



**Morris Paul Duhon**  
August 6, 1938 - March 26, 2023

**Mass of Christian Burial**  
Thursday, March 30, 2023 10:00 a.m.  
St. Pius X Catholic Church  
Beaumont, Texas

Processional

*“Be Not Afraid”*

## **GATHERING RITE**

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

As a reminder of Morris’ 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

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23

Response: *“The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.”*

Second Reading

Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:1-12

Homily

Prayer of the Faithful

Response: *“Lord, hear our prayer.”*

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts	<i>"I Am God's Love Revealed"</i>
Eucharistic Acclamations	Holy, Holy, Holy Mystery of Faith Great Amen
Communion Rite	The Lord's Prayer Sign of Peace Lamb of God
Communion	<i>"Surely the Presence of the Lord is in this Place"</i>
Meditation	<i>"Ave Maria"</i>
Prayer After Communion	

## FINAL COMMENDATION

Invitation of Prayer

Song of Farewell:

**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.**

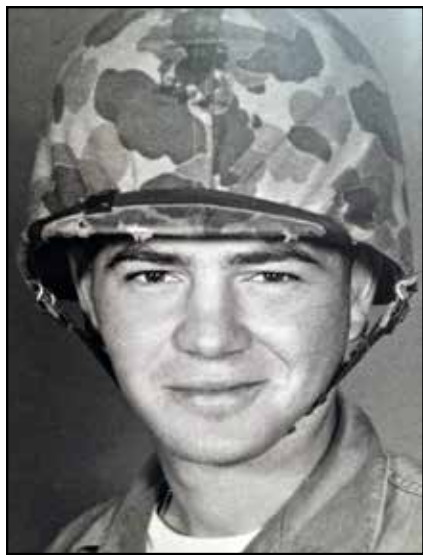
**PRESIDER:** Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

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

Prayer of Commendation

PROCESSION TO PLACE OF COMMITTAL

Recessional *"How Great Thou Art"*



***Morris Paul Duhon***, 84, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, passed away on Sunday, March 26, 2023, surrounded by his loving family.

Morris was born in Kaplan, Louisiana, on August 6, 1938, and moved to Beaumont with his family as a child. He was a 1957 graduate of French High School and upon graduation, Morris joined the United States Marine Corps. He served in the USMC for four years and remained a proud Marine throughout his life. After he returned from active duty, in 1960, Morris

married the “girl across the street,” Trudy Roblow. Morris and Trudy lived in Beaumont until 1976 and then relocated to Orange, Texas. After his discharge from the Marines, Morris went back to work for Spencer Chemical which later became Gulf Chemical and then Chevron/Phillips. He loved his job and was a vital component for multiple expansions at that polyethylene facility-serving projects that took him all over the world—and after 40 years he retired as the HDPE Operations Superintendent.

Morris loved to hunt, fish, travel, and he loved hosting crawfish boils for his family and friends. In February 2014, Morris married Jeanne LaCour Williams Duhon. They resided in Lake Charles, enjoyed traveling together, attending Mardi Gras Balls, dinner with friends, and NCAA football games.

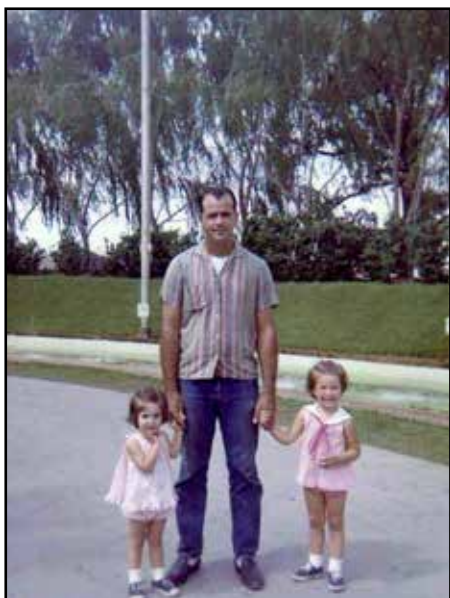
Morris is preceded in death by his wife of 48 years, Trudy; parents, Felix and Zoe Broussard Duhon; and siblings, Felix Duhon, Patty Rabb, and Fritz Duhon. Morris is survived by his loving wife, Jeanne LaCour Duhon; three daughters, Paula and Doug McCain of Lake Charles, Louisiana; and Jaliene and Les Holmes of Orange; and Stephanie Williams of Lake Charles, Louisiana; and a son, Darren and Kelly Williams of Houston; seven grandchildren, Mason McCain and his wife, Lauren; Monique Reason and her husband, Cody, of Chattanooga, Tennessee; Haley and Cameron Mauldin of Bridge City; Todd and Sharon Glaze of Bridge City; Derek Glaze of Deerfield Beach, Florida; and Ben and Max Williams of Houston.

