



Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs

January 6, 1959 - February 22, 2019

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 2, 2019, at 12 P.M., at Bellevue Street Baptist Church, 326 W. Bellevue Street, Opelousas, LA for Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs, 60, who entered eternal rest on Friday, February 22, 2019 at his residence.

Charles leaves to cherish his memory and celebrate his legacy, his children, Jamal Noel of Houston, TX and LaShawn Jason of Beaumont, TX, brothers Dexter Riggs of Houston, TX and Troy Riggs of Beaumont, TX, sisters, Grace Rosette of Opelousas, Vanessa R. Veazie (Daniel) of Lafayette, LA, Talisa R. Joubert (Larry) of Opelousas, LA and Vickie A. Comeaux also Opelousas, LA, grandchildren: Larry Jackson, Eric Martin, Jamal Noel, Jr., Ja'Kaih Noel, his Godfather James Comeaux, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and special friends.

Charles was preceded in death by his parents, Floyd Riggs, Sr. and Ella Mae Comeaux Riggs, sisters: Martha Mae Carter and Linda Riggs Darby, brothers; Floyd Riggs, Jr. and Darrell D. Riggs.

The family request visiting hours be observed from 8:00 A.M. to 11:45 A.M. on Saturday, March 2, 2019 at Williams Funeral Home Chapel, 817 E. South Street.

Share words of comfort with the family of Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs on his Permanent Life Tribute Page at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net .

Final arrangements entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, LA.

Cemetery Details

Serenity Memorial Park

7231 Hwy. 31
Opelousas, LA
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Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 8:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

Bellevue Memorial Park
Opelousas, LA 70570
(337) 942-7055

Service

MAR 2. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Bellevue Street Baptist Church
326 W. Bellevue St.
Opelousas, LA 70570

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *To The Riggs Family:
Our deepest condolences go out to all of you. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during your most difficult time. God bless and keep you in one band of love.*

The Miles Family

*Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miles
Marilyn "Faye" Boutte
Luther Boutte & Kayla Escort
Mr. & Mrs. John Miles, Sr. & Family
Mr. & Mrs. Chris Miles, Sr. & Family*

Marilyn Boutte - March 02, 2019 at 10:28 PM



“ *As you have transitioned into the spirit realm, my heart is comforted knowing that your spirit will live forever! Love you Uncle Ponkie.*

Kayonca Riggs - March 02, 2019 at 03:52 AM

SJ

“ Sherell Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs



Sherell Jackson - March 01, 2019 at 11:45 AM

GJ

“ 60 years ago three sons were born to three Mothers (all sisters). From as far back as I can remember, those three boys, You, Don Roland, and I were inseparable. Playing sports and getting in trouble together is what bonded us. Back then I thought that we would live forever. You and Don Roland are now in glory; leaving me in this cruel world by myself. I miss you guys terribly but know that GOD had different plans for you. You are now back with Don Roland and the rest of our loved ones that also left this Earth too soon. Please tell them all I say hello and remind them of how much they are missed here. Take your much needed rest Pooch but know that one day we will meet again. Love you and don't worry about your siblings. I will check on them on a regular basis for you.

George (Jaboy) Aggison, Jr. - February 27, 2019 at 10:56 AM

BL

“ Condolence to the Riggs family in your hour of sorrow. May the peace of God rest upon you'll shoulders



Beverly Lewis - February 26, 2019 at 09:46 PM

GJ

“ In 1959, our Mothers (and three sisters) gave birth to three healthy boys. You were born first on January 6th of that year, followed by me on September 2nd, and then Don Roland on September 12th. From as far back as I can remember, we were inseparable; always together. Playing baseball and other sports and getting in trouble together was our past time. Now you and Don Roland have gone on to glory leaving me by myself. I miss and Love you guys tremendously, but I know that GOD had other plans for you. Please know that I will carry you guys with me until it is time for me to take my rest. Please tell Mom, Chart, Don Roland, Bay, Yonkey, Darrell, my Mom, Dad, Glo, Barbara Ann, and the rest of our loved ones that have also gone home to glory that I say hello. As we became adults, we did not see one another often but when we did see, it was like we never skipped a beat. I will always treasure the brotherly relationship we enjoyed and all of the good times we had together. I know you always thought that you were our Dad because you were the oldest :) and Don Roland and I gave you that. I know that Cherrie, Vanessa, Telesa, Vickie, Dexter and Troy misses you already. Just know that the word says that Earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal, Your siblings will be alright and I promise to stay in touch with them and check on them from time to time. Take your much needed rest Pooch and know that I am a better man for having had you in my life. Love You Man.

George (Jaboy) Aggison, Jr. - February 26, 2019 at 02:09 PM

LM

“ Lori Major lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs



Lori Major - February 26, 2019 at 02:05 PM

BG

“ *Brenda Green sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs*



Brenda Green - February 26, 2019 at 12:27 PM

BG

“ *Brenda Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs*



Brenda Green - February 26, 2019 at 12:27 PM

BG

“ *My deepest condolences and prayers to the family. Grace be strong. Vicki you also. God is with all of you. He won't give you more than you can bear. What a Mighty God we serve. My condolences on the loss of Floyd also. never knew he passed also. Loved him so much.* 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️

Brenda Green - February 26, 2019 at 12:26 PM

FS

“ *Fred Singleton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs*



Fred Singleton - February 26, 2019 at 07:46 AM

FS

“ Fred Singleton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Ray "Ponkin" Riggs



Fred Singleton - February 26, 2019 at 07:43 AM

VR

“ I love you uncle Ponkin, may your spirit continue to live on through all of us. Neq

Vanequa Riggs - February 25, 2019 at 09:25 PM

SS

“ Praying for you all during your time of bereavement. Sorry I can't be there with you guys but just know I will be thinking of y'all. Love you all.

sandra smith - February 25, 2019 at 08:18 PM