

# OBITUARY

## Joseph E. Peterson Aug. 7, 1937 - April 18, 2007

Joseph Edward Peterson, 69, of Arapahoe, Neb., died Wednesday, April 18, at Phelps Memorial Hospital, Holdrege, Neb.

He was born Aug. 7, 1937, at Norton, to Irenius Leroy "Pete" and Helen (Agnas) Peterson.

He attended school in Norton and entered the Army after school. He married Mary Louise Hall on Oct. 2, 1964 in Marshall, Texas.

He served in the Army until he retired in 1976. He then moved to Norton and worked for Tamko Manufacturing in Phillipsburg and Norton Co-op for a number of years. He went back to school from 1980 through 1981, attending Colby Community College and received his Licensed Practical Nurse's degree. He went on to Fort Hays State University and Barton County Community College to receive his Associate Degree of Nursing. He worked for a number of years in Wichita, Kansas and was Director of Nursing in Clayton, N. M. He retired due to health reasons and moved back to Norton and worked at Valley Hope as support staff and assisted in counseling.

He was active in the Knights of Columbus and was a member of the St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church.

He is preceded in death by his parents and son, George J. Hall.

Survivors include a son: Chad

and Jessica Peterson, Denver, Colo.; four daughters: Dorothy Peterson, Kearney, Mary and Toby ten Benschel, Arapahoe, Carol and Doug Brown, Beaver City, Shelley and David Harshbarger, Norton; six brothers: Ken and Kay Peterson, Cypress, Calif., Mike and Carol Peterson, Grand Prairie, Texas, Larry and Jeanie Peterson, Olathe, Charles Peterson, Roeland Park, Maurice and Jennifer Peterson, Long Beach, Calif., Donald and Karen Peterson, Norton; four sisters: Alice and Don Goscha, Norton, Patricia and Max Becker, Duncanville, Texas, Nancy and Kennis McClelland, Beaver City, Teresa and Ron Albers, Colwich; 13 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Viewing and visitation will from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday at Wenburg Funeral Home, Arapahoe.

The Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Sunday at St. Germanus Catholic Church, Arapahoe.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the church with Father Robert Barnhill officiating. Burial will be in the Norton Cemetery. Military rites will be given by the Fort Riley Honor detail.

Condolences may be filed on the funeral home's website: [www.wenburgfuneralhome.com](http://www.wenburgfuneralhome.com).

# Meat loaf good enough for company

## Cook's Corner

Liza Deines



My boys, David, Daniel, and my son-in-law, Randy, like to cook and are very good at it. Each, however, has a very distinctive style. Dan prides himself on being thrifty. He does a lot of his cooking on the weekend so he can take great leftovers to work for lunches all week. His casseroles are super-duper and

he often brings me a container of his wonderful five-hour chicken recipe. David and Shannon, on the other hand, buy only the best ingredients and go to great trouble to cook and eat healthy — lots of salads, steamed veggies and grilled meat. David is as good a grill cook as his dad was and that says a lot. His grilled asparagus is superb. Randy and Joan shop together and plan economical meals but both being night shift workers, they eat supper at midnight, and breakfast at noon. All are into creating their own recipes and all cook low salt and fairly low sugar but use lots of herbs and

spices. You can imagine our family get togethers are real feasts when each contributes their own specialties.

Anyone who knows me knows that I have a serious addiction to meatloaf. Randy came up with this one last month and they brought me some. Oh boy! It is not a quick cook but it is definitely worth the extra time and trouble. Try it out and you will be cooking it for fancy company dinners. I believe the secrets of success are the sautéed mushrooms and the unusual topping method, so don't change those details if you give this one a shot.

### RANDY'S DANDY MEATLOAF

1 tsp butter or margarine  
8 oz sliced mushrooms

2 pounds ground chuck  
1 pound ground pork  
2 teaspoons steak seasoning  
2 cloves chopped garlic  
1/2 cup chopped green pepper  
1 large shallot, minced  
1 1/2 cups panko bread crumbs  
2 eggs  
2 tsp Worcestershire Sauce

1/2 cup ketchup, divided  
6 slices thinly sliced brown sugar ham

1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.
  2. Melt 1 tsp butter or margarine in a hot skillet and add mushrooms. Sauté mushrooms until they have a nice brown color. Remove from heat and put in a large mixing bowl.
  3. Add next nine ingredients (ground chuck, ground pork, steak seasoning, garlic, green pepper, shallot, bread crumbs, eggs, and Worcestershire sauce) to mixing bowl. Mix just enough to combine ingredients.
  4. Separate mixture into two equal portions. Form each portion into a loaf on a baking sheet.
  5. Spread top of each loaf with a thin layer of ketchup.
  6. Bake in 375 degree oven for 45 minutes. Remove from oven and top with slices of brown sugar ham. Spread another layer of ketchup on top of the ham and return to the oven.
  7. Cook for another 45 minutes to 1 hour or until internal temperature reaches 175 degrees. Remove from oven and let rest for 15 minutes.
  8. Serve with mashed potatoes or your favorite side dish, and don't forget to enjoy.
- COMMENTS FROM THE MOTHER-IN-LAW: Serve one and freeze one. As good cold as it is hot and makes wonderful sandwiches. Bring more over soon!

