



## Cecil James Peters

February 6, 1946 - June 23, 2017

A private memorial service for Cecil Peters, 71, of Enid, will be held at a later date. Cremation arrangements are by Anderson-Burriss Funeral Home & Crematory.

Cecil was born to Louis Edward and Mary Edna (Howard) Peters on February 6, 1946, in Enid, and passed away on Friday, June 23, 2017, at his home in Enid.

Cecil grew up on the family farm south of Enid. He attended Enid Memorial High School, and Enid Business College. Cecil married Carol A. Mize in 1967, and they had 3 children. In 1975 he opened and began operating Cecil's Jewelry. He loved to work and enjoyed spending time at the shop. Cecil was a hard worker and a loving husband, father, and grandfather.

Cecil is survived by his wife Sherry; children Kenneth Peters of Colorado, Greg Peters (Michelle) of Piedmont, Tara Quigley (Keith Mason) of Enid, Terry Odenwald (Marion) of Tulsa, and Terry Allen (Dedee) Stough of Texas, 16 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren; brother, John Peters (Darlene); and three sisters, Phyllis Graumann, Lorene Harnish, and Jean Taylor (Bruce). He was preceded in death by his parents and first wife Carol.

# Tribute Wall

MW

“ Cecil was such a wonderful person and I will miss my friendly conversations with him and his wonderful talent for fixing all the brainstorms I had to change my jewelry!!! Over the years that Cecil and Sherry have been taking care of all my jewelry repairs we had developed a very warm friendship and Cecil will be greatly missed by all his many customers in Enid and all the surrounding small towns that utilized his caring service for their valuable jewelry pieces. I love this great picture of him with his warm smile and his gentle smiling eyes. I extend my love and condolences to Sherry and his family members.

Sherry, I have a card that I carry in my purse which says: LOVE LIVES ON Those we love remain with us for love itself lives on, And cherished memories never fade Because a loved one's gone. . . Those we love can never be more than a thought apart, For as long as there is memory, They'll live on in the heart.

I carry this card in my billfold, my Virgil has been gone 10 years and I even had this put on his stone at the cemetery. I hope this little poem brings you some comfort, so glad you have your new dog to help you through this loss. Much Love to You, Evonne Wymer, Fairview, OK

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**M. Evonne Wymer** - July 14, 2017 at 06:01 PM

MD

“ Sending condolences to the family ....thoughts and prayers to all. From....Elizabeth (Peter) Lee and family

Mother saw it in Enid paper and mentioned to me ...She has been living with me for 4 /2 years now but doesn't get out very much. She will be 93 years old in October.....Mary Beth

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**Mary Dungan** - July 08, 2017 at 10:52 AM

RS

“ I only knew of Cecil through having various jewelry pieces sized or repaired over the past many years. He was such an honest person and did such great work at very reasonable prices. My heart and prayers are with Cecil's family.

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**Rosie Stubbs** - June 30, 2017 at 01:45 PM

MR

“ To Cecil -- a man who never forgot you and always made my various baubles shine. Now you can make the angels' wings forever gleam with a heavenly glow. You will be missed my friend. Donec Obviam Interum. Mary Kate

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**mary kate reading** - June 30, 2017 at 09:55 AM

RH

“ We have goner to Cecil's since 1975. We had purchased Jewelry from Madison's Jewelers & Butch referred us to Cecil for some repairs. He was easy to talk to & he made us feel like you were already friends. He usually spoke with a little laugh. He was very trustworthy and gave great advice, even if it would cost him a sale. He wasn't out to make a big profit & he had a really big heart. Rest in peace, Cecil! Prayers for comfort & peace for Sherri & all the family. 💙🙏💙

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**ROY & MELODY HILDEBRAND** - June 30, 2017 at 04:06 AM

KL

“ Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you. Our families never took our jewelry anywhere but to Cecil's. He will always be remembered for his kind heart and true honesty. We will Never find another Cecil! God Bless, Klista Kisner -Loomis

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**klista** - June 29, 2017 at 11:29 PM

RF

“ My family would like to send sincere condolences to the Peters family for the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and hope from the Bible promise at Isaiah 25:8. Please, pray constantly, avoid isolation, and lean on God as you cope during this most difficult time.

