



Ray Schoolar

April 27, 1935 - March 7, 2015

Ray Orr “Hot Dog” Schoolar, 79, passed away March 7, 2015, in Covington, Louisiana, following a brief illness.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife of 60 years, Rebecca Ann Gregory Schoolar; his son Greg Schoolar and wife Eleanor; grandson Nicholas Schoolar and wife Mandy; grandson Andy Schoolar; great-granddaughters Taylor Schoolar, Carly Schoolar and Ella Schoolar. He also leaves a brother John Earl Schoolar and wife Clara; as well as numerous other family members.

Born and raised in Winston County, Mississippi, he was the son of Roger H. Schoolar and Oattie M. Cockrell Schoolar. He graduated from Ellison Ridge High School and served in the United States Air Force. He married the love of his life Rebecca Ann Gregory in 1954 and they moved from Louisville, Mississippi, to Mobile, Alabama, where he started a 47 year career in food sales and management. His career took his family to Atlanta, Georgia; Jackson, Mississippi; and finally Mandeville, Louisiana, where he retired.

He was a member of First Baptist Church, Covington, Louisiana, and had many special friends in their bible study class there. He loved going to the worship service early so he could sit and listen to the organist practice.

He was kind, humorous, huggable, a handyman, loved to tease, compassionate, generous and a hero to many. He treasured spending time with his family. He and Ann built a lake house in Stone County, Mississippi, where he loved to spend time fishing, gardening, and sitting on the porch swing visiting with friends and watching the birds.

Visitation will be held Friday, March 13, 2015, from 6-8 p.m. at Nowell Massey Funeral Home, 724 North Columbus Avenue, Louisville, Mississippi 39339.

The service to celebrate his life will be Saturday, March 14, 2015, at 10:00 a.m. at Nowell Massey followed by burial at Perkinsville Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorials be sent to First Baptist Church in Covington, Louisiana at 16333 Louisiana Highway 1085, Covington, Louisiana 70433 designated to the Foreign Missions Fund.

Cemetery Details

Perkinsville Cemetery

Louisville, MS 39339

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Massey Funeral Home
724 N. Columbus Avenue
Louisville, MS 39339
(662) 773-3501
nowellfuneral@bellsouth.net
<https://www.masseyfuneralhome.net/>

Service

MAR 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

Nowell-Massey Funeral Home Chapel
724 N Columbus Ave
Louisville, MS 39339
nowellfuneral@bellsouth.net
<http://www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Ray Scholar*

January 29, 2023 at 06:32 AM



“ *Jill Pearson lit a candle in memory of Ray Scholar*



Jill Pearson - April 16, 2015 at 04:09 PM



“ *To the Family of Mr.Scholar,
I'm very sorry to learn about the loss of your Dear Loved One.
Please know that so many people share your grief with you to help
you through this difficult time of sorrow. Please accept my deepest
condolences as we await the time when Christ Jesus will awaken all
of those who have fallen asleep in death; including your Beloved,
Ray. (John 11:41-44)*

E. Cole - March 21, 2015 at 08:26 AM



“ *"Ms Ann- Ralph and I are sadden to hear
about Mr. Ray but he's in a better place he's
with our Lord. Our prayers are with you and
your family. We will miss him around here his
laugh and his smile, he'll be truly missed.*



Tammy Smith - March 16, 2015 at 01:32 PM

JA

“ Ann - So very sorry to learn about Ray. Such good memories spending time with you and Ray on your porch. Ray had a wonderful smile and laugh. He will be truly missed.

Janis and George Avery

Janis Avery - March 16, 2015 at 08:30 AM

RA

“ Ms. Ann, Carl and I are so sorry to hear about Mr. Ray. We always enjoyed our visits sitting on the porch at Rogers Lake with you and Mr. Ray, passing a good time! I will forever remember his laughter and smile. May God's blessing be with you and your family.



*With deepest sympathy,
Rosalie and Carl Armes*

Rosalie Armes - March 15, 2015 at 10:57 AM

BM

“ Ann, please know how saddened we were to hear about Ray's passing. He's in God's hands now, so things will be eternally perfect for him. And the fish at Rogers Lake will never have a better keeper and friend as Ray. God bless you and your family.

Bob & Nancy Mathis

Bob & Nancy Mathis - March 14, 2015 at 12:22 PM

RJ

“ *Ms Anne + Family
Wendy + I are so sorry to hear of Mr Ray's passing
He was a Special Person , Great Friend + Neighbor to all of us at
Rogers Lake
We will all miss him dearly
Please accept our heart-felt sympathy
Roy Caronna +Wendy Mader*

Roy Caronna Jr - March 14, 2015 at 11:18 AM

LS

“ *Dear Ann and family,

Ray was such a special person. Always ready to stop and have a
chat and help others in any way he could. We admired Ray for his
deep faith and devotion to Ann and his family. He will truly be
missed.*

Our deepest sympathy to his family.

Joe and Linda Spitz

Linda Spitz - March 14, 2015 at 10:20 AM

ST

“ *Sharon, Lester,Sr. Lester,Jr. Lauren, Leslie
McCoy & Taylor purchased the Blue & White Sym
pathy Basket for the family of Ray Schoolar.*



Sharon, Lester,Sr. Lester,Jr. Lauren, Leslie McCoy & Taylor -
March 13, 2015 at 12:14 PM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Ray Scholar.* ”



March 10, 2015 at 12:49 PM