



William LeRoy Peterson

June 25, 1938 - July 4, 2015

Mr. William LeRoy “Bill” Peterson, 77, passed away Saturday morning, July 4, 2015, at Witham Memorial Hospital in Lebanon. He was born in Ogden, Iowa on June 25, 1938, the son of late William M. and Glenden (Isley) Peterson.

Raised in Iowa, Bill attended Payton High School. He farmed early in his life and rode and broke horses until he joined the United States Navy in 1956 and served his country honorably until 1959.

He was married in Farrar, Iowa, on August 14, 1957, to Ann Claudette (Baldwin) Peterson. She passed away on September 16, 2005.

The couple resided in Mitchellville, Iowa and lived in Polk and Marshall Counties. During the period 1968-2003 they were residents of Marshalltown, Iowa. They moved to live in Alexandria, Virginia eighteen months prior to their arrival in Lebanon, Indiana on March 1, 2005.

Bill farmed off and on until he began working at Sears as a service repairman. After 33 years of service, he retired in 1996.

He was a dedicated family man. He enjoyed model trains, fishing and hunting pheasants. He had a fondness for horses and enjoyed watching Western movies. He was an avid NASCAR fan and liked to cheer on Dale Earnhardt,

Sr.

Memberships: Payton United Methodist Church – Payton, Iowa

Memorial Services will be held at the Farrar United Methodist Church in Farrar, Iowa at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 11, 2015, with Pastor Curtis DeVance, officiating.

Burial of Ashes to follow services at Graham Cemetery in Mingo, Iowa. Myers Mortuary and Boone County Crematory have been entrusted with the arrangements for cremation.

Survivors:

Three Daughters:

Cindy Thompson and husband, Jim - Lebanon, Indiana

Denise Oetker – Lebanon, Indiana

Elaine Rehak and husband, Tony – Brooklyn Park, Minnesota

Seven Grandchildren:

Brandy App

Amanda Woods

Jon Thompson

Brad Oetker

Amber Eady

Ashley Rehak-Rawlinson

Brec Rehak

Nine Great Grandchildren

Sister:

Millicent Adams and husband, Richard – Fairmont, Minnesota

Deceased: In addition to his parents and his wife, William was preceded in death by a son-in-law, Mike Oetker.

Memorials may be made to assist the family c/o Myers Mortuary.

Previous Events

Service

JUL 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

Farrar United Methodist Church
1118 NE 134th Avenue
Maxwell, IA 50161

Tribute Wall



“ *William LeRoy Peterson*

November 27, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ *Mark and Ann Thompson purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of William LeRoy Peterson.*



Mark and Ann Thompson - July 10, 2015 at 07:08 PM



“ *Jim Kat Ian Lisa Marilyn and Robert Dudley purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of William LeRoy Peterson.*



Jim Kat Ian Lisa Marilyn and Robert Dudley - July 06, 2015 at 10:51 PM



“ *Uncle Bill was one of a kind. Always so much fun to be around.. We sure missed them when they moved to Virginia and then to Indiana. We hold fond memories that will be with us forever.....Rest in Peace Uncle . Mark and Deb Baldwin*

Deb - July 05, 2015 at 07:23 PM

KB

Bill has been along time family friend he was such a nice man he will be missed but have very fond memories of him and his family. Kris Baldwin

Kris Baldwin - July 05, 2015 at 08:17 PM

LB

I have fond memories of Uncle Bill from growing up spending holidays and birthdays with him and Aunt Ann and cousins: Cindy, Denise and Elaine.

May he now be in his heavenly home.

Much Love, Liz Baldwin Birkenholtz

Liz Baldwin Birkenholtz - July 07, 2015 at 05:10 PM