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**Richardson Family** - June 29, 2017 at 08:57 PM

JR

“ He cleaned up what jewelry we could locate after our house burned. We lost our granddaughter in the fire. He was so compassionate. I trusted and cared for him.

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**Ja Net Rowe** - June 29, 2017 at 08:37 PM

NA

“ I had just met Cecil after losing my Mother a little over a year ago. He had fixed a wedding ring and a pearl bracelet of hers for me. Such precious items of hers. Will greatly miss this mans many talents with jewelry.  
My prayers are with his wife and family. May God grant you peace and strength today and days to come.  
Nancy Anthony

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**Nancy Anthony** - June 29, 2017 at 02:44 PM

SS

“ Cecil will be greatly missed. We have been a customer of his for many many years. He has always been so kind when we entered the shop. He helped us share many memories with our family and children with his special gift of creating beautiful jewelry. His family is in our thoughts and prayers. Sally and Tommy Stevens

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**Sally & Tommy Stevens** - June 29, 2017 at 12:31 AM

TD

“ Cecil was a great honest man and who stood behind his work. We did many years of business with him through zales. My prayers are going out to Sherry, Tara, and Jarron, may the peace of God be with your family.

Tina Dutcher - June 28, 2017 at 09:42 PM

FP

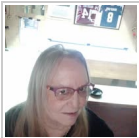
“ Cecil was a honest, good person who we will miss very much. I always enjoyed chatting with him. Our condolences to Sherry, Tara and his greater family. Fred & Kim--Kim's Coins of Enid.

frederick Pepe - June 28, 2017 at 03:09 PM

FA

“ Cecil was always so kind to everyone and had a sweet smile on his face. He was a talented jeweler. I am glad I knew him. We will miss him.

Fara - June 28, 2017 at 02:58 PM



“ Sincere condolences to family/friends.....

Donna Nimmo - June 28, 2017 at 01:00 PM

TW

“ We are so sorry for your loss!! Cecil was a kind and loving man. Loved visiting when we came in and will truly miss. Prayers for your family!!  
Tara Wilson

tara wilson - June 28, 2017 at 11:27 AM

CW

“ Sherry and family.. my heart is with you and prayers being said. ...  
CINDY, JAMIE, Forest and Nicole 🙏

Cindy Wilcoxon - June 28, 2017 at 08:21 AM

HS

“ A very talented jewelry maker and a wonderful man. My sympathies  
to his family.

Hope Saunders - June 28, 2017 at 07:11 AM

JH

“ Cecil was honest and kind. He had a special talent and he will be  
missed. He touched many people's lives in a good way.  
Condolences to his family.

Jennifer Heim - June 28, 2017 at 12:04 AM

JB

“ Cecil was a kind, honest and talented man. A  
very talented jeweler making beautiful  
memories for those he served. God bless him  
and to his family, sorry for the loss of one who  
touched your heart. But he will always be in  
there..Lord be near the family and friends Amen



Jim and Rose Baker - June 27, 2017 at 10:17 PM

KG

“ I would like to extend my condolences to Cecil's family, He was a  
great friend to my dad, George Gragert, Georges Engraving. I know  
my dad always appreciated and loved him very much.

Kevin Gragert - June 27, 2017 at 09:34 PM

CC

“ I'm so sorry for everyone's loss. Cecil was one of my favorite cousins as well as his brother and sisters. Loved all our times together at Uncle Louie and Aunt Maryednas house. God bless and prayers to all.

