



Victor "Buddy" Reynolds Ford III

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Victor "Buddy" Reynolds Ford III passed away on Sunday, August 16, 2015 at the age of 74. He was born and raised in New Orleans, lived in Gentilly and Chalmette, and was a resident of Mandeville for the past 18 years. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, and grandfather. He enjoyed a long successful career as a Structural Draftsman in the Oil and Gas Industry and assisted his wife in her Tupperware Sales career of 45 years. He served his state and country in the Marine National Guard Reserve for 8 years.

He is preceded in death and reunited with his parents, Victor Reynolds Ford, Jr. of New Orleans and Elvera Manieri Ford of Bay St. Louis, MS., his sister Patsy Ford Chapman of Jackson, MS., and nephew Kenny Rey Chapman of Jackson, MS, along with his grandparents, and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Left to cherish his memory are his beloved wife and best friend of nearly 53 years, Diane Zitzmann Ford, and their 3 children, Renée Ford Johnson (John) of Metairie, Christopher R. Ford (Keri) of Hendersonville, TN, and Darrin J. Ford of Mandeville. He was a cherished grandfather of 5, Corey, Ryan, and Mark Johnson, and Kirsten and Colby Ford.

He is remembered as a hardworking, humble, and kind gentleman. He was generous and made friends easily. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends, and all who knew him.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Memorial Mass at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 W. 21st Avenue, Covington, LA 70433 on Saturday, August 29, 2015 at 11:00 AM with visitation on Saturday beginning at 9:00 AM. Interment will follow in Pinecrest Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family requests Masses said for the Ford Family or donations to cover hospital costs. E.J. Fielding Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Please sign the E.J. Fielding Funeral Home online Guest Book at www.ejfieldingfh.com.



Events

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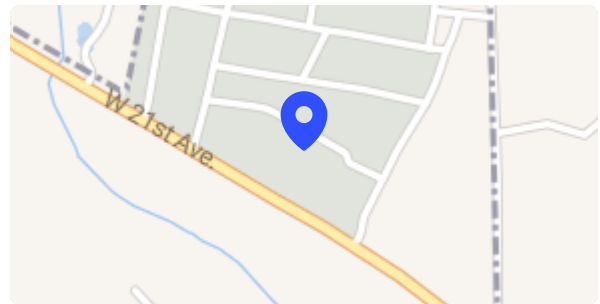
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Visitation

 **Saturday**, August 29, 2015


 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

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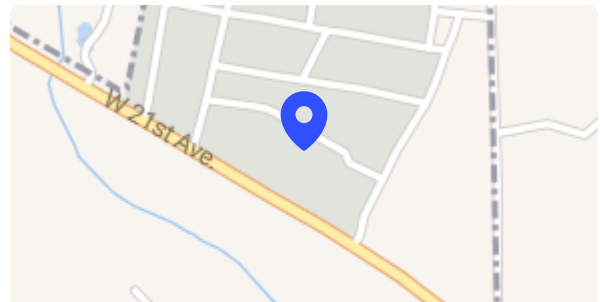


Memorial Mass


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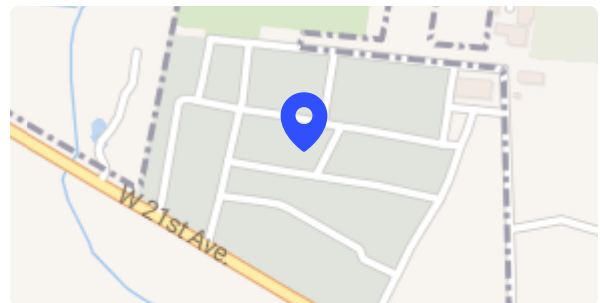
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Cemetery Details

 **Pinecrest Memorial Gardens & Crematory**
2280 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433

 **(985) 892-5007**





Tribute Wall

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E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services shared a **Tribute Video**.



August 27 at 5:42 AM



Rae Macafore posted:

Mrs. Diane we are so sorry that Mr. Vic passed away. It is an honor to have known him. It was a pleasure getting to know him over the past two years. If there is anything we can do, please do not hesitate to let us know. Cosimo and Rae Macafore

August 26 at 10:37 AM



David Schaeffer posted:

We are saddened by his departure, but rejoice in his new horizons.

August 25 at 8:50 AM



Mary Ann Bazile posted:

Renee', There's nothing anyone can say to take away the heavy heart you and your family must have right now. But, know that your dad was a wonderful guy that everyone loved to talk to at Shell. His sudden death is much too soon. But, for whatever reason -- God needed him more. Take comfort in his memories that will live on forever in your heart. I will be praying for you and your family.

August 25 at 5:51 AM



Eric Knox posted:

Renee' I am sorry to hear that Vic has passed but want you to know that he was one of the nicest people that I have worked with. He was thought very highly of around Shell. We will be praying for you and your family.

August 25 at 5:40 AM



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Kathy & Fred Zitzmann posted:

Words cannot convey the depth of our sorrow at Vic's passing. Life may end but Love is eternal; we know you must treasure the memories of your time together. You and Vic are in our thoughts and prayers. Kathy and F. J.

August 22 at 9:12 AM



Elizabeth D Parker posted:

Dianne so sorry to hear that Vic passed away. Prayers coming your way.

August 21 at 4:42 AM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Victor "Buddy" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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