



# Augustus Bau Lake

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**A**ugustus “Bau” Lake, March 15, 1951-April 10, 2010.  
Beloved husband of Ruthie Lake.

Bau was born in New Orleans and moved to the northshore in 1998 where he joined the Mandeville Lions Club. He was a member of both the Louisiana Lions Eye Foundation and Louisiana Lions Cripple Children’s Camp. He served many positions in his club including President, and Zone and Region Chairperson. In 2005-2006, Bau served as a District Governor and also served on several Lions International Committees during his years of service to Lionism. In 2006 he received the second highest award given by Lions International which is the Presidential Award.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hammond Lake, Sr. He is survived by a son, John T. Wilkerson; daughter-in-law, Fritzi Worn-Wilkerson; two grandchildren, Elizabeth and Charles; a sister, Julie Penick; brother-in-law, William S. Penick; brother, James Hammond Lake, Jr.; sister-in-law Angela Lake; several nieces and nephew; and great-nieces and great-nephews; and all of his Lions family.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend funeral services on Tuesday, April 13, 2010 at 10:00 AM at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home Chapel, 2260 W. 21st. Ave., Covington, LA 70433 with visitation on Monday evening from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM and on Tuesday from 9:00 AM until 10:00 AM.

Interment will be in Beech Island, SC.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in memory of Mr. Lake be made to St. Tammany Hospice, Louisiana Lions Eye Foundation or Louisiana Lions Cripple Children’s Camp.



## Tribute Wall

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JB

**John And Wanda Barnett** posted:

Bau and Ruthie: We love you both, and you are among our very best friends. We will miss you, Bau, but we know you are around the great Lions Club table in the sky. We will never forget the good time we had at the rededication in Fort Thomas this year. I know fate placed us in the same place, so we could get to know and love each other. One day, we will join you at the great Lions Club in the sky. Take care, my friend, until we meet again. Everyone, look to the heavens, and you will see a new and bright shining star. With Much Love, John and Wanda

April 14 at 2:20 PM

JH

**Jw & Kathy Harrison** posted:

We will miss Bau's gentle smile and friendship. He was a "Brother" to us. He is with all of those that have gone before him to guide him into an everlasting life of continued service to others.

April 12 at 5:21 PM

GE

**George Edwards** posted:

I am proud to say that Bau has been part of my Lion family. God has allowed Bau to be in my life. God now has seen fit to take Bau to a much better place to ease his earthly sufferings. One day we will see him again. Oh what a glorious day! My sincere condolences to you Ruthie. He will be missed.

April 12 at 4:40 PM

CP

**Consuella Pickard** posted:

hey ruthie all my thoughts are with you we love you

April 12 at 12:16 PM

BB

**Bud Byrd** posted:

RUTHIE, MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU IN THIS SAD TIME. BEAU WAS A UNIQUE PERSON IN MANY WAYS AND WILL BE MISSED BY ALL THOSE WHO KNEW HIM. HE WAS A GREAT LION.

April 12 at 6:15 AM



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BS

**Blanche Marange Schlenker** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of sorrow.

April 11 at 5:31 PM

LV

**Lion Virgil** posted:

The greatest Lion that ever roared. God bless you Lion Bau. We have you in our prayers Ruthie.

April 11 at 7:40 AM

PD

**Pdg Ray & Jeannette Deist** posted:

Bau was one of the best Lions anyone could meet. We will miss him, and he will be with my Dad. GOD Bless you and the family.

April 11 at 7:17 AM

SR

**Stephen M Robertson** posted:

I am very sorry to hear of Bau's passing. I first met Bau when we were in our early 20's and we hung out for several years. We even managed to catch a few fish and drink a few beers. I will always remember the pool parties at his parents house, uptown. I will a cold one for you today my friend. You will be missed by many. Stephen

April 11 at 4:25 AM

SO

**Sabrina Owens** posted:

Ruthie, I am so sorry for loss of your husband and my prayer and thought are with you at this time.

April 11 at 4:05 AM



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