



Amos Patrick Cravins, Jr.

May 1, 1959 - March 7, 2013

Mr. Amos Patrick Cravins, Jr.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, March 16, 2013 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Mallet, LA, for Mr. Amos Patrick Cravins, Jr., 53 who entered eternal rest, March 7, 2013 at Louisiana Extended Care in Lafayette, LA.

Interment will be in St. Ann's Catholic Cemetery in Mallet, LA. Most Rev. Curtis J. Guillory, S.V.D., D.D. Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Beaumont and Rev. Justin Arockiasamy, SVD.

Mr. Cravins is survived by his wife of 34 years, Jennifer Sam Cravins of Lawtell, LA; a son, Amos Patrick Cravins, III of Mallet, LA; a daughter, Jennifer Michelle Cravins of Lawtell, LA; five brothers, Sherman Cravins (Margie) of Swords, LA, Joseph R. Cravins of Mallet, LA, Dr. Georges Cravins (Yelena) of Melrose, WI, Mayor Donald R. Cravins, Sr. (Patricia) of Opelousas, LA and Charles T. Cravins (Mona) of Washington, LA; three sisters, Belle Cravins Declouette (Alvin) of Mallet, LA, Alma Cravins Essex (George) of Upper Marlboro, MD, Martha Cravins Wilhite (Robert) of Opelousas, LA; 4 grandchildren, Patrick Shane Cravins, Ayanna Cravins, Daylon Cravins and London Cravins; his mother-in-law, Wilma K. Sam of Lawtell, LA; four brothers-in-law, Nolan Sam (Dola), Alfred J. Sam (Felicia) both of Lawtell, LA, Christopher P. Sam (Telemika) of Port Barre, LA and John David Thomas (Lilly) of Tallahassee, FL; four sisters-in-law, Loretta Sam (Larry), Nicole Sam (Micheal Clues) both of Opelousas, LA, Sheilah Espree (Alvin) of Tyrone, LA

and Betty Sam of Lafayette, LA; a grand dog, JellyBean Cravins and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and special friends.

Mr. Cravins was preceded in death by his parents, Armas & Edmonia Guillory Cravins; his father-in-law, John "SJ" Sam; a brother-in-law, John Davis "JD" Sam and a niece & goddaughter, Yvonne Marie Sam.

Visiting hours will be observed from 7:30 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. Friday, March 15, 2013 and 7:00 A.M. to 10:45 A.M. Saturday, March 16, 2013 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Mallet, LA.

Share words of comfort with the Cravins family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, 337-942-2037.

Tribute Wall



“ *Amos Patrick Cravins, Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *To Jennifer and the family my condolences go out to you. You will always be in my prayers. Patrick was a good friend and classmate. He will be greatly missed.*

Bernadine (Richard) Dallas - March 19, 2013 at 01:39 PM



“ *my deepest sympathys to the sam,cravens family at this time for the loss of a wonderful man.i went to school with pat & jennifer.they was in love from day one.i pray that god keep jennifer strong and constantly remind her that pat is gonna be just fine.no more sufferin and pain.god bless the familys.*

MARGARET ESPREE - March 16, 2013 at 03:26 PM



“ *Our Condolences To The Cravin Family. From The Late Paul Potier Family*

Potier Family - March 16, 2013 at 01:37 PM



“ *To the family, I pray that God comforts you during your time of loss. Pat was a great friend. He was a caring and giving spirit. I'll never forget how he asked people who visited him to check in on me on their way back to their homes. I'll miss him!*

Greg Darbonne - March 16, 2013 at 12:33 PM

JF

“ My deepest condolences to the Cravins and Sam families. I went to school with Jennifer and Patrick. could not ask for better people.4

Jenny Fontenot - March 16, 2013 at 11:31 AM

LC

“ To the Cravins Family, I would like to extend my deepest sympathy for the loss of your loved one.

Leisa Anderson, Asst. City Clerk - March 16, 2013 at 10:45 AM

CH

“ To my cousin Jennifer; I just want you to know that you have my deepest sympathy. I am praying for you and the family. To Patrick & Michelle stay strong & keep the faith. I love you all and I pray that God strengthen each of you during this hard time. Chimira

Chimira Howard - March 16, 2013 at 09:39 AM

GB

“ Pat I will miss you, may you rest in peace. This is not a good bye but, see you later. My prays will be with the Cravins family.

