



Lawrence "Sonny" Pete

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Lawrence "Sonny" Pete, age 73, of Amherst passed away peacefully Sunday, January 19, 2014 at New Life Hospice Center of St. Joseph.

He was born on January 7, 1941 in Wakeman, Ohio to Steve and Dora (nee Jackson) Pete and attended Firelands Schools. Sonny enlisted with the United States Army National Guard on September 12, 1962 and was honorably discharged on September 11, 1965 after serving a three year enlistment.

Sonny was a member of St. Peter United Church of Christ in Amherst, Gibson Masonic Lodge #301, Amherst VFW, the Wellington Eagles and the Scottish Rite of Cleveland.

He was an avid sportsman and enjoyed golf and softball. His family was very important to him and loved spending time with them.

Sonny is survived by his wife of 48 years, Susan (nee Frederick); sons, Steven L. (Colleen), of Wellington, Lance W. (Theresa), of Marysville and Brent C. (Colleen), of Amherst; grandchildren, Kelly, Robert, Steven and Kyle; father, Steve Pete; sister, Carol Law.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Dora Pete; brothers, Kenneth and Robert Pete; father and mother-in-law, Louis and Donna Frederick; and his granddog, Macy. The Pete family will receive friends on Saturday, January 25, 2014 from 10:00 – 12:00 noon in the Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, 1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst where a memorial service will follow the visitation at 12:00 noon. Services will be conducted by the Gibson Masonic Lodge # 301. Private family inurnment will take place at a later date.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made in memory of Sonny to New Life Hospice, 3500 Kolbe Road, Lorain, OH 44053.



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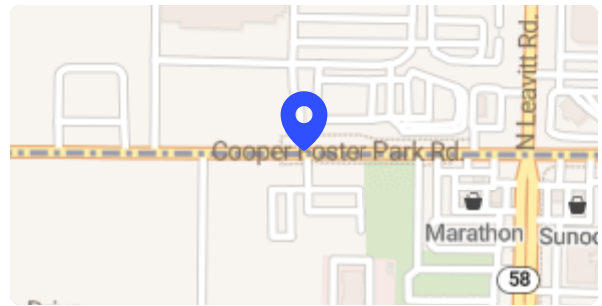
Visitation

 **Saturday**, January 25, 2014

 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

 **Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center**

1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst OH 44001





Tribute Wall

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JQ

John Quarando posted:

Sue, We would like to extend our condolences to you and your family. We were out of town and could not come to the showing. Thoughts and prayers are with you. John and Pam Quarando

January 26 at 6:38 AM

RH

Ron Hause posted:

Sue, Lance and Brent, You have my deepest condolences on the passing of your husband/father. I remember Sonny from many years ago when I first met him. A great guy. My best to all of you and your family. Ron Hause

January 25 at 4:47 AM

CF

Chris Farlow posted:

Brent Sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers with your family today. Your Friend, Chris Farlow

January 25 at 4:30 AM

DA

Dale Terry posted:

I am sad to hear about Sonny. My heart goes out to you Sue and the rest of your family. Dale Terry

January 24 at 3:05 PM

FP

Francine Pedigo posted:

Sue and family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Francine Pedigo (Amherst Manor)

January 24 at 3:41 AM

MS

Maryellen Sasso posted:

Sonny was a remarkable man, and I will never forget the time we sat and waited for Howard and Sonny told me just how incredibly lucky he felt to have been loved by Susan.

January 24 at 12:28 AM



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Karen Fisher posted:

Dear Sue and family. I was so sorry to hear of your husband's death. Please know that you have been in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. With deepest sympathy, Karen Fisher.

January 23 at 8:28 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Pete family.



January 23 at 7:09 AM



With My Very Deepest Sympathy Love, Marietta sent a Secret Garden Basket to the Pete family.



January 23 at 3:27 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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