



James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon

April 30, 1976 - March 16, 2024

Maurice -

A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, March 28, 2024, at 6:00 pm at Cypress Funeral Home in Maurice for James Patrick Duhon, age 47, who passed away on Saturday, March 16, 2024.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, March 28, 2024, between 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm in the Chapel of Cypress Funeral Home.

James was born on April 30, 1976, in Lafayette, Louisiana. He grew up with a love for dance and tap at his mother's dance studio, "Dance With Liz". He graduated from Westminster Christian High School; and went on to serve in the United States Air Force. During his time in the military, he was stationed at Keesler Airforce Base in Biloxi, Mississippi. After receiving an honorable discharge from the Air Force he moved to Ruston, Louisiana where he attended LA Tech earning a Bachelor's degree in Finance. James loved cooking. It was one of his favorite pastimes, particularly making gumbo with a homemade dark roux. He took great pride in his crawfish boils and would always welcome his family and friends to "pass by" and share his joy. He was a music lover, he had hundreds of digital albums and songs of every type of genre. He liked blues and soul, especially Ray Charles. He had an extensive knowledge of music and movie trivia and liked to share it with all who would

listen, especially with his sister, Terri. He enjoyed sunrises and sunsets with his wife, Maura. Jimmy had an infectious smile with a bigger-than-life personality. He was a likable guy who will be remembered for his easy like Sunday morning way about him. He was loved by many and he will be dearly missed.

James is survived by his loving wife, Maura Foret Duhon; his sister, Terri Duhon and her husband, Matthew Peacock of London, England; his niece and nephews, Aspen Peacock, Sebastian Peacock, and Hunter Peacock; his aunts and uncles, Lynn Duhon and his wife Dr. Chantal Saucier of Maurice, Terry Barber and his spouse Patsy of Maurice, Evelyn Barber of Georgia, Janice Barber (Warren) of Lafayette; his cousins, Abbi Lynn Duhon, Karima Duhon, Lori Barber Carver, Heather Barber Wilkes, Jenny Kay Barber Valois, Patrick Barber, and Nick Barber; as well as a host extended family members and friends.

James was preceded in death by his beloved mother, Elizabeth Ann Barber Duhon, his father, Harold "Jim" James Duhon; his uncle, David Patrick Barber; first cousin and dear friend, Yancy Duhon; as well as his grandparents, Patrick and Mary Barber, and Clovis and Lucille Duhon.

Honorary Pallbearers will be his niece and nephews Aspen Peacock, Sebastian Peacock, and Hunter Peacock.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory, 206 W. Lafayette St., Maurice, LA 70555.

Cemetery Details

Lafayette Memorial Park Cemetery

2111 West Pinhook Rd
Lafayette, LA 70508

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 28. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory
206 W. Lafayette St.
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Memorial Service

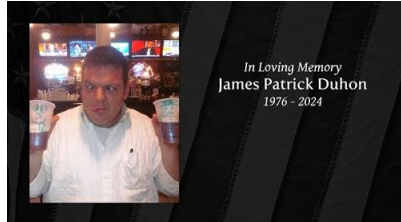
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Tribute Wall



“ *Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon*



Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory - March 28, 2024 at 12:49 PM

LC

“ *Your larger than life personality left an indelible mark on all who were fortunate enough to know you. I will forever cherish the memories of your infectious laughter and your giant smile, especially during those moments when you delighted in giving me a hard time. Your playful teasing and unwavering spirit brought joy to countless lives. As a tribute to you, I promise that the next time the Saints play the Falcons, my phone will remain silent, honoring the special bond we shared over our favorite teams. Rest in peace, dear cousin. You will be deeply missed, but your legacy of warmth and laughter will live on in our hearts.*

The Georgia Barber's

Lori Carver - March 28, 2024 at 01:27 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.*



March 28, 2024 at 01:00 AM



“ *Jimmy was a bright and shining light. A kind, compassionate soul who was also a great friend. May you Rest in Peace, my boy. Love you!*

My most sincere condolences to his family and to his 2nd family, The McHenrys. Love you all.

