



# Gary Anthony Giordano

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**H**E DEAD.

This simple phrase is what Gary wanted his obituary to say, but there is so much more to his story.

He also wanted people to know his cause of death. Even though he had an incredibly big heart, it suddenly failed him in the end.

Gary Anthony Giordano was born in New Orleans, LA on December 13, 1956, to a proud Sicilian Orleanian family. He left us from the comfort of his home on Wednesday, March 25, 2026, at the age of 69. After a wonderful and habitually productive day with his wife Susan, his heart tragically stopped.

Gary is survived by his wife and best friend, Susan Maurin Giordano; his children, Jessica Giordano (Katie Rehani), Julia Giordano (Nicholas Dischler, III), and Angela Fleury (Robert Fleury); and his grandchildren, Lily and Liam Fleury.

He is also survived by his parents, Benedetto “Benny” Giordano and Rose Vinterella Giordano; his siblings, Kim Campbell, Karen Nepute, and Kris Medieros; and his numerous cousins, in-laws, nieces, and nephews.

Dedicated to family, Gary adored living life with Susan; taught his daughters to be independent, strong, and ambitious women; was the goofiest Poppa G his grandchildren could have asked for; regularly visited and cared for his parents; and served as a dependable resource for his nieces and nephews.

Gary built deep, lifelong friendships filled with strong bonds, laughter, and adventure. He loved gathering with those closest to him to share good jokes, music, food, drinks, vacations, and



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(cheating at) card games.

Throughout his 40+ years as an engineer for Texaco and Chevron, Gary beamed with excitement over his individual accomplishments along with his mentorship of and advocacy for his associates.

Gary, his boisterous voice, and his vivacious laugh will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in memory of Gary Giordano may be made to the

- Freedom from Religion Foundation
- ACLU
- Northshore Humane Society

Family and friends are invited to celebrate Gary's life at EJ Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 W 21st Avenue, Covington, LA 70433, on Saturday, April 4, 2026. The family will welcome guests from 9:00-11:00AM, with a Celebration of Life beginning at 11:00AM.

You are invited to share thoughts and fondest memories at <https://www.ejfieldingfh.com>.



# Events

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## Visitation

 **Saturday**, April 4, 2026


 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT


 **E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services**

2260 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433



## Celebration of Life

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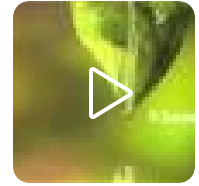
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**E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services** shared a **Tribute Video**.



March 30 at 3:59 PM



**Elmer** posted:

I had no idea what to expect when I first met Gary. I know Julia well, knew Gary worked at Chevron, but our paths had yet to cross. Cue one fantastically awkward family photo later and we were tromping around the Getty Villa and chatting up the owners of a biker bar in Malibu. Gary was generous with his smile when he saw you and with his time if you asked. I am blessed to have him in my memory and my life.

April 4 at 10:45 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Giordano family.



April 3 at 7:29 PM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Gary.



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**Anonymous** sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Giordano family.



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**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Giordano family.



April 2 at 3:42 PM



**Donald Dimaggio** posted:

Sorry to hear of your loss. I met Gary and Susan while enrolled at UNO. We went skiing together with UNO's UCP trip during college Ski Week in Steamboat Springs, Co where I met my wife, Cindy. I regret that we didn't stay in touch with one another.

April 1 at 4:07 PM



**Debra Giordano** lit a candle in honor of Gary.

Dear Benny & Rose, Debi and I are so deeply saddened hearing of the loss of your son. It does not matter at what age someone loses a child, the pain and suffering will be the same. My sweet Debi knows all too well as she lost her son at the age of 21. It sounds like Gary was a good man, a loving husband, father and grandfather who will be dearly missed. I believe in my heart when your son walks through that narrow door to heaven he will be welcomed with open arms. It is so sad that having the same blood flowing through our veins, we have never been close. Not too long ago, I was thinking of your and Betty Ann's families and remembering how nice Betty Ann always treated me. Our prayers are with you and your family at this very sad time. Please remember that your son is just starting a new journey. God Bless. Sincerely, AJ & Debi Giordano 320 Pineywoods Rd., Ponchatoula, LA 70454 (985-348-1173)(Psalm 34:18)



