



Harding Joseph Guilbeaux

December 17, 1924 - September 14, 2017

Mass of Christian Burial

Thursday, September 21, 2017 10:00 a.m.

St. James Catholic Church

Port Arthur, Texas

ENTRANCE PROCESSION

Processional

“Amazing Grace”

GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY

As a reminder of Harding’s Baptism, his casket has been sprinkled with Baptismal water. Then, a pall, recalling the white garment of his Baptism, is placed on the casket.

“If we have died with Christ, we are also to live with Christ in glory.”

OPENING PRAYER

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6a, 7-9

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

“The Lord is my Shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.”

Second Reading

Revelation 21:1-5a, 6b-7

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

John 6:51-58

HOMILY

Prayers of the Faithful

Response:

“Lord, hear our prayer”

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

“Ave Maria”

COMMUNION RITE

Holy, Holy, Holy + Mystery of Faith
Great Amen + Our Father + Lamb of God

Communion

“Supper Of The Lord”

Prayer After Communion

FINAL COMMENDATION

PRESIDER: Saints of God, come to his aid. Hasten to meet him angels of the Lord.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: May Christ, who called you, take you to Himself, and may the angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham.

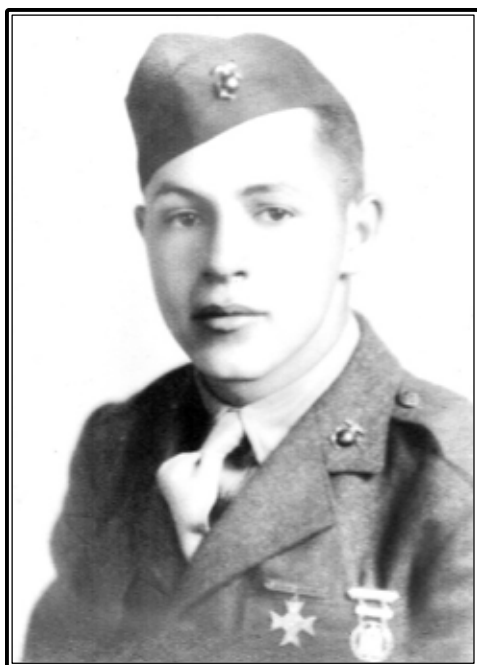
ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

Recessional

“How Great Thou Art”



Harding Joseph Guilbeaux, 92, passed away Thursday, September 14, 2017. He was born on December 17, 1924, in Port Arthur, Texas to Marie Carrier Guilbeaux and Savan Joseph Guilbeaux. He fell in love and married his high school sweetheart, Rose Lois Zummo in 1946 and was happily married for sixty-two years.

Hardy served honorably as a Staff Sergeant with the United States Marine Corp

during World War II where he saw action in the Solomon and Philippine Islands. He worked at Gulf Oil Refinery for thirty-six years where he was a Carpenter Foreman. He was a devoted husband and father to his twin daughters, Sharron and Karen and his son, Rohn. He mostly enjoyed spending time with his family, hunting, fishing, and doing carpentry work. He enjoyed growing roses and fruit trees and looked forward to daily workouts with his friends at the YMCA. Hardy was a faithful member of St. James Catholic Church and was a member of Sertoma Club.

He will be deeply missed by his twin daughters, Sharron Ann Knott of Toledo Bend and Karen Ann Kaiser of Port Acres; son, Rohn Joseph Guilbeaux and his wife, Kathy, of Lumberton; grandchildren, Christy Smith and her husband, Jeff; Jamie Reddell and her husband, Wade; Heather Kaiser; Jeanie Johnson and her husband, Chad; and Dustin Guilbeaux; great-

grandchildren, Blake and Brook Smith; Jordan and Samantha Kaiser; Preston, Alexis, and Carson Johnson; and Karli and Kinley Reddell.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Rose Louise Zummo; parents, Marie and Savan Guilbeaux; brother, Leroy Guilbeaux; grandson, James Michael Kaiser; and son-in-laws, Russell Knott and James Kaiser.