Lacey - March 26, 2024 at 10:19 AM



“ *Aunt Lee, David, Marcy & Robin purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.*



Aunt Lee, David, Marcy & Robin - March 25, 2024 at 11:31 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.*



March 25, 2024 at 02:37 PM

AP

“ Aunt Lynn, Lori, Heather, and Patrick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.

Aunt Lynn, Lori, Heather, and Patrick - March 25, 2024 at 02:37 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.



March 25, 2024 at 03:53 AM

JA

“ Jamie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.

Jamie - March 25, 2024 at 03:53 AM

HW

“ May God comfort you and give you peace during this time. We are praying for you all. Maura, God is holding your hand and He will walk with you and go before you each day. We love you:). Wambari Family.

Hellen Wambari - March 22, 2024 at 08:32 AM

AC

Rest easy old friend! To the family: I pray for strength and comfort during this time of mourning. God bless!
Ashley (Lewis) Cook

Ashley Cook - March 26, 2024 at 07:27 AM

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“ Rachel and David (Peacocks) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.



Rachel and David (Peacocks) - March 20, 2024 at 04:09 PM

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“ Rachel and David (Peacocks) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon.

Rachel and David (Peacocks) - March 20, 2024 at 04:09 PM

CH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Cypress Funeral Home - March 19, 2024 at 10:28 PM

MD

“ Marilyn Davidson lit a candle in memory of James "Jimmy" Patrick Duhon



Marilyn Davidson - March 18, 2024 at 08:59 PM

MD

Many thoughts and prayers to Maura, and James sister. I will always treasure our talks and laughs we had together at Nunu's. You will forever be remembered. I was so blessed to have known you. You were an amazing person. Rest In Heaven, James. You will be so missed by many.

Marilyn Davidson - March 18, 2024 at 09:06 PM

MF

I'm going to miss you my Friend. I know you are in wonderful place now! Finally, You are seeing what real Joy looks like! We will meet again someday I know! I pray for your Family to find peace in these difficult times. I am so grateful the last time we were together you were smiling and seemed ok!! That's what I will cherish. My Heart aches today, however I know that you are looking down thinking about all of us, especially those you were in treatment with. There was so much good in James, I wish he would have realized it! Good Bye my Friend, Marty

Marty Fugler - March 19, 2024 at 08:33 AM

GS

I can't believe you are gone so soon my friend. You will be greatly missed.

Gary Stiltner - March 20, 2024 at 12:52 PM



We are missing you terribly. We will never forget you and that time we had getting to know the amazing wonderful person you so often kept hidden. I hope you find a deep peace and serenity wherever you are, and I hope you know now just how loved you were.

Alexis Langley - March 20, 2024 at 03:38 PM

MH

From 8 yrs old me and Jimmy were jumping on trampolines, playing with He-man figures, trespassing in shut down yam factories, exploding spray paint cans and exploring down the Vermillion. He was my best friend.

We lost touch after I moved away. His beautiful Mom died. He entered the military. He changed his name to James. He rebuilt the dance studio into his home. He loved music and reading. He stayed closer to his sister through adulthood than most siblings ever do. He developed rental homes. He made friends with some of the most successful people and most thoughtful people in the Lafayette area.

I moved back to Lafayette 25 years later and ran into Jimmy. I was so lucky to catch up with him. I missed him. We took drives around Maurice and shared our plans for making it rich one day, and what a peaceful retirement would look like. We shared our similar hardships and tried to be better husbands. We boiled crawfish and just sat talking about nothing sometimes. Recently, life had been difficult for my friend.

Jimmy was humble and always wanted to be a friend. He will always be my best friend. I miss him now and hope to see him again. Love you man.

Matthew Hebert - March 22, 2024 at 07:49 AM