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**Byron Meaut(1951 - 2016)**

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October 25, 1951-July 13, 2016

St. Francisville, LA

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7. Byron Paul Meaut, 64, lost his courageous 13 month battle with brain cancer on Wednesday, July 13, 2016, at his home surrounded by his loving family. A native of Biloxi, MS and a resident of St. Francisville, LA. He was born on October 25, 1951 to C.A. (Buddy) Meaut & Jacqueline Meaut. His passion for baseball began at an early age. In 1969, after graduating from Notre Dame High School in Biloxi, he was drafted by the Montreal Expos. However, he chose to sign with the University of Mississippi where he was a member of the Ole Miss baseball team from 1969-1973 and pursue a degree in business. He moved to Louisiana where he became a successful independent furniture sales representative for over 40 years which earned him numerous furniture sales achievement awards. He had a love for golf, Ole Miss baseball and Ole Miss football. He was a member of the M Club at Ole Miss, a member of the Bluffs County Club, a parishioner of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Barbie, two daughters, Jennifer Adams (Tommy) and Morgan Meaut (Michael Honeycutt), mother Jacqueline Meaut, brother Craig Meaut and sister Becky Meaut Smith (Tom), 3 beautiful grandchildren, Anna and Hudson Adams, and Aubrey Honeycutt as well as numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father C.A. (Buddy) Meaut. Pallbearers include Mitch Kimble, Mike Kimble, Nic Smith, Brian Schweinefus, Ryan Pelletier, and Scott Bruce. Visitation will be held at Charlet Funeral Home in Zachary, LA on Friday, July 15, 2016, from 5 to 8pm. A funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, July 16, 2016, at Our Lady of Mount Carmel in St. Francisville, LA at 11:30am followed by the burial in Greenoaks Memorial Park in Baton Rouge, LA. To all who knew him, he will forever be remembered by his love of life, witty personality, a sense of humor that kept friends and family laughing and a love for his Ole Miss Rebels. "Life is a ballgame and Jesus is waiting for us at home plate."

**Funeral Home****Charlet Funeral Home, Inc. Zachary, LA**

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