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**carolyn evans - cousin** - June 27, 2017 at 07:58 PM

CP

“ I always liked Cecil. He was soo laid back and always glad to see me. Even though I wasn't technically a part of the family, He treated me as a brother in law. I know that He loved his family and was deeply concerned for their welfare. I will miss him but I know he is in a better place. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

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**Chuck Payne** - June 27, 2017 at 07:27 PM

BW

“ He made jewelry for my mom, my sisters and I for years. I've been in the San Antonio area for 15 years but still went back to him. He made my engagement ring just exactly like I wanted. I had it appraised in San Antonio and the jeweler here wanted to know who made it because as he said, "It was exemplary work and he grossly under charged for it". Mr. Peters was so nice and such a great man. This community sulk sorely miss him, not only as a great business but as a wonderful man. Rest in peace, Mr. Peters. Bobbi Williams

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**Bobbi Williams** - June 27, 2017 at 07:01 PM

BP

“ Cecil will be truly missed. He made rings, charms, tie pins and so many memories for my family. Two of my children live in different states and most every time they come to Enid they bring something they want fixed or made. They have even emailed him a picture of something they wanted made and somehow he always came through, he was a wonderful person and a super great jeweler. He will be missed by many.

*Your friends Peewee and Bobbie Pritchett*

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**Bobbie Pritchey** - June 27, 2017 at 07:00 PM

SR

“ Cecil was a kind man! Been going to the jewelry shop for years!!! We will miss him dearly!!

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**Sharon Randolph** - June 27, 2017 at 06:47 PM

RW

*What a wonderful and talented man Cecil was. You'll be dearly missed. RIP*

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**Ray Wood** - June 27, 2017 at 07:29 PM

PM

“ Went to Cecil when I lived in Enid for years. Not only a great jeweler, but also very sweet and nice person. Worked with Lorene at SCOE. Sorry Lorene for you and your family. THOUGHTS AND PRAYER! Patty Mack

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**Patty Mack** - June 27, 2017 at 05:26 PM



“ Cecil was a wonderful man. He would do anything for anyone. I groomed his dog Snowy and now Daphnie. She always protected her daddy. Thoughts and Prayers from Julie Schroeder and Elizabeth Matthewson her at Precious Paws Salon.

Julie Schroeder - June 27, 2017 at 04:49 PM



“ He always did a wonderful job for us. He will be missed. Prayers for his wife and family 🙏 Rev Dave & Linda Jones

Rev Dave & Linda Jones - June 27, 2017 at 04:46 PM



“ Such a talented man. He will be missed

billye harget - June 27, 2017 at 04:32 PM



“ I worked at a jewelry store in town all through my college years, and would cross paths with Cecil fairly often. He was always such a nice guy, and remembered me by name years later whenever I would see him. He ran an honest business and was respected by so many! Condolences to his family...

Bonnie Bryan - June 27, 2017 at 04:07 PM



I could always depend on Cecil with all my jewelry needs for new items or repair, he will be missed. I enjoyed the Cocker spaniel puppy always on the store. Always friendly and could remember my name. Will miss him, and the trust I had in him.

euvonda ledford - June 27, 2017 at 04:33 PM

RS

“ Cecil will truly be missed. Great jewelry/ jewelry repairs. And a good guy too.

Rita Stover - June 27, 2017 at 03:50 PM

LE

“ Cecil was a awesome guy! Always smiling! He was a wonderful Jewler, and person. We went to him forever like 45 years always personable! We will miss him! Thinking of you Tara, may God give you comfort in the difficult days ahead sweetie! Love and hugs. Prayers Mike and Lana and Stephensnd Wendi and family, and Shane

lana Ellis - June 27, 2017 at 03:37 PM

DV

“ My mother used to get her hair done in a shop there and Cecil would let me come in and watch him. He would let me arrange jewelry and watch as he sized rings. I remember many hours of watching him repair watches and telling me what he was doing. He was always ready to share a story or show me how to hold the springs in my watch as he cleaned it.

