



Raymond Charles Himel

July 1, 1957 - April 10, 2026

Lafayette -

Raymond Charles Himel, born on July 1, 1957 in Maurice, Louisiana to Bernard and Genevie Mire Himel, passed away peacefully on Friday, April 10, 2026 at home with his wife right beside him.

Raymond lived life to the fullest, cherishing his favorite passions: fishing, bowling, and dancing, especially to Cajun music on KBON 101.1. He and his wife, Brenda, shared a deep and abiding love for Jesus Christ. Raymond's spirit and kind heart will be missed by his family and friends.

Those left to cherish his memory are: his beloved wife of 6 years, Brenda Menard Himel; his brother, Alfred Himel of Jennings, Louisiana; and his sisters, Joann Owens of Broussard, Louisiana, Jeanette Stelly of Carencro, Louisiana, and Brenda Himel of Arnaudville, Louisiana.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Bernard and Genevie Himel; his brothers, Joseph Himel, Sr., Dale Michael Himel, and Lovelace "Cajun" Himel; his sisters, Theresa Folds, Linda Wingate, Gail Landry, Mona Gillory, Bonnie Puckett, and Connie Himel; and his grandparents, Honora Sr. and Martha LeBlanc Himel and Joseph Milton and Theresa Granger Mire.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Hospice of Acadiana and their staff as well as a very special thank you to Donald and Belinda Trahan for being with Brenda and Raymond for the last 8 months – we will love you forever.

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