



## James Henry Peters

November 23, 1939 - June 9, 2024

James Henry Peters, age 84, of Ozark, Arkansas, passed away, Sunday, June 9, 2024, in Ozark. He was born November 23, 1939 in White Deer, Texas to Albert Peters and Philomenia Nepper Peters. James was of the Catholic faith. He was a diesel mechanic and loved working on cars. He was the owner and operator of R&R mechanic shop and later in life worked for Doug Dickerson in Ozark, Arkansas. James was a jack of all trades. In his younger days, he really enjoyed fishing on the boat and has always loved spending time with family. He loved being a grandfather.

James is preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Carolyn Peters; one son, Wayne Barnett; four brothers, George, Billy, Johnny, and Sonny Peters; and one sister, Alberta Yoes.

James is survived by his wife of 24 years, Ruby Nichols; three daughters, Jayne Williams, Tootie Matsler, and Debbie Nichols; one son, Rick Bearden; one twin brother, Jerry Peters; one sister, Mary Farris; and numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, and nephews.

Visitation will be 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, June 12, 2024 at Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Graveside service will be 2:00 P.M., Thursday, June 13, 2024 at Saint Joseph

Cemetery, 114 Kern Lane in Paris, Arkansas, with Brother Casey White officiating, under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Kyle Williams, Duston Suggs, Daniel Perez, Darren Thornton, Ryan Moffatt, and Brody Thacker. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be TJ Walker, Roger Walker, Larry Walker, and Chris Baker.

To leave an online memorial visit [www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com](http://www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Saint Joseph Cemetery

114 Kern Lane  
Paris, AR 72855

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **12**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home  
2315 West Commercial Street  
PO Box 680  
Ozark, AR 72949  
(479) 667-4147  
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Graveside Service

JUN **13**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Saint Joseph Cemetery  
114 Kern Lane  
Paris, AR 72855

## Burial

JUN 13 (CT)

Saint Joseph Cemetery  
114 Kern Lane  
Paris, AR 72855

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Pete was a good friend always helping others so many good memories he always had that big smile and a good story. We are all gonna miss you. Rest in Peace our good friend. Bobby and Lisa B.* ”

**Bobby B.** - June 11, 2024 at 11:05 PM

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*Loved and appreciated James. He could and would fix most anything. I have seen him in the dark, in the mud, on his back working on a dozer!*

**Wilma Dickerson** - June 13, 2024 at 12:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Henry Peters.* ”



June 11, 2024 at 08:05 PM