



John J. Peters

October 16, 1926 - July 15, 2014

John J. Peters, 87, of Jonestown, passed away on Tuesday, July 15, 2014, at the Lebanon Good Samaritan Hospital. He was the husband of the late Rosanna M. Rudegear Peters.

Born in Port Carbon on October 16, 1926, he was the son of the late Charles and Victoria Bensing Peters. John retired from Hershey Co., where he had worked in production. He served in the US Army during WW II.

John was a member of the Jonestown American Legion. He enjoyed the outdoors, working with his bulldozer, spending time upstate and going to the Hollywood Casino. He especially enjoyed attending auctions and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his sons Charles J. and his wife Wendy of Lebanon, Jeffrey P. and his wife Paulette of Lebanon, William R. and his wife Charline of Lebanon and Andrew A. and his wife Tammy of Hillsgrove; his daughter Rita M. wife of Jeffrey Bates of Palmyra; 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his brothers Allen, Richard and Bob.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 18, 2014, at 9:30 AM at the Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory, Rt. 72 & Camp Meeting Rd., Jonestown. A viewing will be held one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow at the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 610 Community Way, Lancaster, PA 17603.

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