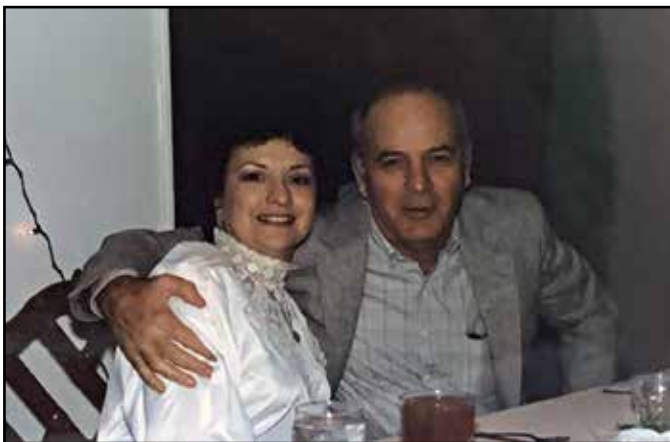
Morris has ten great-grandchildren, Garrett Worthy, Kamrie Worthy, and twins, Jacob and Jordan Worthy; Ava Grace McCain and Luke Maverick McCain; Mark Fisher Reason, Calvin Paul Reason, and Archie Ray Reason and Carter James Glaze. Also surviving him, nieces that he helped raise, Cindy Carpenter of Beaumont and Jan Sims of Frisco, as well as numerous other nieces and nephews.

The family would like to express sincere appreciation for the loving care that Morris received from the teams at Sage Oak of Lake Charles and Amedisys Hospice.





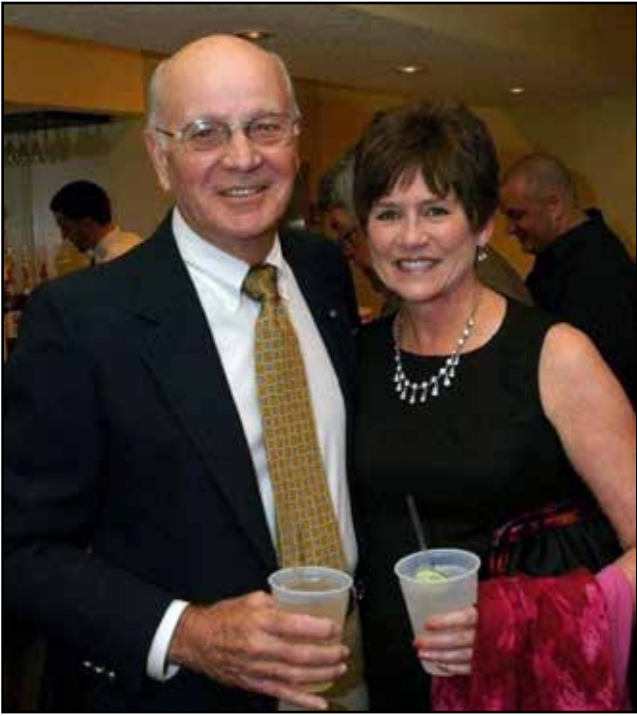




















## **The Serenity Prayer**

*God, grant me the serenity  
to accept the things  
I cannot change;  
Courage to change  
the things I can;  
and wisdom  
to know the difference.*

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Celebrant	Reverend Oli Arulsamy, S.V.D.
Deacon of the Mass	Reverend Mr. Steve Obernuferman
Placing of the Pall	His Family
Gift Bearers	Haley Mauldin and Cindy Carpenter
Lectors	Craig Adrio and Stephanie Williams
Eucharistic Ministers	Celebrant of the Mass, Deacon of the Mass Sharon Glaze
Cantor	Monique Reason
Pianist	Carl Stewart
Pallbearers	Derek Glaze, Todd Glaze, Ricky Glaze Darren Williams, Doug McCain, Mason McCain
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**Interment**

Forest Lawn Memorial Park  
Beaumont, Texas

**Military Honors**

Southeast Texas Veterans Service Group

**Memorial Contributions**

Mamie McFaddin Ward Cancer Center  
690 North 14th Street, 3rd Floor  
Beaumont, Texas 77702

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St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital  
501 St. Jude Place  
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