The family would like to extend a special thanks to the volunteers and rescuers of Hurricane Harvey that helped him evacuate and transport him to a hospital in Beaumont. The family would also like to extend their appreciation to all the nurses, speech pathologist, Kathy, Respiratory, Pat and Michelle, Dr. Kahn, and Dr. Bahall at Baylor Scott & White Hospital in Taylor, Texas. All mentioned from volunteers, rescuers, and hospital staff, worked tirelessly with compassion and took care of him with such emotion and respect. Also, to Kindred Hospice who checked with the family every day on his wellbeing and ours, Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.



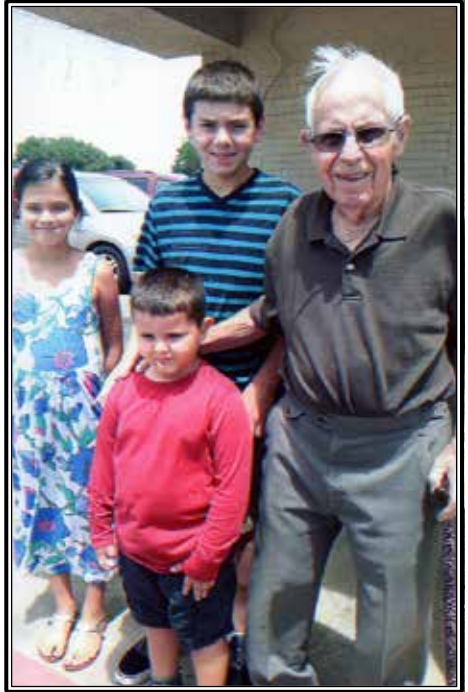








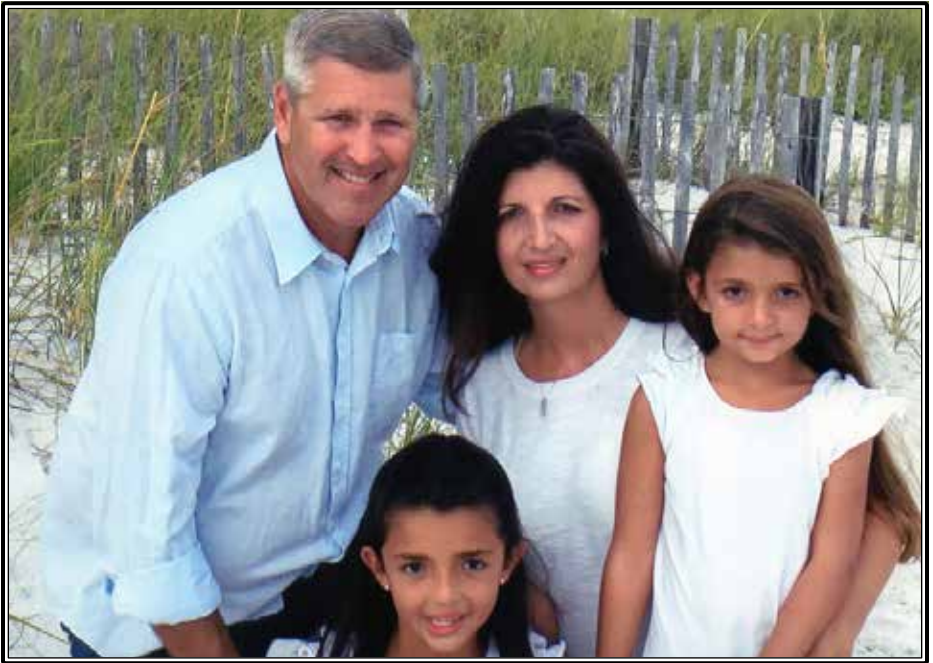












Celebrant	Reverend David Edwards
Placing of the Pall	Mr. Guilbeaux's Grandchildren
Gift Bearers	Mr. Guilbeaux's Grandchildren
Cantor	Crystal Wells
Organist	Garrett De laCerde
Pallbearers	Dustin Guilbeaux, Chad Johnson, Wade Reddell Jeff Smith, Blake Smith, Jordan Kaiser Preston Johnson, Victor Lege

Entombment

Greenlawn Memorial Park
Groves, Texas

Military Honors by

Southeast Texas Veterans Service Group



Please sign Mr. Guilbeaux's guest book and share your memories at
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