



Ira Ray Peak

July 15, 1932 - August 6, 2017

Ira (Ray) Peak was born in Dougherty, to Isaac Newton Peak and Vera Mae Jackson Peak, July 15, 1932. He was 1 of 4 children; Lloyd Doyle Peak, Marcella Peak Patterson and Floyd Orel Peak, who preceded him in death. Ray served in the U.S. Army in Germany and was honorably discharged. Subsequently, he returned to Oklahoma and graduated from East Central College with a Bachelor's Degree in Education. It was at East Central College that he met his wife, JoAnn Walker and they married in 1953. Two children were born to the couple in Ada; DiAnn Peak Ferguson and Joe Alan Peak. The family moved to California to pursue teaching careers in 1959, where Ray taught at elementary and middle schools on the California Central Coast. He also coached football and basketball and was active within youth sports in the area. Ray was preceded in death by his son, Joe Alan Peak in 2001. Ray returned to Sulphur approximately 40 years ago and for the past several years, was a resident of the Sulphur Veteran's Center. He died peacefully in his sleep in the early hours of August 6, 2017, after succumbing to a cancer-related illness.

Survived by his Daughter, DiAnn Ferguson, of Santa Maria, CA;
Several nieces & nephews,

A Celebration of Life Service will be held Wednesday August 23, 2017 at 2:00PM in the Chapel of Sulphur Veteran Center officiated by Chaplain Gary

Ackerman.

Arrangements by DeArman Funeral Home of Sulphur, OK
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Tribute Wall



“ *Ira Ray Peak*

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“ *This man taught 6th grade in Guadalupe Joint Union Elementary school. I was one of his students. What I recall of this teacher is that he was not a nice person - he physically and emotionally abused his students. There was even suspicion of another kind of abuse which I will not mention here - I can only say that he took an unusual liking to one particular girl, and she talked!
I do pray for his soul and hope that he asked God for forgiveness before he passed.*

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