



Fredrick "Fred" Peters

February 8, 2015

Fredrick Lynn "Fred" Peters, age 66, went to be with the Lord peacefully on Sunday, February 8, 2015, surrounded with love. He was born July 6, 1948 in Athens County, Ohio to the late Harry and Shirley Harder Peters. He was an active member of the Jackson First Church of the Nazarene, a veteran of the United States Navy, a member of Orphans Friend Lodge #275 F. & A.M. of Wilkesville.

Fred was a very humble man who loved and adored his family, especially his 15 grandchildren. He was a 1966 graduate of Wilton High School in Wilkesville, Ohio; attended Rio Grande University and went on to serve four years in the United States Navy, where he learned to cut hair.

Upon completion of service to his country, he obtained his barbers license from the Andrews Barber College in Columbus, Ohio. After several years of working in Columbus and Lancaster, nearly 35 years ago, Fred took a chance and started his shop in Jackson, Ohio, which is now The Village Hair Cutters. He took pride in his work and believed everyone should be greeted with a smile and treated like family. Through time he slowly impacted generation after generation of families and was sure to always keep tabs on the kids as they grew to become men, the men who are now bringing their children in today.

Fred is survived by his wife of 29 years, Cathy Harris Peters; sons: Ryan (Alli) Peters, Shane (Toria) Brown and Jason (Shelley) Brown; daughters: Lindsey (Jon) Blackburn, Shelly (Ronnie) Sheets and Lisa (John) Browning; sisters: Beverly Mynster, Emilie (Gary) Wells and Connie (John) Palmer; brother-in-law Bill (Mary Ann) Harris; grandchildren: Chelsey Sheets, Kaetlyn Sheets, Haydn Brown, Cody Brown, Joshua Sheets, Norah Brown, Justin Sheets, Owen Brown, Thatcher Brown, Lukas Brown, Maggie Blackburn, Miles Blackburn, Max Blackburn, Brady Brown and Phoebe Brown.

He is also survived by nieces and nephews: Shawn (Veronica) Mynster, Matthew (Rebekah) Mynster, Gary (Amy) Wells, Greg (Stacey) Wells, Teresa (Mike) Boysel, Jay Palmer, Andy (Sarah) Harris and John (Brandy) Harris and also lovingly opened his home to Richie Dowler as well as a long list of others. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother-in-law, Earl Mynster.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 11, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home with Pastors Mike Parcel and Wayne Searls officiating. Burial will follow in the Fairmount Cemetery with military graveside services. Family will receive friends Tuesday, February 10, 2015 from 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home with Masonic services being held at 7:30 p.m. by the Orphans Friend Lodge #275 F. & A.M. of Wilkesville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Fred's name can be made to the Jackson County Heart Support Group, P.O. Box 925, Jackson, Ohio 45640.

Condolences can be emailed to: www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Rest in peace brother Fred! will miss our barbershop conversations. Say hello to your dad Harry when you meet up.*

Chuck brown - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

PB

“ *Fred was my boyfriends barber for many years.I have only known him 14 years but he was a great guy..Jimmy Riddle and I will miss him so much.. You are pain free now RIP Fred!*

Patti Burris - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

CA

“ *I am very sorry for your loss!! Fred was such a great guy. I am sure he will be missed by the community. Fred always was so kind and happy! May God bless you and your family at this time.*

Connie Arthur - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

CC

“ *Love and prayers to all Fred's family .*

Carolyn Crabtree - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

KD

“ Fred was the perfect example of kindness and had such a big heart for others. While visiting my grandparents, Ralph & Madeline Wiseman as a child, we would often make the drive up to the farm on the hill to visit with Uncle Harry and Aunt Shirley Peters, Freddie, Beverly, Emily and Connie. What happy memories I have of sitting on the swing there on the hill and being surrounded with such good people. You will be missed Fred, but remembered well. Love, Kristi Winkler

Kristi Winkler (Karen Kessell's daughter) - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

PB

“ I've known Fred for 30 years or more as first a customer and then a friend. I still have a picture of him giving my son his first haircut, which I treasure. He was a kind, gentle man with a wonderful sense of humor and a very big heart. I will miss him very, very much. For his family, you have my sympathy and my love.

Paul Brown - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

MK

“ My most sincere and heartfelt condolences to Fred's family. I've know Fred for 30 + years. He was the ONLY one I would let cut my hair. We would always cut up with each other, have some smart alec comment for each other and usually some rude name calling too. Lol I loved this guy from day one! He never failed to make me laugh. You could tell he simply loved doing his job. I imagine the people he touched each day touched him as well. Fred was truly a beautiful human being. I will miss him dearly. My love to the family and hopes for a gentle healing for your loss.

Michael Keeton - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

WM

“ I'd like to offer my most sincere and heartfelt condolences to Cathy and rest of Fred's family. Fred gave me my very first haircut over 30 years ago, and between then and now, he has been a very important part of my life. Through all those Saturday mornings at the barbershop, we built a friendship that I'll cherish forever. We suffered through the hardships of being Cleveland Browns fans together, and talked about the Ironmen and Buckeyes all the time. But the thing that will always stick with me the most is how much Fred truly cared about what was going on in my life. He was a kind and compassionate person and I'm lucky to have had the chance to get to know him. I'll miss him more than words can describe.

Wes Morgan - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

AM

“ Fred was a wonderful man! My family and I send our prayers to all of his loved ones. He was the first barber to cut my hair (Toni Tennile style) and he cut my dad's and brother's for years. Fly high with the angels!

Amanda Wittkamp Molihan - June 29, 2018 at 10:26 AM

AS

“ To Beverly and Emily,
So sorry to hear of the passing of your brother! We never knew him, however, we heard of him as being an outstanding member of the community! Laverne and I send our prayers for you all and hope that you will trust in God for that day of reunion with Fred on the other side of this life. May God richly bless you and give you the peace that only He can give.....Love & Prayers Arlen & Laverne Spires

Arlen & Laverne Spires - February 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM