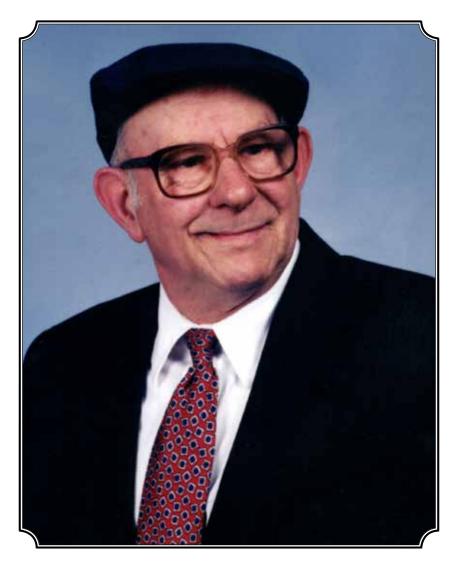
We believe that all the ties of friendship and affection which knit us as one throughout our lives do not unravel with death.

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# Russell John Folse, Sr. January 8, 1924 + August 30, 2017

#### **ENTRANCE PROCESSION**

Processional Song:

"You Are Near"

We Celebrate #894

### **GREETING AND BLESSING**

As a reminder of Russell'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

II Corinthians 4:14-5:1

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

### THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE [Luke 23:33, 39-43]

## HOMILY

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Response: "Lord, Hear Our Prayer"

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# **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

Preparation of the Gifts:

"Gift of Finest Wheat"

We Celebrate #666

# **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

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

Communion:

"I Am the Bread of Life"

We Celebrate #659

Meditation Song

"Amazing Grace"

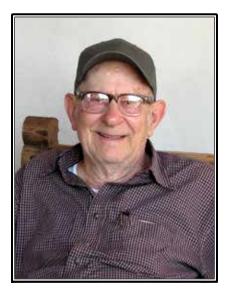
Prayer After Communion

# **FINAL COMMENDATION**



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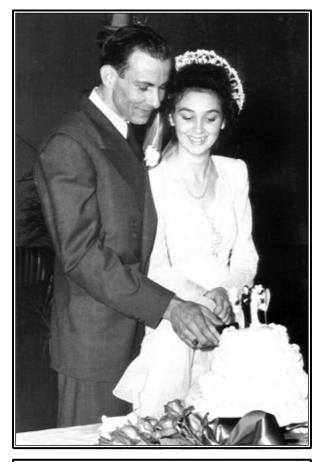
*"They'll Know We are Christians"* We Celebrate #804



Russell John Folse, Sr., 93 of Beaumont, entered into eternal rest with the Lord, Wednesday, August 30, 2017. He was born on January 8, 1924, to Lucille Chauvin Folse and Theodore Folse in Beaumont, and was a United States Army veteran having served in World War II. He met Theresa, the love of his life, upon returning home from the war and they were married November 23, 1946. Their 70-year legacy of love and commitment is the cornerstone of the family and continues to serve as an example to their children and grandchildren.

Russell, also known as Grandpa, Gramps, and PawPaw was dearly loved and a man of strong character. He enjoyed spending time with his family, and all of his grandchildren brought him great joy. He taught several generations to play dominoes and how to change the oil in their cars. He loved gadgets and could figure out how to fix anything. He was a gentle, humble man with a quick, dry wit and even during his last days he often gave those around him a chuckle with his clever humor. His faith in God, devotion to family, and dedication to his country will always guide the lives of his loved ones as he lives on in the hearts of those he leaves behind.

Survivors include his wife of seventy years, Theresa Folse; daughter, Janet Weaver of Houston; son, Russell "Rusty" Folse, Jr. of Lumberton; daughters, Kathy Adams and her husband, Beecher, of Nederland and Terri Sticker and her husband, Maury, of Kingwood; son, Thomas Folse and his wife, Carla, of China; daughter, Kim Richards and her husband, Jeff, of Edmond, Oklahoma; grandchildren, Wesley Weaver; Jared Weaver; Christopher Folse and his wife, Bridget; Kelly Gallier and her husband, Raymond; Daniel Adams and his wife, Chelsea; Dana Adams; Shelli Wilder; Scott Sticker and his wife, Mimi; Rebekah Folse; Luke Folse; Payton Richards; and Trenton Richards; great-grandchildren, Addison Folse; Amber Conway; Kara DeJohn and her husband, Bryce; Justin Conway; Killian Wilder; Kai Sticker; and Ren Sticker; great-greatgrandchild; Leighton DeJohn.







