



Leroy George Peterson

July 24, 1949 - November 18, 2020

Leroy George Peterson was born on July 24, 1949, in Laquey, Missouri to Homer Alvin and Vernadell (Hickey) Peterson and passed away on November 18, 2020 at Lake Regional Hospital in Osage Beach, Missouri at the age of seventy-one years.

George grew up and attended school in Laquey. He entered the United States Navy on May 29, 1969 and served his country faithfully until his honorable discharge on April 23, 1971. George was united in marriage to the love of his life, Jennifer, on December 1, 1971 in Laquey and together shared thirty-six years of memories before her passing on October 5, 2008. George and Jennifer were blessed with two children: Mike and Tonja. He was a devoted husband to Jennifer and loving father to his children.

During his working career, George worked hard to provide for his family and taught his children the value of hard work. He was employed with Willard Asphalt for several years, worked as a janitor at the Richland School District, and retired from Quaker Windows after fifteen years of service.

George lived a simple life and enjoyed playing cards, especially pitch. He liked spending time outdoors hunting and fishing. His family was most important to him, and he truly cherished the memories made with them; especially with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

George was a man of faith and baptized at a young age. He attended Independence Baptist Church and truly enjoyed the fellowship and his Church Family.

George is survived by his loving children: Mike Peterson and wife Dee of Laquey, MO and Tonja Jarvis of Richland, MO; grandchildren: Karly Causey and husband Dennis of Laquey, MO, Ryan Jarvis and girlfriend Harmony Cline of Richland, MO, McKaylee Peterson and fiancé Shawn Larsen of Laquey, MO, and Kaitlyn Gipperich of Richland, MO; great-grandchildren: Desean Taylor, Dennis Causey III, Arabella Causey, and Haizlee Jarvis; extended family and friends.

Preceding him in death, his wife: Jennifer Peterson; parents: Homer and Vernadell Peterson; two brothers: Laverne Peterson and Bobby Peterson; and two sisters: Betty Hill and Linda Skidmore.

George will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of Leroy George Peterson.

Online condolences may be entered at wilsonmortuary.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM.

Independence Baptist Church

Memorial Service

DEC 5. 12:30 PM.

Independence Baptist Church

Tribute Wall

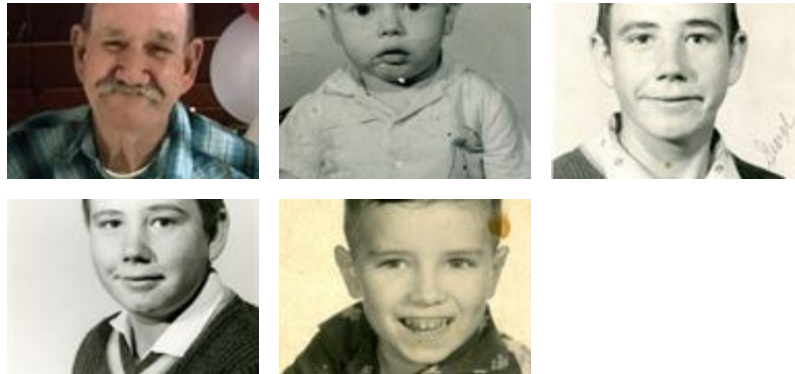
JS

“ *Our greatest sympathy to the family. A wonderful man who will be missed by all. - Jr Starnes and family.*

Jr. Starnes - December 05, 2020 at 11:59 AM



“ *156 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Wilson Mortuary - December 04, 2020 at 07:20 PM

JD

“ *George was an outstanding brother in the Lord and one of the kindest men I ever had the privilege of knowing. Our heartfelt love and sympathy to the whole family. He is in the presence of his Savior.*

John Dinwiddie - December 01, 2020 at 10:23 AM

DH

“ Peterson Family,
I am so very sorry to hear of your loss. George was such a nice man. I always enjoyed seeing him at church. He never failed to come and shake my hand and ask me how I was doing. He will be missed. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
With deepest sympathy,
Donna Harris

Donna Harris - November 21, 2020 at 09:07 AM

BC

“ Barbara Clark lit a candle in memory of Leroy George Peterson



Barbara clark - November 20, 2020 at 12:09 PM

MW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of Mr. Peterson's family in the difficult days ahead. May God grant you the strength, peace and comfort you need in your loss. He was a fine man, loved you all, and will be missed terribly, we know.

Martin & Georgia White - November 20, 2020 at 11:21 AM