April 1 at 11:10 AM



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**Adam Smith** posted:

What can I truly say about my Uncle Gary that most of you don't already know. This man has helped to shape the person that I am today. In my nearly 42 years since my birth, he has always treated me like a son and I looked up to him as if he was my father. There was not a single time that he wasn't there for me when I needed simple advice, a friend to joke with, a man that pushed me to always want to better myself and those around me or just simply someone to sit there with me while we discussed so many countless memories of past experiences. He left this world much too early as I always wanted to see how proud he'd be of the man I have become. I wanted nothing more than for him and Susan to hold my baby girl for the first time when she comes into this world in July. I know he would've been so overwhelmed with joy for us. Life isn't always fair or easy but when Gary was there for me somehow all of the problems just seemed to drift away. The thing that I am going to miss the most is just hearing his voice or getting that one last hug from him. He'll always have a special place in my heart and memories for there is far too many that we had shared. I'll always love you and I'll continue searching for your guidance until the day we meet again.

March 30 at 7:53 PM



# Media

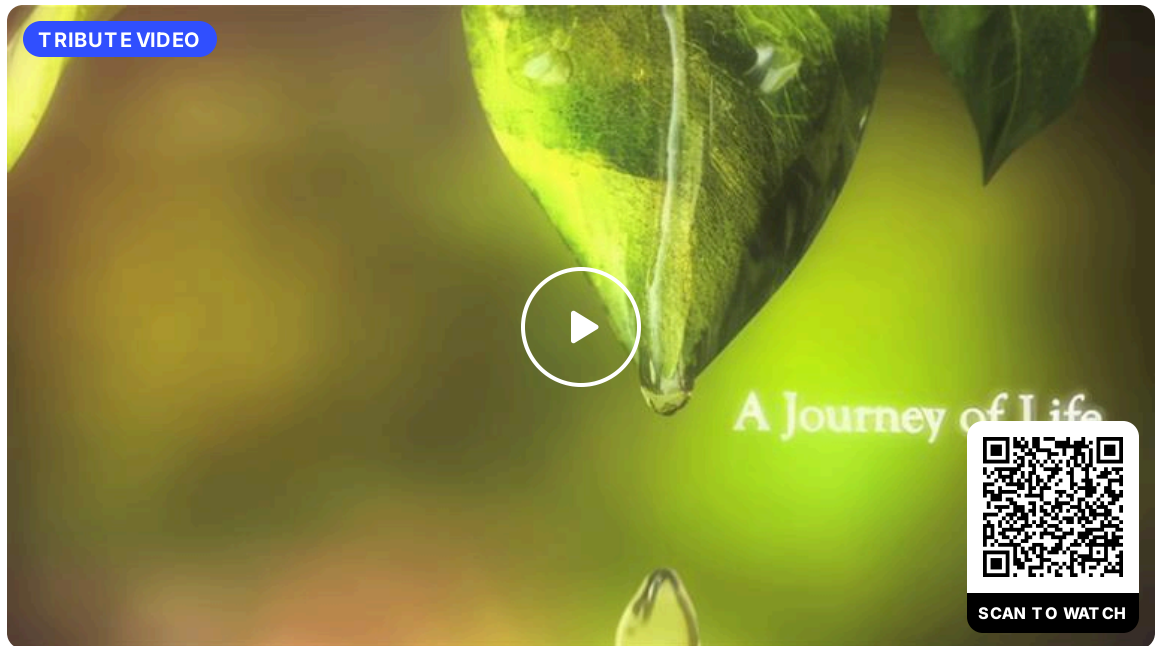
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**Mimi Blake** March 30 at 5:13 PM

Susan, remembering the good times as we grieve. Sending you love to comfort, heal & protect. MaryAnn & Mike Blaha



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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