Debbie Parnell Vassar

Debbie Parnell Vassar - June 27, 2017 at 03:34 PM

GT

“ Prayers going to the family. So glad I stopped in to see him last time I was in Enid, and check on his children. Missed getting my Jewerly their, Plus missed Carol. Glad I got to talk to her on the phone. Was glad to meet his new wife, my prayers are with you.



georgia taylor - June 27, 2017 at 01:19 PM

JR

“ Prayers going up for the entire family of Cecils'!!! I've known Cecil for years, and he did some extremely amazing work on a lot of my jewelry. Every time I went into his store, he always had a smile & nice greeting for everyone. He was an awesome person, and will be missed by many! R.I.P. Cecil!!! 🙏🙏❤️

Jackie Roe - June 27, 2017 at 11:46 AM

MW

Prayers to the family just really can't believe it he has repaired my jewelry for years such a sweet pleasant man

Melissa Watson - June 27, 2017 at 01:48 PM

DP

Prayers to the whole family!! Cecil was such a nice man and would do anything for anyone!! My heart fell when I saw this! Rest easy Cecil!!

Dawn Parker - June 27, 2017 at 04:08 PM

CG

“ Cecil made my mother and I lots of jewelry over the years, he was a very kind and soft spoken man. Cecil you will be missed RIP.

Cindy Garvie - June 27, 2017 at 10:29 AM

JC

“ Jan C. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Cecil James Peters.



Jan C. - June 27, 2017 at 10:27 AM

JC

“ So many loved this gentle person and he could fix anything on jewelry, very talented and a very kind person. I will praying for his family and God will give them strength to carry on. Will not be easy but God makes it bearable. Thanks for all the years I have known him.



Jan Cordell - June 27, 2017 at 09:15 AM

JC

Would be there but I am out of town!

Jan Cordell - June 27, 2017 at 09:28 AM



“ Honest. Fair. Soft spoken. Funny. And always knew who you were when you came to the shop. Knew what you liked. Kept his word. An artist. A friend. A man I will always Love for him just being....him! Thoughts and prayers to you ALL. XO

Katha Cinnamon - June 27, 2017 at 08:29 AM

JY

He was 1 in a million. He will be missed but not forgotten my prayers go out to the family 🙏🙏🙏🙏🙏

john young - June 27, 2017 at 02:38 PM

PW

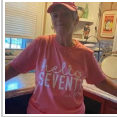
“ I'm so sorry, I took a lot of jewelry to your dad to be fixed, he always did an amazing job, he will be missed by many, he had a great talent  
A customer, P Williams

Patty Williams - June 27, 2017 at 07:41 AM

CD

“ *Kind and talented man. Soft spoken gentle jeweler making beautiful memories for those he served. God bless him and his family.*

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**Connie Duffy** - June 27, 2017 at 01:35 AM



CECIL MADE ME A LOCKET WAY BACK WHEN HE WAS AT BELLS JEWELERS. HE WAS SUCH A KIND MAN, RIGHT DOWN TO PUTTING WATCH BATTERIES IN MY FOSSIL WATCH. HE HAS REPAIRED MANY PIECES FOR ME--- SOME THAT HE SAID ISN'T WORTH THE REPAIR HAD TO BE TRASHED OR BOXED FOR PLAY JEWELRY FOR THE KIDS. I HOPE HE DIDNT SUFFER --HE WILL SURELY BE MISSED. AND NOW A CROWN WITH JEWELS IN HEAVEN WITH CAROL.....

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**Denise Gallagher** - June 27, 2017 at 11:33 AM

CT

*Such a kind and gentle spirit....last time I was in the shop they were thinking about getting another cocker, then I saw them on Furever Friends a short time later where they had adopted one. I am so sorry for your loss. He truly was a wonderful man. Cathy Telinde*

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**Cathy Telinde** - June 27, 2017 at 11:37 AM

LH

“ *Cecil was a kind, gentle and loving person and a wonderful brother who will be greatly missed.*

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**Lorene Harnish** - June 25, 2017 at 10:33 AM