



# Luther O. Buis

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**A**t 2:34am Monday, February 17, 2014 heaven received an angel. Luther Oscar Buis left this world in the arms of his bride of almost 60 years. In his last days, as in life, he was surrounded by love, laughter and tears. He has gone by many titles in his life, son, brother, US Marine, husband, father, friend, boss, uncle, ref, golf buddy, Papa, great-papa, pops. He leaves behind his wife Martha Ann Buis. Five children, Rick Buis, Butch Buis, Tina Shaw, John Buis and Amy Buis. Fourteen grandchildren Logan Von Hoene, Garrett Buis, Michael Buis, Shawn Buis, Steven Buis, Nick Stavros, Tanner Buis, Justin Buis, Dalton Shaw, Jewel Jones, Rossiter Hawkins, James Buis, Trey Buis and Jocelyn Charles. Eight great grandchildren Tanner Von Hoene, Cayden, Griffin Von Hoene, Greta Von Hoene, Mason Buis, Cayden McGoron, Bailey Buis, Ellie Buis and Evelyn Buis. Three sisters Genetta Wiggin, Louzette Mitchem and Loujette Denney. He has taught us so many things, how to live, how to love, to be hard workers, to be proud but humble, to be parents and friends, to never give up but know our limits, how to win and how to lose, when to have fun and when to grieve (sometimes within the moment). There are so many things that we will miss. No longer will we be able to say "hey dad, what do you think?". Now we need to think what would daddy say? He will never be far from our thoughts and always in our hearts. We can mourn his loss but celebrate how blessed we were to have him in our lives. He has touched so many in different ways. He leaves behind a legacy that very few have been able to accomplish. He was the most amazing man, to say he was loved is an understatement. He is now in heaven making his loved ones that have gone before him laugh. We will see him again, until then, we will live our lives the way he would expect us to. We will work hard, laugh out loud, love fiercely and be a family. A visitation will be held from 6-8pm on Wednesday evening, February 19, 2014 at the Moss Feaster Funeral Home, 693 S. Belcher Road, Clearwater, Florida. Funeral services will be held at 11am, Thursday morning,



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February 20th at Calvary Baptist Church, 1190 E. Lake Road S., Tarpon Springs, Florida with Reverend Victor Boll officiating. Burial will follow at Midway Cemetery in Palm Harbor, Florida. The family request contributions be made in memory of Luther O. Buis to Suncoast Hospice Foundation or to the

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.Friends and family may sign the guest book at [www.mossfeasterdunedin.com](http://www.mossfeasterdunedin.com) or [www.mossfeasterclearwater.com](http://www.mossfeasterclearwater.com)



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JC

**J.C. Charles** posted:

Thinking about you today buddy.

February 23 at 8:00 PM

BB

**Butch Buis** posted:

I heard today that grief comes in like a wave. That kinda sums it up. It just washes over you. Right now those waves are big breakers, I pray they get smaller. I miss you pops. You were truly one of the good guys! I was blessed to be your son. I love you!!

February 22 at 8:00 PM

PS

**Paul Stavros** posted:

On behalf of Gus and Frances Stavros, I would like to extend their condolences to the entire Buis Family. Luther is surely with the original carpenter in Heaven. He will be missed but reminders of him fill their home. Love to you all.

February 21 at 8:00 PM

PS

**Paul B Stavros** posted:

May God bless you all with comfort and love at this difficult time. May His peace fill your hearts and replace your sorrow.

