

## **Cowan**

A Mass of Christian Burial for Charles E. Cowan Jr., 65, of Dayton, was conducted on Monday, April 2, 2007, at the St. Joseph The Worker Catholic Church. Burial followed at St. Anne's Catholic Cemetery.

Charles was born April 11, 1941 in Lake Cormorant, Mississippi, the son of Charles E. Sr. and Marriett McElhaney Cowan. He has resided in the Dayton area for the past 24 years. He was a graduate of the Sacred Heart Catholic High School, security officer for Pinkerton and Wells Fargo, a former pro wrestler, and enjoyed guitar, poetry, gardening and raising birds.

He passed away on Saturday, March 31, 2007, at the San Jacinto Methodist Hospital Alexander Campus in Baytown. He was preceded in death by his parents; and sons, James and Charles Michael Cowan.

Survivors include his wife of 45 years, Linda Cloninger Cowan of Dayton; daughter, Janie Wendell and husband, Philip, of Crosby; son, Carl Cowan and wife, Anna, of Dayton; six granddaughters, Heather, Taylor, Chasity, Jamie, Mandie, and Kellie; sister, Sheryl Stovall and husband, Larry, of Mississippi; nephews, David and Jason Stovall of Mississippi; and numerous other relatives and friends.

Pace-Stancil Funeral Home, Dayton, handled the arrangements.