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John Charles Law finished his earthly journey on Wednesday, February 12, 2009 from his residence at the age of 84.

He has been a resident of the Covington/Mandeville area for 38 years. He was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma to the late Clarence G. and Leah H. Law and lived his growing up years in the southwestern town of Carnegie, Oklahoma. He is survived by his wife of 60 years Lois Kaiser Law, daughters Kathryn DeLaitsch of Houston, Texas; Charlotte Villalba and husband Kevin of Doylestown, PA and Betsy Snyder and husband Glenn of San Rafael, CA. also a special cousin, Susan Pourciau and husband David of Baton Rouge. He was Grand John to six wonderful grandchildren, Beth San Miguel and husband Domingo of Baton Rouge, Mark DeLaitsch and wife Liz of Lincoln, RI, Lisa and Chad DeLaitsch of Houston, Tx. And Reid and Greydon Snyder of San Rafael, CA. Three great-grandchildren, Alaina, Alexis and Emma.

A veteran of WW II, he served in the Marshall and Mariana Islands with the U. S. Navy, Seabees, 110th battalion. Graduating from the University of Oklahoma in 1951 with a degree in Civil Engineering, he was always amazed that he finally graduated in 9 years after marriage and two children. Upon retiring from Chevron in 1986 after 35 years, he began a woodworking hobby. After a workshop had been built on his property, Lois was in shock that “tool toys” were a necessity. His signature comment was that he made terrible looking boards but great sawdust. His family continues to enjoy the furniture he made for them. He loved being teased that whatever Daddy made would withstand hurricane winds. One Christmas he built a Christmas tree from an 8’ sheet of plywood. He hung large red wooden apples on it with gold painted names of each family member. It was a struggle to brace this in the yard, but he made sure it would not come down. As more apples were added for marriages and births, he had to add a smaller tree for the great grandchildren. He also enjoyed golf, traveling and a weekly outing to “dine” at Wendy’s and then to WalMart with



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friend and neighbor, Jerry. He was a great story teller, usually embellishing the actual event in great detail. His family doesn't believe this ability was passed on to any of them. He loved the Lord, life, family and friends. He will be missed.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services on Monday, February 16, 2009 at 11:00 AM at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, #1 N. Marigold Dr., Covington, LA 70433.

Visitation on Monday, AT THE CHURCH, from 9:00 AM until service time.
Interment in Pinecrest Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, the family would prefer donations to Hospice of St. Tammany, 1202 S. Tyler St., Covington, LA 70433.

E.J. Fielding Funeral Home Inc., 2260 W. 21st. Ave., Covington, LA 70433 entrusted with the arrangements.



Tribute Wall

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Theresa & Bill Dent posted:

Lois - We are so sorry for your loss. May God comfort you during this difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Theresa & Bill Dent

February 17 at 7:00 PM

GT

George-Ann Stokes-Townsend posted:

Dear Mrs. Law & Family, I just learned of Mr. Law's passing today, and I wanted to extend to you and your family our deepest sympathies. I will always remember Mr. Law with such fond memories. He was a real Southern gentleman. He was always so willing to help me while I was home taking care of my mother and father during their illnesses. I would swing on the big swing in Dad's yard and Mr. Law would just walk over and give me words of encouragement to me and my sister, in his own special quiet and kind manner. Both you and Mr. Law were such lovely and wonderful neighbors to my parents and to our family. We are deeply appreciative. May you know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers more often than you know. May you and your family cherish your wonderful memories of your loving and caring husband and father, dear Mr. Law. And, may these cherished memories comfort each of you during this time. God bless all of you. Thinking of you, George-Ann Stokes-Townsend and Robert Carter Townsend, and all of the George W. Stokes, Sr, family Covington Country Club Estates Covington, LA

February 16 at 7:00 PM

HM

Herman Moore posted:

My sympathy to the family. He was an outstanding man and a true friend.

February 14 at 7:00 PM

JP

Jim And Peggy Pearce posted:

Godspeed, John.....We are thinking of you, Lois, and your family at this time. We are grateful for having known such a wonderful and happy person for 30 plus years. Love, Jim and Peggy Pearce

February 12 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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