February 21 at 8:00 PM

BM

**Bill Mccoige** posted:

Luther once told me he trained every decent cabinet maker in Pinellas County. As the years go by I've found more and more evidence of that, and I'm proud to say I'm one of the many. We all learned so much from him and loved him for it. I still look at my work and ask if Luther would approve. Thank You My Friend! Job Well Done Good and Faithful Servant! Welcome to Heaven :)

February 20 at 8:00 PM



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**Les Hammond** posted:

HE WAS A DAD TO ALOT OF US GROWING UP.BLUE DEVIL DAYS HE WAS THERE FOR MANY OF US. THOSE ARE GOOD MEMORYS.GOD BLESS HIM

February 20 at 8:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

charlene king and family

February 19 at 8:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. He will always be with you. My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Marie Labrie-Case

February 19 at 8:00 PM



**Sarah Houser** posted:

My deepest condolences to your family during this difficult time... He was a sweet & loving man, & I know will be profoundly missed by many. All my love & thoughts are with you guys.

February 19 at 8:00 PM



**Carolyn Hulette** posted:

Wonderful man !!

February 19 at 8:00 PM



**Margie Crews** posted:

Uncle Luther always had a big hug and smile for me whenever I saw him. He always made me feel a part of the family. My fondest memories are of Uncle Luther and Dad frying fish at the family get togethers. I'm going to miss him. My deepest condolences to Aunt Martha, Rick, Butch, John, Tina, and Amy.

February 18 at 8:00 PM



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HF

**Helena Vance - Fletcher** posted:

Dear Buis Family, I am so very sorry to hear of Luther's passing, he was truly a special man. I have so many special memories of working with him and the rest of the family at Continental Cabinet Shop. He was more like a second father to me than a boss. I think of all of you often. All of you will be in my thoughts and prayers. Love to all, Helena Vance Fletcher

February 18 at 8:00 PM

CS

**Cindy Swasey** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the Buis family. May you find strength and comfort in each other.

February 18 at 8:00 PM

SM

**Sandi Melkonian** posted:

Uncle Luther knew how to make everyone feel like they were his favorite person. He accepted you the way you were. His legacy lives on in each of his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. A true family man who instilled old fashioned values of family, work ethic, and integrity. He loved his family more than himself, just as Jesus asked him to. Dancing with the Angels now, talking with Katherine, Leo, Aaron, my Mom and as of today Mo. Please hug them all for me. You really are my favorite! I love you. Sandi

February 18 at 8:00 PM

AC

**Amy Charles** posted:

You were the best daddy. I can't even begin to comprehend that you are no longer here. I love you.

February 18 at 8:00 PM

HM

**Heather Mumaw** posted:

Only smiles with thoughts of you.

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BM

**Bill Marshall** posted:

Luther was my mentor. I work everyday with the experience he gave me. I am so happy to be able to say Luther was a big part of my life. He taught me so much. I will miss you Luther.

February 18 at 8:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Luther was a member of our Football officiating crew for many years. It was always fun to have him around when things got tough because he would find a way to bring out the best of the situation and inject some humor into it. A class man and a real character, I will always remember him. We were all blessed to have known him. All of our crew send sincere sympathy to the Family, Fred McClimans

February 18 at 8:00 PM

RS

**Robert & Debra Shaw** posted:

Our prayers and heart felt sympathy is with the whole family. How lucky this family was to have such a great father and grandfather. You can see and feel the love in this family just by looking at their family pictures.

February 18 at 8:00 PM

TG

**Trisha Garlick** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the Buis family. Luther was a great man and has a wonderful loving family. May he rest in peace and watch over you all. My deepest sympathy and love to you all.

February 18 at 8:00 PM

MW

**Mikemarsha Walton** posted:

Our deepest sympathy to all the family of Luther. Loucette is a dear, dear friend from Hartford, AL, Victory Tabernacle church and we have been praying for Luther and all the family. It is so hard to give up a dear loved one, but comfort comes from Our Lord, Jesus. All believers of Jesus will meet again in Heaven. We know this for sure as Jesus told us so in His Word. May He bless all of you. Marsha and Mike Walton

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**Niki & Billy Malveaux** posted:

We are sorry for your loss... You are all in our thoughts and prayers. We are so very sorry we can't be there with you during this difficult time. You are all in our hearts.

February 18 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Luther by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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