My grandparents are the most loving people I have ever known. They have done more special things for me in my life than I can remember. I have always thought that my grandpa is one of the smartest men I have ever met. He is a kind and giving man to be admired by all. Grandma has always spoiled me and given me more love than is humanly possible. My favorite thing has always been to spend the holidays at grandma and grandpa's. There is always joy and happiness at their house. To two extraordinarily loving people, congratulations on 50 years of marriage.

Love, Wesley Weaver November 23, 1996

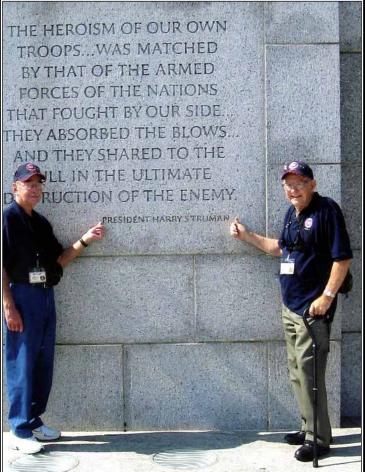














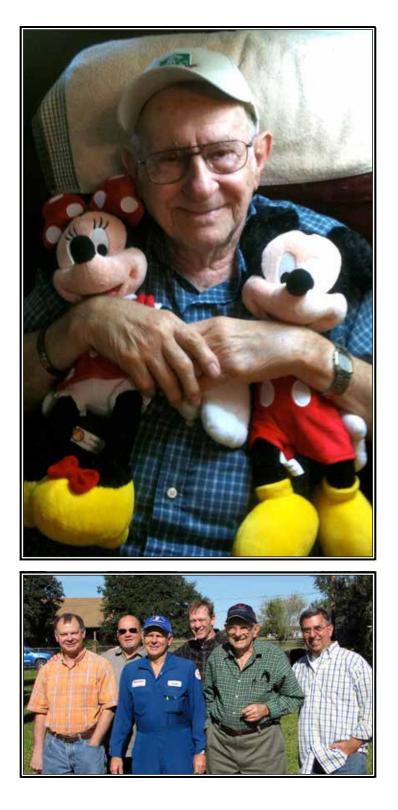


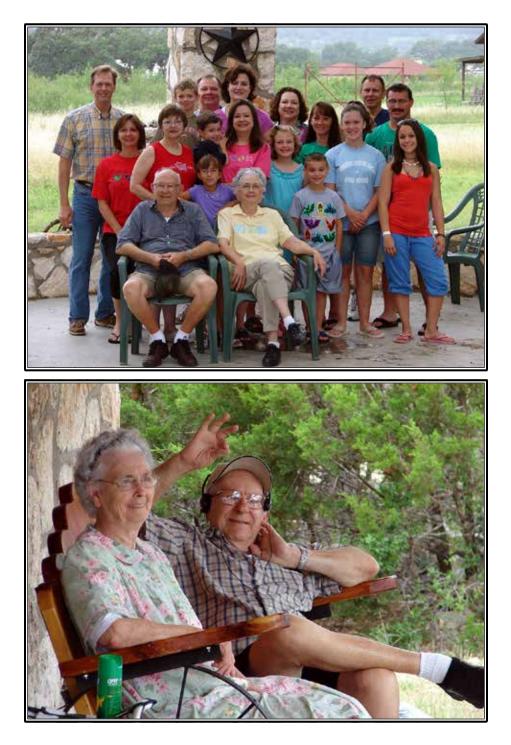
















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Celebrant:	Reverend Thomas Phelan
Deacon of the Mass & Homilist:	Gordon Cabra
Sprinkling Rite:	Russell Folse, Jr., Tom Folse
Placing of Pall:	Janet Weaver, Kathy Adams, Terri Sticker
	Kim Richards
Lectors:	Daniel Adams, Beecher Adams
Gift Bearers:	Kelly Conway, Shelli Wilder, Rebekah Folse
	Payton Richards
Eucharistic Ministers:	Celebrant of the Mass, Deacon of the Mass
	Dana Adams, Jared Weaver
Music Ministers:	Dionne Fontenot, Bryan Brassard, Denise Truncale
Pallbearers:	Russell Folse, Jr., Chris Folse, Wesley Weaver
	Jared Weaver, Daniel Adams, Scott Sticker
	Luke Folse, Trenton Richards
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Saint Jude Thaddeus Catholic Community Beaumont, Texas – September 16, 2017

### Interment

Magnolia Cemetery Beaumont, Texas

## Military Honors by

United States Army

#### **Memorial Contributions**

St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church 6825 Gladys Avenue Beaumont, Texas 77706

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, Tennessee 38105

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

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Please sign Mr. Folse's guest book and share your memories at www.broussards1889.com