



Roland James LeMaire

March 13, 1939 - August 15, 2024

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Roland James LeMaire, age 85, passed away peacefully on Thursday, August 15, 2024, in Kaplan.

Roland James LeMaire was born on March 13, 1939, in Kaplan and he was a lifelong resident of Kaplan. He married his beautiful bride, Virgie, on Mardi Gras Day, March 7, 1957. That same year, Roland joined the Navy and was stationed in Long Beach, California, aboard the USS Lexington, which is now a museum in Corpus Christi. He enjoyed traveling and was a passionate supporter of the LSU Tigers. After retiring from the Navy, he embarked on a 40-year career in the oil industry, transporting oil in tanker trucks. Despite driving trucks for a living, Roland never considered himself a truck driver. He will be deeply missed.

Roland is survived by his loving wife of 67 years, Virgie T. LeMaire; his daughter, Cynthia Fleniken (Cleveland); his best friend, Patti Hyde; as well as his grand-dogs, K-Lee, Fred, and Reba.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mayo LeMaire and Yvonne Marceaux LeMaire; his sisters, Jeanne LeMaire and Hazel Clark; as well as his brothers, Dallas LeMaire, Daniel LeMaire, Ewell LeMaire, and LeRoy

LeMaire.

The family wishes to extend a heartfelt thank you to Theresa, Lynda, Terry, Katina, Jessica, and Marrisona for the care and compassion they offered Roland James LeMaire and his family during their time of need.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made in memory of Roland James LeMaire to Senior Helpers and Lamm Hospice, www.seniorhelpers.com/la/lafayette/, www.lamm.care/.

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Roland was a cousin of mine. Always smiling & had a unique wit all his own. Will be sadly missed but never forgotten.* ”

Gary W. Doucet - October 12, 2024 at 10:51 AM