



Walter Pete Crisler

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Walter David "Pete" Crisler

Funeral services for Pete Crisler will be held Thursday, October 9, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. at the Hallsville Church of Christ with Jason Reeves officiating. Burial will follow in the Adkins Cemetery in Homer, LA. Arrangements are under the direction of Rader Funeral Home of Longview. Pete died at his home Monday, October 6th after a long, hard battle with cancer. He was born January 19, 1943 in Athens, Claiborne Parrish, LA to Walter Marvin and Dessie Hawk Crisler. After graduating high school in Athens, Pete joined the United States Navy. He proudly served from 1961 to 1964. After a few short stints at various jobs, Pete found his niche in the oilfield. From building bolted tanks to owning his own oilfield construction to sales of production equipment, he had done it all. He made many, many dear friends along the way.

On November 19, 1965, Pete married Sandra McKenzie in Homer, LA. From this union came two children, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren with one more on the way. Pete loved his family more than anything else, especially his "grandbabies". After living in Homer, Bossier City, Longview, and Hallsville, Pete and Sandy created a beautiful home and farm in New Diana. Pete loved his land, cows, and horses.

During the last few weeks, Pete was surrounded by his large family and cherished friends who showered him with love and memories.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, and brothers, Don and Dalton Crisler.

Those left to cherish his memory include his loving wife of 42 years, Sandy Crisler; his son Gregg Crisler; his daughter Kim Cochran and husband Jimmy; his grandchildren Candace Borden and husband Jared, Hunter Cochran, Payton Crisler, Brayden Crisler and Starlynn Crisler; great grandchildren Brooks and Brodi Borden; a special nephew Mike Crisler; Pete's siblings Billy Crisler and wife Ruth of Minden, LA, Jim Crisler and wife Becky of Athens, LA, John Crisler and wife Betty of Shreveport, LA, and sister Rita Williams and husband Charlie of Shreveport; sisters-in-law, Betty Crisler and Mary Clark and husband James all of Longview; and many, many friends, too numerous to even count, all whom he loved and cherished.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, October 8, at the funeral home.



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The family would like to say a special thank you to HeartsWay Hospice and especially his nurse Susan Hill and her family, for all the help and love shown during this time.

Pallbearers will be Joe Franks, Wesley Mahone, Rex Murdock, Lewis Eckerdt, Billy Ray Simmons, Jimmy Spiegner, Mike Matte and David McLeod. Honorary Pallbearers will be Richard Reid, Kenneth Burks, Jake Williams, Brandon Curtis, Sammy Curtis and Eddie Abbott.

The family requests in lieu of flowers, that memorials be made in honor of Mr. Crisler to: Adkins Cemetery Pavilion Fund, Patsy Peterson, 744 Bella Vista Rd., Homer, LA., 71040.



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous posted:

Sandy, Kim & Greg, We will continue to keep you all in our prayer and thoughts. Pete will be missed and we all love him very much. Love to all of you and your families...Shannon, Toni, Elizabeth, Lance & Devon##imported-begin##Toni Ivey##imported-end##

October 10 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I have known Pete for many years. He loved his family dearly. He will be greatly missed. Sandy, Kim & Greg you will be in my prayers.##imported-begin##Debbie Barnett##imported-end##

October 8 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying for your family during your time of loss. Candace is my Best friend and I know that she loved her "Papaw" dearly!##imported-begin##Crystal Adams##imported-end##

October 8 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Papaw,I love you and will miss you dearly. You were and will forever be my hero. Until we meet again, I love you papaw.Candace##imported-begin##Candace Borden##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Your family will be in our thoughtsand prayers. Ward and Stacy Sutton & Margie Lee##imported-begin##Stacy Sutton##imported-end##

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Anonymous posted:

Kim I know you are missing your dad. Just listening to you talk about him lets me know you have a lot of wonderful memories. Hold those memories close to you heart. Your family will be in our prayers. God Bless##imported-begin##Greg Linda and Brandon Pyle##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Sandy, Greg and Kim, Such a blessing to our lives to have known Pete. Mike looked up to Pete and will forever hold him close to his heart. You know we are here for you all. Love, Mike & Debbie Matte##imported-begin##Debbie Matte##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We were so sorry to hear the news. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Mack & Renee Smelley##imported-begin##Renee Smelley##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our prayers are with all of Pete's loved ones. He will also be missed dearly by his friends. Lords Grace Edgar & Laurie Graham##imported-begin##Edgar Graham##imported-end##

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Anonymous posted:

Sandy, Kim, and Gregg we are thinking of you all and praying for you. Frank keeps telling stories of the years that we were all together at the city. Remember all the good times that you had together with Pete and these will help get you through these hard times. Know we are praying for all of you. Keep God close and he will take you through this. Love Betty and Frank##imported-begin##Betty Craig##imported-end##

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Anonymous posted:

To the Crisler family, My sincere sympathy to you in your time of loss. Through my years knowing Jeanette, I always heard how special "Uncle Pete" was to everyone. Angels are rejoicing as your loved one has joined the Lord in heaven...my love and prayers for you all. To GOD be the Glory!##imported-begin##Susan R. Davis##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Gregg, You and your family are in our prayers during this time of sorrow. Sincerely, Neal Denton##imported-begin##Neal Denton##imported-end##

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Anonymous posted:

Having been a neighbor to Pete and Sandy, we have many memories of seeing him with his cows and horses. We shared some West Texas quail hunts, always fun to be with. His family was important to him. He loved his Home and his Land. Many evenings we could look across the fields and see him working in his garden. He loved his garden! And shared his food with others. All of us will miss Pete. Our Love goes out to his Family. He loved life. And I just know that right now, he is planting a most beautiful garden in Heaven. We love all of you.##imported-begin##Ralph & Pat Russell##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Gregg and Kim, We're so sorry to hear about your Dad. All of you will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jeff and Sheila Zimmermann##imported-end##

October 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Sandra, Pete will be missed so much. He has been an inspiration to me during my fight with cancer. Pete always had a smile on his face even when he was not feeling good. May God Bless You.##imported-begin##Dewayne Blackmon##imported-end##

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Walter by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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