



Robert Lavel "Buddy" Knight Sr.

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Robert "Buddy" L. Knight, Sr. was called home to his eternal reward on Thursday, February 15, 2024.

Born on December 17, 1940 Buddy was a beloved Husband, Father, Brother, and "Uncle" to many. He is survived by his wife of 63 years 1 month and 29 days, Tillie Elois Knight; his son Robert L Knight, Jr. (spouse Shannon); daughter Delores Diane Knight; and grandson Robert L. Knight, III. He also leaves behind three sisters: Alice "Tiny" Parish, Vergie Toney, and Mary "Susie" Miller.

He was preceded in death by his parents JD Knight and Doris "Dottie" Tisdale Knight; brothers Leonard Knight, Richard Knight, and August Knight.

He was very proud to have served his country in the Army National Guard and carried those memories close to his heart.

Buddy's love for his God, Family and Church was evident in every aspect of his life. By trade he was a skilled plumber; however, his true passion was woodworking. Many friends and family members have been blessed with creations he designed specifically for them. Whether it was furniture, bookcases, baby cradles, or toys each one was crafted with love. Some of his most treasured pieces were the ones made in service to his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, including the beautiful cross that hangs in the sanctuary of his church, Shepherds Care Ministries, or the hundreds of toy cars and trucks given to boys and girls in the neighborhood and sent worldwide in missions boxes to children in foreign countries.

The family would like to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to Vital Caring Hospice and the 3rd Floor Nurses at St Tammany Parish Hospital for their excellent care. We would also like to thank Leonard & Ellen Knight, Penny Crouch, Nikki Caminita, and Tiny Parish for their help in caring for our Husband, Father, and Grandfather in these last few days. Your love and support have helped to sustain us in our time of need.



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Relatives and friends are invited to the Celebration of Life at Shepherds Care Ministries, 20115 LA-1081, Covington, LA 70435 on Wednesday, February 21, 2024 at 12:00 Noon with visitation from 10:00 AM until service time. Interment will follow the service at Pilgrim Rest Cemetery, Covington, LA Please Share a Memory on the Tribute Wall at www.ejfieldingfh.com.



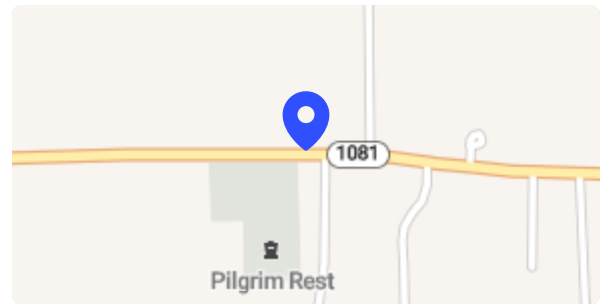
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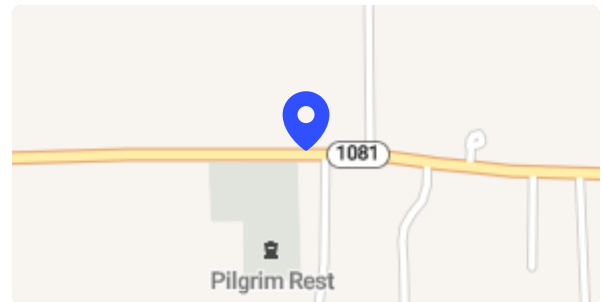
Visitation

- Wednesday**, February 21, 2024
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT
- Shepherd's Care Ministries**
20115 Highway 1081, Covington LA 70435



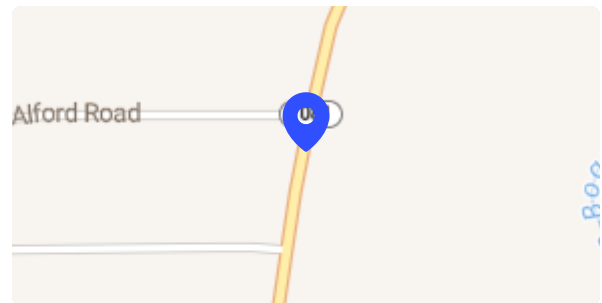
Funeral Service

- Wednesday**, February 21, 2024
- 12:00 PM CT
- Shepherd's Care Ministries**
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Cemetery Details

- Pilgrim Rest Cemetery**
20122 Louisiana Hwy 1081 (aka Stafford Road),
Covington LO 70435





Tribute Wall

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SL

Stephen Leonard posted:

So sorry to hear about your loss, Elois. I recall hearing stories about "Buddy" when we worked at Bridges Drugs while dusting or stocking the shelves and singing Everly Bros. tunes. With regrets, Stephen Leonard

February 26 at 7:59 AM



Anonymous sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Knight family.



February 19 at 9:14 AM

DK

Debbie Koepp sent a virtual gift in honor of Robert.



February 18 at 11:00 AM

JW

Jackie Weaver posted:

To the family of Mr.Buddy, he sure is missed as every Sunday after service he would shake yr hand. Also he made 3 lil race cars for my G. Grandsons that will always B cherished. Always had a smile & sweet spirit. May U have the peace of God as U walk this journey.

February 18 at 10:13 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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