



# **Lawrence "L.B." "Larry" Benjamin Shelton, Jr.**

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**A** lifelong resident of Covington and a nine-year resident of Port Vincent, he died at 6:42 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, 2012 at his home. He was 74, a disabled Offshore Construction Superintendent/Inspector. He was a Sgt. in the U.S. Army 3d Artillery 2AD Fort Hood.

Visiting at Walker Baptist Church on Tuesday, Sept. 18, 2012 from 5 p.m. until 9 p.m. Visitation Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. until service at Walker Baptist Church at 10:30 a.m. conducted by Dr. Richard Blue, Pastor.

Interment in Pinecrest Memorial Gardens, W. 21st Street, Covington, with graveside service at 2:30 p.m. with military honors.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Ann Cross Shelton; son, Andrew Dale Shelton and wife Terry M. Shelton, of Denham Springs; sister, Bessie Morgan and family, of Newton, NC; sisters-in-law, Andrea E. Evans of Denham Springs, Debbie and Stephen McLain and family, of Bush, and Karen and David Adkins and family of Covington; brother, Alfred "A.J." and Carol Loga and family, of Shreveport; grandchildren, Joshua M. Shelton and Casey E. Shelton of Denham Springs; and many nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews too numerous to name. Preceded in death by his son, Lawrence Benjamin "Benjie" Shelton III; parents, Lawrence Benjamin Shelton, Sr. and Josephine Angelo Shelton; father-in-law, Andrew Jackson Cross; mother-in-law, Mary C. Barr; niece, Robin Evans; and nephew, Robert Len Smith.

He was a graduate of Covington High School, class of '56. He was in the Civil Air Patrol 1958, Barksdale AFB. He was also a Master Welder/1st class Machinist and worked offshore in the oil business as a Barge Foreman, Captain, Construction Superintendent and Inspector in the Gulf of Mexico and the North Sea in Scotland, GB. He was a member of Walker Baptist Church and past member of FBC Covington. He was an Ordained Deacon, Past Master AU Peterson Masonic Lodge,



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Folsom, a Perpetual Member, Slidell, No. 68 RAM and 48 CM. Additionally, he was an avid Hunter, fisherman, bowler and golfer, but most proud of his grandchildren Casey and Josh and Lil' Bit and his sons. He crocheted many beautiful items.

Thanks to the staff of Hospice of Baton Rouge. Masonic service Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. with Christian Service and Burial.

In Lieu of flowers, please Mail donations to The LA Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 4196, Monroe, LA 71211.



## Tribute Wall

## Lawrence "L.B." "Larry" Benjamin Shelton, Jr.

GK

**Glen Kesler** posted:

Pat, I am so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. Please accept my condolences. Glen

October 5 at 7:45 AM

WM

**Wanda Meades** posted:

My heart is sudden of the passing of Mr. L. B. It was such a pleasure meeting him and knowing he was long time friend of my dad. May the Lord bless you and give you peace. much love Wanda

September 26 at 7:56 AM

JW

**Judy Webb** posted:

Pat...fond memories come flooding back of you and L.B..Dale and Benjie. I will never forget the warmth and kindness..the fun! my boys and I shared with all of you. I will keep you and your family in my prayers...I am so very sorry for your loss.

September 23 at 12:10 PM

LS

**Linda Sharpe** posted:

Pat, Dale & family, I was shocked & so sad to read of Larry's passing. I've always looked up to him because he was such a great man & was a shining example of what a wonderful husband & father should be. He really loved his family, & it was quite obvious in everything he did. I know that you will miss him terribly. I love & miss you and please know that I will keep you in my prayers. Linda Sharpe

September 20 at 8:19 AM

SJ

**Shelia Pendergrast Jourdan** posted:

Pat,Dale and family, time goes by and we lose touch with people who made such a lasting impression on our lives. Larry and his family were those people. I can still remember the laughter whenever our families were together, the adults drinking coffee and the kids playing outside. May he rest in peace for a life well lived. The Doug and Atrell Pendergrast family

September 18 at 5:43 AM



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**Donnalee Kubancsek** posted:

Ms. Pat..... You are in my thoughts and prayers. Mr. Larry is with Daddy now!!! DonnaLee Kubancsek  
The Family of Kenny Kubancsek

September 17 at 6:55 PM



**Glen And Dolores Shoultz** posted:

Pat, we are very sorry. I am so glad that I talked to L.B recently. Glen and Dolores

September 17 at 2:16 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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