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Roy J. Conway

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VINTON, La. — Roy J. Conway, 76, died Friday, March 4, 2011, in his home.

He was a native of Vinton and attended St Joseph Catholic Church. He was a member of the American Legion, Pipefitter's Local 106, and the Knights of Columbus Council 6103. He was a loving father, and a wonderful husband and grandfather. He was a great friend to all. Everyone called him Pop.

Survivors include his loving wife of 50 years Jovita Conway; children, Patricia Ann Mulholland and her husband Bobby, of Bridge City, TX, Roy James Conway, Jr, of Vinton, Kimberly Conway-Pennick and her husband Doyle, of Sulphur, and Scooter Conway and his wife Vanessa, of Sulphur; brother Robert King Conway and his wife Mamie, of Orange, TX; sister-in-law Faye Conway, of Orange, TX, 12 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents Roy and Ethel Conway; and oldest brother John W. Conway.

Pallbearers will be Tadpole McLeod, Paul Adam Johnson, Byron Braquet, Kelly Alford, Bobby Mulholland and Benji Mulholland.

Honorary Pallbearers will be Thomas W. Jackson, Brennum Conway, and Stephen Pennick.

His funeral will be at 1 p.m. Monday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Vinton. Burial will be in St. Mary Cemetery in Orange, TX under the direction of Hixson Funeral Home of Vinton. Visitation will be from 5-9 p.m. Sunday with a rosary at 7 p.m. and from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Monday, all at the funeral home. Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.hixsonfuneralhomes.com.

Hixson-Sulphur Memorial Funeral Home

(337)625-9171

Guest Book

Melissa Peery Laughlin wrote:

Dear Jovita, Jay, Kim, and Scooter and all of the Conway family, I'm praying for God's peace and love to surround you all at this time of sorrow. I have such loving memories of Cuz that I will always cherish. He was truly a kind and loving man. I know he is rejoicing in Heaven with our loving Heavenly Father. I love you all and will be thinking and praying for you. Love, Melissa and Allison

March 7, 2011, 12:27 AM

Janie Stanley wrote:

Aunt Jovita my heart and prayers are with you, Jay, kim & scooter... I loved my Uncle James so very much...He always made me feel so loved as well as he did my children...He was a very good man Aunt Jo. I know he is in heaven with my baby boy BooBoo and I know he is bouncing him on his knee right now, That gives me great comfort knowing so... With love to you all Janie

March 6, 2011, 11:19 PM

Anonymous

Jovita, I am so sorry about James. He will be sorely missed. He was always funny and wonderful to be around. I cannot be there, but you will be in my prayers.

Love Shirley

March 6, 2011, 5:19 PM

Gary and Carol Barnes wrote:

Jovita,

We are saddened to hear James has left us for his heavenly home. You and your family will be in our prayers. He will be missed especially at reunion time here on earth...

Love,

Gary and Carol Barnes

March 6, 2011, 5:14 PM

Judy Vance Thompson wrote:

Jovita & Family

I have all of you in my Prayers.I wish I could be there for you at the funeral but I can't make it. I know we haven't seen each of in a while, but I think of you all the time. I will put your family on my prayer list. Love Judy Gail

March 6, 2011, 5:00 PM