had so many wonderful memories, We will miss you, my sweet friend. Love, love, love you! The Hogans

July 16 at 7:55 AM

NS

**Natalie Scott** posted:

Although I haven't seen "Bombo" in a long time I have such fond memories of him from my younger years. B.A., Leslie, Stevie and Jeffrey - I just wanted all of you to know that you're in my thoughts and prayers.

July 15 at 7:28 AM

JS

**Jena Sharp** posted:

I was so blessed to have gotten to know Mr. Bogran. It was such an honor to have served as his home health nurse. His kindness and generosity of spirit made him so easy to be with. My condolences to all of the family, especially his "Bertie Ann." I will miss him so.

July 13 at 6:54 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Francisco by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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