



# C.J. Schexnaider, Jr.

September 24, 1928 - January 19, 2018

**Mass of Christian Burial**

Tuesday, January 23, 2018 11:00 a.m.

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

Nederland, Texas

# **ENTRANCE PROCESSION**

Processional

*“Amazing Grace”*

## **GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY**

As a reminder of C.J.’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

Wisdom 3:1-6, 9

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

*“The Lord is My Shepherd”*

Second Reading

Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

## THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

John 14:1-6

## HOMILY

Prayers of the Faithful

Response:

*“Lord, hear our prayer”*

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

*“Be Not Afraid”*

## COMMUNION RITE

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

Communion

*“You Are Mine”*

Mediation

*“Ave Maria”*

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

*“On Eagles’ Wings”*



C.J. Schexnaider, Jr., 89, of Nederland, Texas departed this life Friday, January 19, 2018. He was born on September 24, 1928, in Franklin, Louisiana; to Eugenia LeBlanc Schexnayder and Cornelius Joseph Schexnayder, Sr.

C.J. was a United States Navy veteran. He was a longtime resident of Nederland. C.J. loved hunting and fishing. He was active in the community

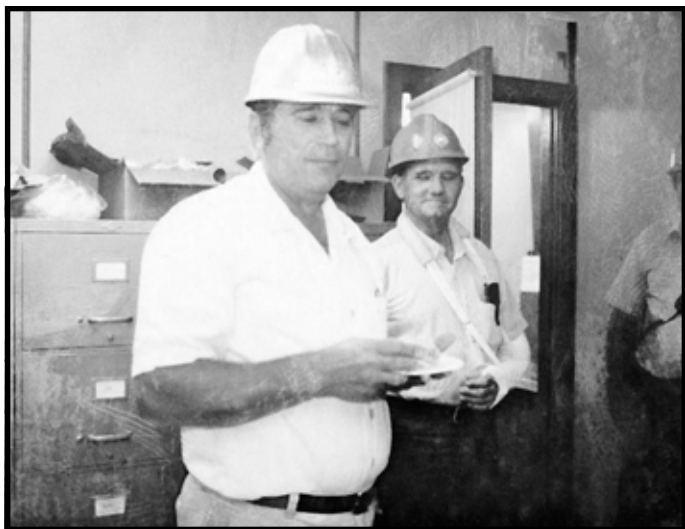
and served on the Nederland Planning and Zoning Commission. He was a Grand Knight in the Knights of Columbus and held various other titles. He loved to volunteer at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church. In 1985, C.J. retired from Gulf Oil after working thirty-five years as a Maintenance Superintendent. He loved his vegetable garden and would give family and friends the produce.

Survivors include his wife of seventy years, Alzire “Maggie” Schexnaider; children, Linda Schexnaider Choate and her husband, Gerald; Craig Schexnaider and his wife, Charla; Donald Schexnaider and his wife, Cynthia; and Darlene Schexnaider Johnson; grandchildren, Gerald Choate, Jr. and his wife, Sherrie; Kevin Choate and his wife, Amber; Caty Schexnaider; Elizabeth Schexnaider; Virginia Johnson; and Alexander Johnson; and great-grandchildren, Ciarra Choate, Austin Choate, and Kaylee Choate. Also, his brothers and sisters of Arnaudville, Louisiana, Neva Ducote; Eddie Schexnaider and his wife, Stella; Audrey Miller and her husband, Ernest; Jim Schexnaider and his wife, Helen; Marie Stelly and her husband, Lionel; and Earl Schexnaider and his wife, Brenda. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Calvin Schexnaider; sister, Doris Hollier; and infant son, James Schexnaider.



