



Mr. Robert Henry Slack

February 4, 1947 - May 21, 2023

In Loving Memory Of

Robert H. Slack, age 76 of West Monroe, Louisiana and Southfield, Michigan departed on Sunday, May 21, 2023 at Providence Hospital Southfield, Michigan. Robert was born to the late Roosevelt Slack and LaVesta King Slack on February 4, 1947 in Monroe, Louisiana.

Robert attended Richardson High School in West Monroe, Louisiana where he excelled in football, basketball and track. He received a scholarship to Grambling State University.

He worked as a millwright operator for Cleveland Cliffs and the automotive industry for over 50 +years.

Family, friends and work were Robert's passion. He spent most summers and holidays with family in West Monroe, LA. He was a Cub Scout Leader. He enjoyed listening to music, watching sports on T.V., playing cards, dominos, washing his cars, taking care of his lawn, working 7 days plus double shifts. His best quality was definitely his BIG SMILE. Robert was always encouraging people to be their very best. Robert was very proud of his family. For example, his words, his ideas have inspired, encouraged and helped build, shape and mold the character of many people. His positive influence will live forever in the lives of others.

In his later years Robert loved traveling, being around friends and family and spoiling his grandchildren.

Robert was happily married to the love of his life for more than 52 years, and

childhood sweetheart Jannie McClendon Slack of West Monroe, LA. The couple relocated to Michigan where they continued to live and raise their children together. To this union 3 children were born and a very special goddaughter.

Previous Events

Family Hour

Tuesday, May **30**. 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert Henry Slack.*



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“ *We are truly saddened at the passing of Bobby; on behalf of the UAW-Local 600-Steel Unit Membership & Committee we offer our heartfelt condolences to the family. Bobby was a credit to his trade as a Journeyman Millwright. His guidance, mentorship, and experience was invaluable to many apprentices, now Journeyman. He will be truly missed by all the men and women that were fortunate enough to work beside him. The heart aches for what it has loved and lost. Gently wrap yourself in the warm memories and let that hold you close and bring you Strength.*

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This is a tough one Bobby and Tyrone Watts worked with my dad so they kinda looked out for me. Bobby will be missed and so will the knowledge he took with him.

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