



## Ray Anthony Downs

November 6, 1958 - May 15, 2016

RAY ANTHONY "BOO BOO" DOWNS, age 57 of Calhoun, Louisiana, formerly of Haymarket, Virginia passed away Sunday, May 15, 2016 at Glenwood Regional Medical Center, West Monroe, Louisiana.

Ray was born November 6, 1958 in Haymarket son of Harold and Evelyn Elkins Downs. He enjoyed the outdoors, fishing, music and his beer.

He is survived by three sons, Jason M. Downs (Brittany) of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Joshua B. Downs (Amanda) of Indianapolis, Indiana, and Raymond A. Downs (Lisa) of Calhoun, Louisiana; one daughter, Casey R. Downs of Newport, North Carolina; his parents, Harold and Evelyn Downs of Haymarket, Virginia; two brothers Wilbur F. Downs (Elina) of Broad Run, Virginia and Rex A. Downs (Dee) of North Carolina; two sisters, Jackie S. Meade (David, Jr.) of Manassas, Virginia and Teresa V. Downs of Haymarket, Virginia and nine grandchildren.

Services and Entombment will be private.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of flowers or contributions to the American Cancer Society, 124 Park Street, SE, Vienna, Virginia 22180 in loving memory of Ray "BooBoo" Downs.

Condolences may be sent to [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ I grew up with Boo Boo, he was my cousin. We had many good times together. We would play ball at Bootsies house or walk the railroad tracks near his house. Before church we would often have breakfast at Nannies. Sometimes we would go fishing at one of Bootsies farm ponds.

We had many good times at the Haymarket fireman's carnival, riding the hay ride with the girls, jumping off halfway and walking back holding hands. We used to go to Ordoffs restaurant and get a Pepsi and french fries with brow gravy. Sometimes we would walk to Dick's station, from Bootsies, get peanuts and put them in a coke.

Ray was a great baseball player and his good looks made him popular with the ladies. He also was a very good rock N roll drummer.

He will be missed, my heart goes out to his family.

I will miss him but I will never forget the good times we had.

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**Michael Malamphy** - July 24, 2016 at 02:04 PM

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“ Please accept my family's heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort in fond memories, and The Almighty God's promise in the Bible, to restore those asleep in death to perfect life on a paradise Earth.

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**Greene Family** - May 30, 2016 at 01:02 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ray Anthony Downs.*



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May 22, 2016 at 02:21 PM