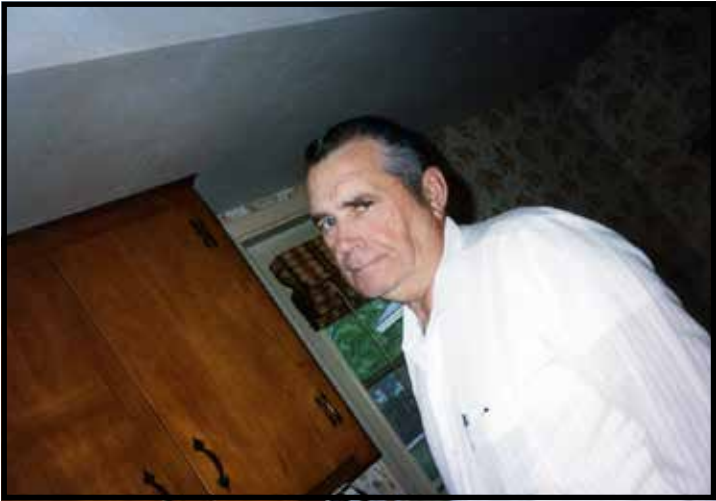


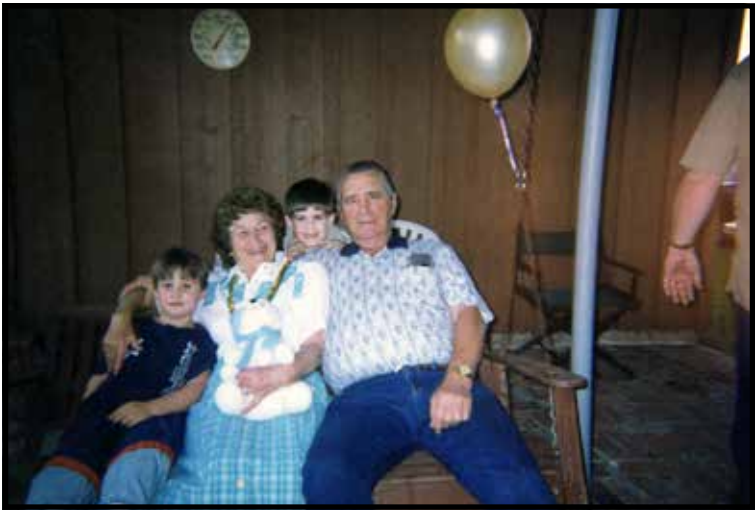
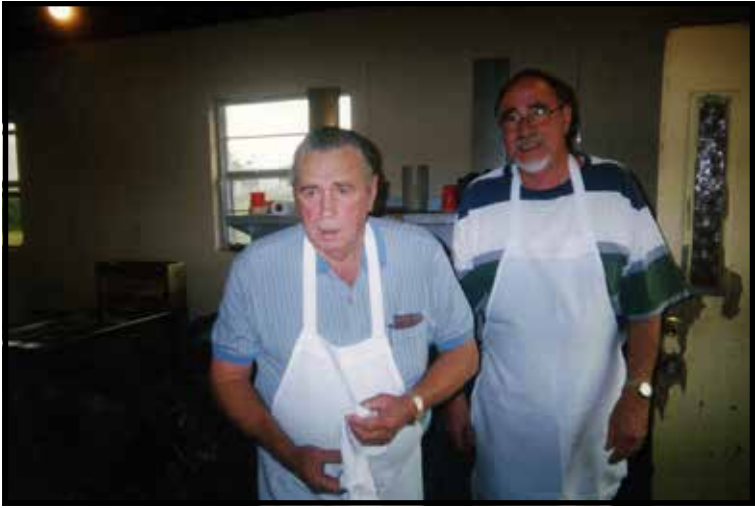












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| Celebrant            | Reverend Brian Taylor  |
| Placing of the Pall  | Glen Knott, Will Rogers, James Schexnaider<br>Earl Schexnaider, Cliff Bolton, Larry Sims<br>Steve Graffanino |
| Lectors              | Katie Schexnaider, Shirley Harrington  |
| Cantor               | Denise Broussard   |
| Accompanist          | Darla Lawless  |
| Pallbearers          | Glen Knott, Will Rogers, James Schexnaider<br>Earl Schexnaider, Cliff Bolton, Larry Sims<br>Steve Graffanino |
| Honorary Pallbearers | Austin Choate, Alexander Johnson   |

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**Interment**  
 Oak Bluff Memorial Park  
 Port Neches, Texas

**Military Honors**  
 Southeast Texan Veterans Service Group

**Memorial Contributions**  
 Knights Of Columbus  
 315 Hardy Avenue  
 Nederland, Texas 77627



Please sign Mr. Schexnaider's guest book and share your memories at [www.broussards1889.com](http://www.broussards1889.com)