Gilda Gallow Briscoe - March 15, 2013 at 09:23 PM

DM

“ TO THE CRAVINS FAMILY, I KNEW PATRICK ALL MY LIFE, WE WENT TO SCHOOL TOGETHER AND I COULDN'T ASK FOR A NICER FRIEND. HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED AND IF YOU'LL NEED ANYTHING PLEASE LET ME KNOW. I WILL KEEP HIM AND THE FAMILY IN MY PRAYERS. DOLLY

DOLLY MOREAU - March 14, 2013 at 11:17 AM

TG

“ Dear Jennifer, Pat and Michelle,
I am so sad that Pat died and can only imagine how much everyone will miss him. Out of all the Cravins siblings, he was my favorite. Actually, he was most likely everyone's favorite. When we visited, and stayed with Mom and Daddy, I looked forward to Pat's dropping in, which was frequent. He always had some hilarious story to tell and I loved and appreciated the way he would "tell it like it is." He was the first person I ever heard go into a tirade about how stupid it was to be politically correct about certain things. I will always remember his laugh, one of the great laughs of all time. It's been many years since I've been down to see all of you but one of my last memories was of Pat's boudin. I thought it was as good as Mom's but didn't dare tell Mom that. He was such a good man. You were all blessed to be the three he was closest to. I can't be there in person but I am there in spirit, sending my love, prayers and healing thoughts to all of you. Also, if you ever want to take a trip to Vermont, you are welcome to stay with me. We have two guest rooms and I'd love to have you. God bless all of you.
Love, Therese

Therese Giles - March 14, 2013 at 10:21 AM

CJ

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your love one. May God continue to bless each of you through this difficult time.

Carolyn Jean - March 14, 2013 at 09:57 AM

GG

“ May you be surrounded with his peace and comfort in your time of sorrow. Thoughts and prayers are with you.

Geri Guillory-Fields - March 14, 2013 at 09:43 AM

RR

“ May God's love bless you during this time of sorrow...know that Amos has earned his place in Heaven and shall be there helping to prepare your place at God's table..With Love in our hearts the Richard Family, mother Rebecca, sons Nia and Tojeaux

Rebecca Ann Stewart Richard - March 14, 2013 at 09:35 AM

LB

“ I know that your hearts are very heavy with sorrow for your loss. It breaks my heart to know GOD wanted him now. However; he knows when he wants us here, and when it's time to go to our infinite home.
My heart and prayers goes out to all of you. Make GOD keep you embraced and console you as long as you need him. And I am available for you when you need me, for as long as you need me for a kind word, to talk, a hug and continued prayers.
A friend of the family always....Lorita Portier

Lorita Portier Brisco - March 14, 2013 at 08:05 AM

AA

“ To Jennifer and children my deepest sympathy. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers during this time and always. Life doesn't make sense at many moments in our life. The pain we go through when we lose someone we love never goes away, it does somehow get less painful in time. May God Bless you all and keep you in His loving arms during this time and always.

Annette Craven Ardoin - March 13, 2013 at 09:19 PM

DD

“ My sympathies go out to the cravins and sam family for your lost I will pray for solice in this time of grief may god continue to bless your families.

David Dozuer - March 13, 2013 at 09:12 PM

CL

“ *May He rest in peace!*

Cleo s. Lemelle - March 13, 2013 at 04:58 PM

DT

“ *I went to school with Patrick and I was so sorry to hear about his death. My prayers go out to his family.*

Darlene Thibodeaux - March 13, 2013 at 04:09 PM

MC

“ *WE ARE SO VERY SORROW FOR YOUR LOSS.PAT WAS ONE OF THE BEST PERSON THAT WE HAVE EVEN KNOWN.ILOVED PAT AS A BROTHER AND I WILL MISS HIM.MAY THE LORD BLESS,PROTECT AND LEAD HIM TO HIS KINGDOM IN HEAVEN.*

martin craven - March 13, 2013 at 03:02 PM

AS

“ *So sorry to hear about the passing of Patrick. Have known the family for a while. May the Angel of the Lord wrap his wings around the family in their time of need and see you thru your time of sorrow.*

Audry Simmons - March 13, 2013 at 01:50 PM

GL

“ *We the Jason family wish to offer our sincere condolences to the bereve .*

glendajoubert - March 13, 2013 at 01:13 PM

BF

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Patricks passing. I will always remember his kindness, a great person. Praying for the family, God Bless.*

Bernadette (Richard) Francis - March 13, 2013 at 01:03 PM

CC

“ *You were an amazing Uncle and parrain and you will be greatly missed.*

Charlotte Cravins - March 13, 2013 at 12:22 PM