



Emmitt "Pete" C. Plunkett

December 14, 1929 - June 26, 2013

Emmitt "Pete" Calvin Plunkett entered Heaven's gates on Wednesday, June 26, 2013 at the age of 83. Pete was born December 14, 1929 in Vian, Oklahoma to Robert Marion Plunkett and Maudie Tackett Plunkett. He grew up in Wetumka later moving to Choska Bottoms in Haskell, Oklahoma where he attended school. Pete was a proud member of the 45th Infantry Division of the United States Army serving in the Korean War. He later received an honorable discharge in April 1952. Pete returned home to Porter, Oklahoma where he began courting Ms. Evelyn Stockton. It wouldn't take long before Pete knew she was the one. He married his true love on July 8, 1952 in Van Buren, Arkansas; celebrating 60 years of marriage.

Pete worked as the service manager for Goodyear Tire Company from which he retired after 20 years of service. He would later work for Parkview-Oklahoma School for the Blind where he made many friends with the school kids, helping them in any way he could.

Pete was a faithful and active member of Keefeton Freewill Baptist Church. He also served as a board member on the Keefeton Volunteer Fire Department and a former board member of Rural Water District #5.

Pete will truly be missed by all who knew and loved him.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Leland, Raymond, and Wilby.

Pete is survived by his wife, Evelyn, of the home; three sons, Gary Plunkett and wife, Diane, Terry (Speck) Plunkett and wife, Jan, all of Muskogee; Mike

Plunkett and wife, Lisa of Wagoner; grandchildren, Kara Plunkett Webster and husband, Danny, Gary Don Plunkett, Jeff Plunkett and wife, Amy, David Fuller, Karri Parker and husband, Roy, Jeff Fuller, Maye Lynn Kirk, Cody Plunkett, Michelle Plunkett Rogers and husband, Michael, Emily Jane Roebuck and husband, Jim; 16 great grandchildren; sister, Mary Lou Plunkett Reese and husband, Ralph of Lampasas, TX; brother, Bobby Joe Plunkett; numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and friends, who he loved like family. The Plunkett family will receive friends and visitors from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, June 30, 2013 at Cornerstone Funeral Home.

Funeral services celebrating Pete's life will be 2:00 p.m., Monday, July 1, 2013 at Keefeton Freewill Baptist Church with Pastor Danny Barks, Dr. Steven Rose, and Rev. Jim Roebuck officiating. Interment will follow at Memorial Park Cemetery with Full Military Honors. Pallbearers will be Cody Plunkett, Troy Thornton, Jeff Plunkett, David Barks, Gary Don Plunkett, and David Crossland. Honorary pallbearers will be Judd Scott, Jake Lawson, Jake Walker, Greg Blankenship, Robert Plunkett, Truman Webb, Steve Merrill, Raymond Bray, and all Keefeton Volunteer Firefighters.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

7600 Old Taft Rd.
Muskogee, OK 74401

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 28. 2:00 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home & Crematory
1830 North York Street
Muskogee, OK 74403
(918) 682-1500

Visitation

JUN 29. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

JUL 1. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Service

JUL 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

Keefeton Freewill Baptist Church
11701 Highway 64 South
Muskogee, OK 74403

Tribute Wall



“ Emmitt "Pete" C. Plunkett

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ I miss you grandpa Pete love you and we all love you so much I still remember you always love me 😊



cloie carpenter - July 12, 2016 at 10:19 PM



“ You will always have a very special place in my heart. You and Evelyn have been very special to both Bill and myself for over forty years. We have many fond memories to cherish. Looking forward to seeing you again on those golden streets. Love you, Cathey Cavner

Catherine Cavner - July 02, 2013 at 09:29 PM



“ Sweet uncle Pete, I think of you and aunt Evelyn and the boys and the great times we all had on the few trips we made to you're home in Muskogee it makes me smile, those family times i will hold on to forever. Pete you will be in good company up there with dad and uncle Shorty and uncle Raymond (God bless you and the family you leave behind)

Kim Plunkett Molzhon - July 01, 2013 at 10:40 AM

SM

“ I was the bookkeeper at OTASCO when Pete worked there for awhile. He was one of the kindest, considerate and nicest people I have had the opportunity to be around. Always greeted with a smile and kind word to you. You have lost a very special family member, which I know you don't have to be told. May God be with all of you and know he greeted the gates with a smile! My prayers are with you all at this difficult time.

Shirley Martin

Shirley Martin - June 30, 2013 at 12:58 PM

GB

“ To the Plunkett family-
I had the pleasure to have worked with Pete when I worked at Goodyear as a very young man. Pete was a great example to me and taught me that kindness and compassion were more important than hate and revenge. I truly enjoyed my time with Pete and will always be grateful for having known him.

Grover Barnard

Grover Barnard - June 30, 2013 at 07:32 AM

GA

“ You will be totally missed! You gave the best hugs in the world, and you made me your honorary daughter!!! We Love you Pete. You will always be in our hearts!
Gail...and the Keefeton Crew

Gail - June 29, 2013 at 07:46 PM



“ Though time can pass and families change, Pete will always be one of the kindest, caring, most honorable men our family has ever known. God bless you Evelyn and family, I love you and will be praying for Gods comfort and peace to cover you.

Lynnette Kirk Thompson - June 29, 2013 at 11:51 AM



“ I love you a bushel and a peck papa!

Amy Plunkett - June 29, 2013 at 12:23 AM



“ I remember the 1st time I ever met Papa, he was so sweet to me and every time i seen him after that he greeted me with a hug and a kiss on the forehead, he was an amazing man and he will never be forgotten, they dont make men like him anymore, he was an amazing father, husband and grandfather. Papa you will be terribly missed, i will never forget you and i will do my best to take care of Jeff for you. Love you a bushel and a peck. Xoxo

Amy Plunkett - June 29, 2013 at 12:21 AM



“ Papa Pete I'll miss your big hugs and you telling me, "Sis, you better keep Troy in line". You and Evelyn set the perfect example of how a marriage should be. I hope that Troy and I will have a love like yours. I know you'll be watching us and I'll be expecting my big hug when I get there. Love you

TroyandCarrie Thornton - June 28, 2013 at 08:10 PM

KP

“ *Papa Pete, your legacy will live on. God has an awesome man walking with Him now. We will never forget you.*

karri parker - June 28, 2013 at 01:25 PM

PC

“ *Pete, I'm really gonna miss you. You were the nicest man I have ever met in my life. You and Evelyn were and are an inspiration to everyone, your love for life, the KVFD, the church, God and each other. You will be missed but never, ever forgotten.*
Love ya, Phyllis

Phyllis Chupp - June 27, 2013 at 11:06 AM