



Hugh Vernon "Yogi" Overton

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Hugh Vernon "Yogi" Overton passed away on Wednesday, June 20, 2018 in Madisonville, LA. He was born on August 21, 1947 in Dallas, TX to the late Sam V Overton and Velma C. Overton.

Yogi was the beloved companion of Jan Dimitry. He was the loving father of Sasha Overton of Mill Valley, CA and Emily Crowder (Shane) of Ewa Beach, HI. He was the proud grandfather of Adam Dias, Colton Crowder, and Conor Crowder. Yogi was the brother of the late Nancy Overton.

Yogi had a well lived adventurous life. He loved sailing, boating, poker night with friends, listening to live music, sitting out on the beach and just enjoying life after retirement. He loved traveling to visit his daughters and their families. They were the apple of his eyes. Yogi was a kind, gentle soul that never met a stranger. He will be missed sorely by family and friends.

Services will be held privately by the family. If desired, donations may be made to the American Heart Association or the Michael J Fox Foundation. Please share a memory on the Tribute Wall www.ejfielding.com



Tribute Wall

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JN

John Nee posted:

Great smile. Gentle soul. The photo captures him well. Fond memories, my friend. Gone too soon. Sorry, Buddy. See you on the other side. Save a seat at the table. There's now a quorum. We shared 30? years of poker & bouree stories. Entirely too many good memories to post here. Thanks for your friendship. Sincere Condolences to Jan, Emily, and Family. Sad. John Nee New Orleans

July 2 at 11:37 AM

WW

Webster "Webbie" Nee posted:

Oh Yogi I will miss you so much! We have been friends since the late 1960's. We watched our kids grow up and and shared so many friends and memories together. To all of your family I send my most heartfelt sympathy. You will not be forgotten my friend! Love and peace, Webbie

July 1 at 11:23 AM

SW

Steve Willoughby posted:

My heartfelt condolences to all of Yogi's loved ones. I'm sorry for your loss. I first met Yogi in 1962. We lived close by each other in Metairie, LA, and spent a lot of time together hanging with the same local guys. Time passed, and we lost track of Yogi, but never lost track his memory. On behalf of the old Airline Park guys, I'll say that Yogi was always very well remembered, and we will keep his memory alive among all of us. Steve Willoughby

July 1 at 6:10 AM

VW

Valerie Walker posted:

Although I only knew Yogi for such a short time, he always wrapped you with kindness and love. He had a Heart of Gold and a Smile that made you feel welcomed in his life!!! 4-ever prayers for you Dear Jan and Yogi's beautiful family!!! RIP Sweet Yogi!!

June 28 at 6:43 AM



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CS

Cindi Stokes posted:

Yogi had many great attributes. My favorites were his big heart ❤️ and his tremendous smile 😊 that always lit up a room. His sense of humor always kept the crowd entertained. When Yogi was out without his Jan, I loved that when you asked about her whereabouts he'd say "aww, she's a lightweight. Lol. He was very proud of her personal goals and accomplishments. Yogi will be greatly missed in the beach community. Love you ❤️ We will help look over Jan for you. C Stokes

June 27 at 8:03 AM

SB

Sandra Durbin Burch posted:

I've had the pleasure of being friends with Yogi and Jan for some years. I have never met anyone as kind, gentle, genuine as Yogi. He and Jan made a great couple. We had many wonderful times together. I was lucky to spend this past Father's Day with them and Yogi was his usual self who couldn't do enough to please us. So sorry for Jan and all of us who were a part of his life. Rest now my friend. Sandra Durbin Burch.

June 27 at 7:21 AM

MA

Maggie June 27 at 7:52 AM

My Heartstrings are sad for the loss of a friend .So unbelievable that Yogi's warm smile and kindness is not just around the corner waiting to share a Hello with everyone he met. His positive ways and quiet laughter will be missed by many. My sincere condolences to his daughters and their families. Jan may God's Special Angels give you healing care, comfort for your Heart and Peace now and forever.

RW

Ricky Windhorst posted:

Though I only knew Yogi for a short while, his personality, smile and friendship, I will remember for the rest of my life. He was the perfect Ying to Jan's Yang! Here's to Saint Yogi! From Ricky and Jan

June 27 at 6:49 AM

AR

Ari posted:

Yogis kind spirit and contagious smile will be missed . Prayers to both families and May he Rest In Peace . Ari and Rob

June 27 at 6:01 AM



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PM

Pam Majoue posted:

Our prayers and condolences to Jan and Yogi's family! Hugs!! Pam and Billy Majoue

June 27 at 5:36 AM

LM

Lori Murpht posted:

His warm smile and generous heart will be very missed! ❤️ Jan, our thoughts and prayers are with you and his girls. I hope your memories help sustain you. xoxo

June 27 at 5:34 AM

LC

Lizabeth Caminita posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. Hugh was a dear friend of mine. Lizabeth Caminita

June 23 at 8:12 AM

PB

Pat Becnel posted:

Jan and family, Yogi was the nicest gentleman. I am so sorry for your loss. All of you are remembered in our prayers at this most difficult time. pat and robert becnel

June 22 at 4:39 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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