

# James "Jimmy" Fertitta

November 12, 1934 - February 3, 2019

#### **Funeral Mass**

Saturday, February 9, 2019 11:00 a.m. St. Anne Catholic Church Beaumont, Texas

# **GATHERING RITE**

## **GREETING AND BLESSING**

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

#### **OPENING PRAYER**

# **LITURGY OF THE WORD**

First Reading

Daniel 12:1-3

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

"The Lord is my Shepherd there is nothing I shall want."

Second Reading

Romans 6:3-9

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

#### THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

John 11:32-45

**HOMILY** 

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Response:

"Lord, hear our prayer"

# **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

Preparation of the Gifts

"Beautiful Savior"

# **COMMUNION RITE**

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

Communion

"I Am The Bread of Life"

Meditation

"Amazing Grace"

#### **Invitation to Prayer**

Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of our brother. May our farewell express our affection for him; may it ease our sadness and strengthen our hope. One day we shall joyfully greet him again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself.

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.

#### PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

Recessional "Songs of the Angels"



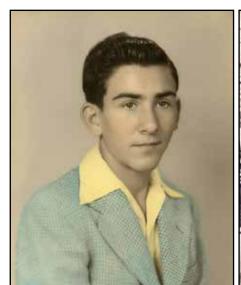
James (Jimmy) Fertitta, 84, passed away peacefully in his sleep on February 3, at his home in Beaumont, after suffering an illness. Jimmy was born on November 12, 1934, in Beaumont, Texas, to Katherine Giglio and Rose Tony Fertitta, Sr. and remained a lifelong resident of Beaumont. He graduated from St. Anthony's High School and married Rose Theresa Giardina in 1958.

After several years attending Lamar University, he started his long career in beverage distributing, spending the majority of his career as a sales

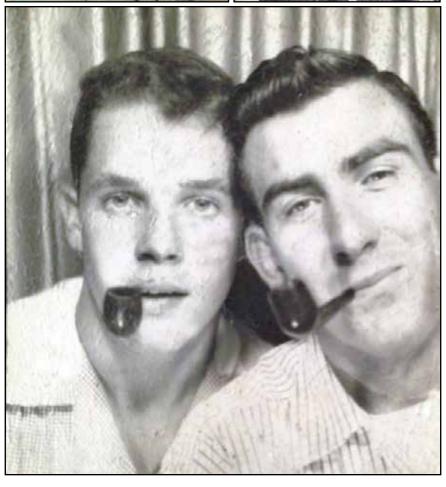
manager for Giglio Distributing Company. Jimmy and Rose raised four sons, Chris, Randy, Scott, and Kirk. He was blessed with seven grandchildren, Bruno, Giuliana, Ella Rose, Sze Sze, Nicole, Lauren, Leigh, and two great-grandchildren, Stoli and Aiden, as well as daughtersin-law, Paula, Anna, and Terri.

Jimmy was an exceptional athlete in high school and maintained his passion for sports through coaching, golf, bowling, and watching his Longhorns and Cowboys. The number of friends that he made and touched over the years is too long to list. There was no place in Beaumont where he was not recognized and welcomed with a warmth and humor distinctly his own.

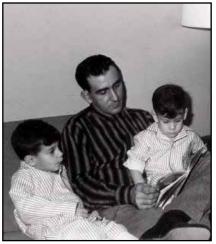
He is survived by his brother, R.T. Fertitta, Jr. and wife, Anna Mae, of Beaumont; and his sons, Chris of Wimberley; Randy and wife, Anna, of Houston; Scott and wife, Terri, of Dallas; Kirk and wife, Paula, of San Diego; and seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

