



David Lee Coates Sr.

May 6, 1952 - December 27, 2025

David Lee Coates Sr. born 5-6-52 left this world for heaven on 12-27-25.

David's life was a beautiful song, with faith, family, and music as the harmonious refrain. His love for God was the melody that guided his every step, and he lived his values with a quiet strength that inspired us all. His family was the chorus that brought him the greatest joy, a source of endless laughter and unwavering support. And the music... it was the rhythm of his soul, a constant soundtrack to a life well-lived. He leaves behind a legacy of love and the echo of a beautiful life that will never be forgotten. He was preceded in death by his mom Velma Weeks Coates, dad LeRoy Coates, sister Linda Coates Herford, and son James (Jamie) Robert Coates.

He is survived by his wife of 54 yrs Mary Kay Tarleton Coates, Son David Lee Coates Jr., grandchildren Jamie Leeanna Coates & Wesley Wade Coates, sisters Phillis (Bobby) Jones, Sandra Griggs, brother Christopher (Charlotte) Coates, many cousins, nieces, nephews, great and great- great nieces and nephews, and loads of friends.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday January 10th, 11am at Calvary Baptist Church in Homer, LA.

The family asks that memorials be made to a heart health or alzheimers

organization of your choosing.

Previous Events

Memorial service

JAN 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Baptist
1993 LA-3062
Homer, LA 71040

Tribute Wall

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“ *Only the good die young, such a loss for the family. My condolences to you Kay, i know the feeling this loss brings. Stay close to the Lord, is much comfort to be found in His arms.*

E.F.Herford - December 29, 2025 at 06:11 PM

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“ *Sweet sweet soul ! Praying for David's family.*

Rhonda Shively - December 29, 2025 at 05:39 PM