



Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr.

December 25, 1926 - April 6, 2023

Lawtell, LA – A Mass of Christian Burial for Morris Lavergne, Sr. will be celebrated on Saturday, April 15, 2023, at 11:00 A.M. in Holy Family Catholic Church, Lawtell, LA. Father Stanley Jawa will serve as a celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Family Cemetery in Lawtell, LA.

Visitation will be held on the same day from 8:00 A.M. until 10:45 A.M. in Holy Family Catholic Church with a rosary being recited at 9:15 A.M.

Morris was born on December 25, 1926 (Christmas Day) to Bernard and Louise Lavergne in Lawtell, LA. He was a lifelong resident of Lawtell, where he was a faithful member of Holy Family Catholic Church. He was an active member of the Knights of Peter Claver; Father Pierre Council 40 where he served as treasurer for over 55 years. He was a proud World War II soldier who served his country overseas in Korea. He worked as a union laborer in the Lake Charles area plants and refineries for over 40 years. He was also a small family farmer for many years and also raised cattle.

Morris departed this life on April 6, 2023, 2023. He was united in marriage for 75 years to Julia Lavergne. To this marriage union five children were born; three sons – Lt. Col. (ret.) Linton Lavergne of Lawtell, LA, Morris Lavergne, Jr. and wife Theresa of Lawtell, LA, Rev. Patrick Lavergne and wife Felicia of Lawtell, LA; two daughters, Glenda LeCompte and husband Ronald of Lake Charles, LA, Patricia Chavis and husband Kevin of Richmond, TX; (10) grandchildren, (21) great-grandchildren, (7) great-great-grandchildren and a special niece who was a big part of his life, Emelda Colomb, as well as, a host

of family, loved ones and special friends who along with his children will all cherish his memory and celebrate his legacy.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Julia G, Lavergne; his parents, Bernard and Louise James Lavergne; three brothers, Lester, Freeman, and Henry Lavergne; four sisters, Mary Rogers-Francis, Elizabeth Winfrey, Rita Citizen and Georgiana (Anna) Manuel.

Share words of comfort with the family of Morris Lavergne, Sr. on his Permanent Life Tribute Page at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net. Be the first to post your most treasured memory of Morris. Show your support by sharing a personal message or story, meaningful photo or video, or record a video message using your webcam. On behalf of the family, we encourage you share your personal experiences and preserve the memory of Morris Lavergne, Sr. for future generations to come.

Final arrangements entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, 817 E. South Street, 337-942-2037.

Cemetery Details

Holy Family Catholic Cemetery

291 Thibodeaux Street
Opelousas, LA 70570
(337) 543-2366

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 15. 8:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Holy Family Catholic Church
291 Thibodeaux St
Opelousas, LA 70570

Mass of Christian Burial

APR 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

Holy Family Catholic Church
291 Thibodeaux St
Opelousas, LA 70570

Tribute Wall

SG

“ *May peace and comfort be with you and your family at this difficult time.* ”

Sheriff Bobby J Guidroz - April 17, 2023 at 09:32 AM

JJ

“ *Our deepest sympathy for the Lavergne family.* ”



Joseph R.Charles, Jr - April 15, 2023 at 10:37 AM

AS

“ *Audry Simmons lit a candle in memory of Morris Lavergne* ”



Audry Simmons - April 14, 2023 at 10:03 PM

AS

“ *Audry Simmons sent a virtual gift in memory of Morris Lavergne* ”



Audry Simmons - April 14, 2023 at 10:02 PM

MG

“ Mike Guillory and Family: To Perry, June, Faye, Patrick and Patricia, you have our Love and Sympathy. They lived a Beautiful Life and will be missed, Our Lord will be glad to have their company.

Michael w Guillory - April 14, 2023 at 04:17 PM

BF

“ Bonnie and Albert Landry family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr..



Bonnie and Albert Landry family - April 14, 2023 at 10:54 AM

RF

“ Randy Guillory and Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr..



Randy Guillory and Family - April 14, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr..



April 12, 2023 at 04:51 PM

FB

“ I wanna say my uncle Morris was the sweetest kindest person you'll ever know I love him very much and will miss im so glad I went to visit him and aunt toole just a few months ago I will always keep him in my heart the both of them aunt toole also may they rest in heavenly peace



faye lavergne brewster - April 11, 2023 at 05:51 PM

PB

To The Lavergne Family.My Deepest Sympathy to the Son's and Daughter's.I will miss him so much.I Love helping him in church,especially guarding him to take a seat.R.I.P. cousin Morris

Priscilla Boutte - April 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

GH

“ Georgia Harris-stevens sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr.



Georgia Harris-stevens - April 11, 2023 at 05:13 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr..



April 11, 2023 at 02:51 PM

DS

“ Uncle Morris, mom and dad and trusted you to be my godfather and a wonderful godfather you were! I love you with all my heart, and always will! Say hello to everyone when you get to heaven and rest in peace!!!



Dr. Gwyndolan LaVergne Swain - April 11, 2023 at 02:47 PM

CJ

“ Please accept my sincere condolences.

Charles Jagneaux



Charles Jagneaux - April 11, 2023 at 10:39 AM

AB

My deepest sympathies Soror Gwen on the lost of your Godfather 💕
♥️ Praying that the wonderful memories you shared with him last a lifetime.

Avis Bethancourt-Pickens - April 12, 2023 at 07:40 AM

VW

“ Mr. Laverne will be missed. Prayers for hos family.

Veda Winfree - April 11, 2023 at 09:18 AM

CG

“ Charles Larry Gallien Lake Charles,la. Way back in the day me and my brother Mookey would ride our bicycles to aunt tool and uncle morris house. One Sunday after noon uncle Morris was feeling good he had a couple of his favorite beverage lol. Uncle was talking with his cigar in his mouth he was feeling good. At one point you could not understand what uncle was saying lol. We had fun with uncle Morris. Aunt tool and uncle Morris will never be forgotten,many good memories.To the family my cousins keep the faith.

Charles Gallien - April 10, 2023 at 10:13 PM

GS

“ Georgia Harris Stevens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr.



Georgia Harris Stevens - April 10, 2023 at 09:48 PM

GH

“ Glenda Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr.



Glenda Harris - April 10, 2023 at 08:19 PM

KW

“ *Karla West lit a candle in memory of Mr. Morris Lavergne Sr.*



Karla West - April 10, 2023 at 07:12 PM