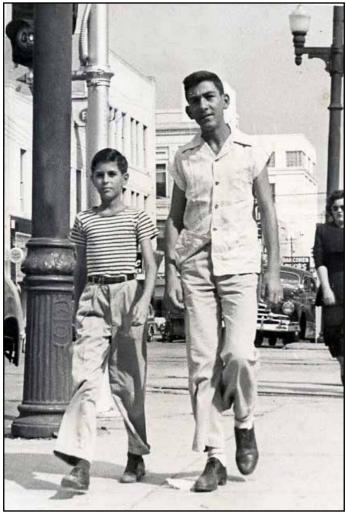


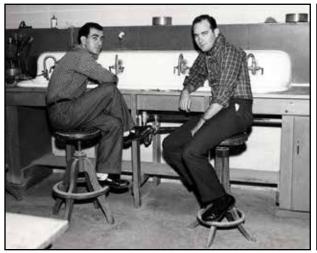










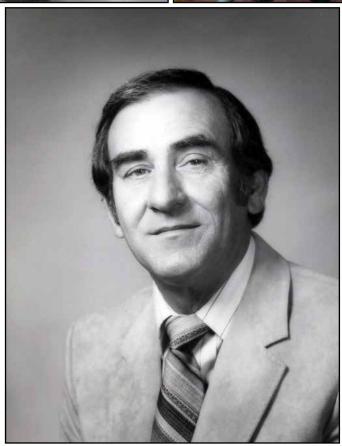










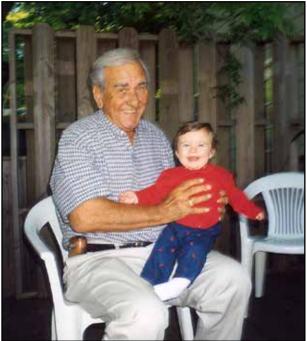
















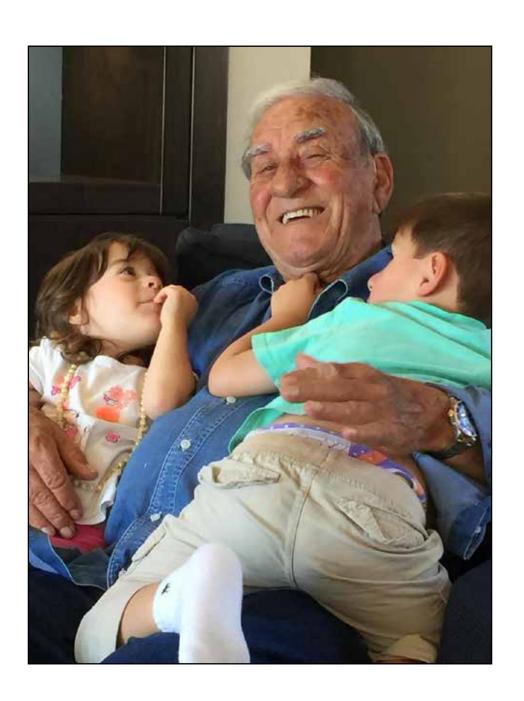








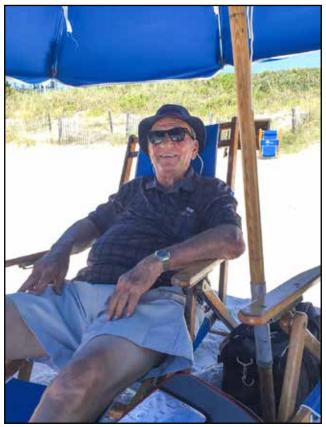












Celebrant Reverend William F. Manger

Lector Kirk Fertitta

Organist Dr. Scott Feldhausen

Cantor Chris Fertitta

Pallbearers Mark Fertitta, James Floyd

Jerome Fertitta, David Fertitta Pete Morrell, Charles Giglio

Will Jenkins

Honorary Pallbearers Galen Etie, Charles Alberta

## Celebration of Life Gathering

Saturday, February 9, 2019 1:00 p.m. Beaumont Country Club 5355 Pine Street Beaumont, Texas

"Never let anything so fill you with sorrow that you forget the joy of the resurrection." Mother Teresa

