



Neil Joseph Guidry

January 8, 1979 - May 16, 2026

Kaplan -

Funeral services will be held on Thursday May 21, 2026 at 1:00 PM in the chapel of Cypress Funeral Home in Maurice for Neil Joseph Guidry, age 47, who passed away on Saturday, May 16, 2026 in Lafayette.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 AM until service time on Thursday, May 21, 2026 at Cypress Funeral Home.

Neil was born on January 8, 1979 in Kaplan, where he was a lifelong resident. He was a man who radiated joy and brought laughter wherever he would go. Neil was well known for his happy-go-lucky attitude and his infectious sense of humor. He also loved having a good time, especially while playing pool. Most importantly, he had a big heart, especially when it came to his kids and grandkids. He leaves behind a legacy of laughter and positive memories, and he will be greatly missed by many.

Neil is survived by his children, Andrew Guidry, Kalie Guidry (fiancé Dylan Taylor), and Raymond Guidry; his stepchildren, Ethan Baudoin and Nicholas Castille II; his grandchildren, Elijah Guidry and Liam Guidry; his parents, Diana "Gale" Smith and Raymond "Wayne" Guidry (Michelle); his siblings, Chad Guidry (Carolyn), Chrystal Cormier (Buddy), Aimee Guidry, and Cody

Guidry; the mothers of his children, Lana Etienne and Heather Castille; as well as his best friend, Dedrick Etienne.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Leo and Yola Abshire; and Dalton and Enix "Ricky" Guidry.

The family would like to extend a special thanks to the doctors, nurses, and staff of Ochsner Lafayette General for the care and compassion they offered to Neil and his loved ones in their time of need.

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

Upcoming Events

Visitation

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Cypress Funeral Home
206 W Lafayette St.,
Maurice, LA 70555

Eulogy

MAY 21. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Cypress Funeral Home
206 W Lafayette St.,
Maurice, LA 70555

Tribute Wall



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Neil Joseph Guidry.



Yesterday at 06:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Neil Joseph Guidry.

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“ Love Nanny, Gretta, & Courtney purchased the In Heaven's Arms Bouquet for the family of Neil Joseph Guidry.



Love Nanny, Gretta, & Courtney - Yesterday at 06:13 PM



“ Love Nanny, Gretta, & Courtney planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Neil Joseph Guidry.

Love Nanny, Gretta, & Courtney - Yesterday at 06:13 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Neil Joseph Guidry.*



Yesterday at 05:39 PM