# DEATH NOTICE

## Elton Bryant

Elton Bryant, 90, died Monday at Norton County Hospital.

Services are pending with Enfield Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

# READERS

— MULTI-FAMILY garage sale, 602 N. 1st., Friday, 4-8 p.m., Sat., 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. 4/24

— STEAK AND SEAFOOD night, Thursday, 6-9 p.m. American Legion. Members and guests.

## Piano recital set for Sunday

Piano students of Jennifer Ruder will present a recital at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 29 at the Norton Christian Church.

The public is invited to this free concert.

Students, ages 7 to 17, will perform music ranging from Beethoven to Bartok.

Students performing will be Ryan Bainter, Neysa Carlson, Leif Carlson, Rhees Carlson, Tyus Henson, Alexis Henson, Kamilla Jones, KaraJo Jones, Sara Lentz, Alec Melvin, Stanton Nelson, Bethany Roy, Jace Ruder, Johnnye Ruder, Ashlie Stewart and Jacob VanSkiel.

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## Eagles to honor Nelson

Norton Eagles Aerie and Auxiliary No. 3288 of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will honor Kansas State Eagles President, Bill Nelson, Norton, with a reception, banquet, "roast" and dance at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, April 28 at the Norton Eagles Lodge.

Eagles members and guests. Music will be provided by the Three Jacks.

President Nelson took office at the State Eagles Convention June 3, 2006. His one-year term is about to expire and State Eagles officers, Eagles and Auxiliary members from the entire state will come to honor him. The banquet and program begin at 6:30 p.m. followed by a free dance at 8:30 p.m. The dance is open to all

Each year the State President designates a specific charity to benefit from his fund-raising efforts throughout the year. President Nelson has chosen Genetic Research for Rare Childhood Diseases, conducted at Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City as his charity project. He expects to award approximately \$25,000 to the hospital in May.

Mr. Nelson's commitment to the Eagles is shared by his wife, Doris, who served as Kansas State Auxiliary President 2003-2004.



Linda and Jeff Van Der Weele

## Couple celebrates 25 years

Pastor Jeff and Linda Van Der Weele are celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Van Der Weeles were introduced to one another by a mutual friend while both were students at Western Theological Seminary, Holland, Mich. They were married two years later, on April 24, 1982, in the seminary chapel. The Rev. Dr. Stanley Rock, a professor at the seminary, officiated.

Pastor Jeff and Mrs. Van Der Weele have a daughter and son-in-

law, Priscilla and Aaron Mizell, seniors at Kansas Wesleyan University, Salina and a son, Philip, a freshman at Bethany Colege, Lindsborg.

The Van Der Weeles celebrated with a quiet luncheon with their family at Martinelli's in Salina. They drove on to Topeka for an overnight sight-seeing trip.

Pastor Jeff said, "We are grateful to the Lord for the blessings of our years together."

# HANSEN MUSEUM

By SHIRLEY HENRICKSON

The exhibit "Spirit of the Mask" owned by Carla Hanson, Shawnee, will be taken down this week. We were pleased to have visitors from Kansas, California, Minnesota, Colorado, Iowa, New Mexico, Pennsylvania, Arkansas, Florida, Nebraska, Texas and South Africa.

Our next exhibit will be "Married to Adventure: Photographs from the Travels of Martin and Osa Johnson". "Married to Adventure" recounts the daring world travels of Martin and Osa Johnson as illustrated by their unprecedented photographs and writings. This exhibition focuses on the elements that embodied the Johnsons' careers and made their expeditions and legacy possible. "Married to Adventure" offers stunning pictures most Americans have never seen

before and images of a world that today exists only in the photographic record they have left behind. This showing is part of a seven-city national tour over a three-year period containing seventy black and white reproductions reproduced from the original prints, two panoramic murals and approximately twenty artifacts. The tour was developed and managed by Smith Kramer Fine Art Services, an exhibition tour development company in Kansas City, Mo.

Our April Artist of the Month is Brenda Smith from Beloit. Ms. Smith has paintings, hand-painted necklaces, pins and flower arrangements on display.

Please check out our website. The address is [www.hansenmuseum.org](http://www.hansenmuseum.org). If you have any questions please e-mail us at [hansenmuseum@ruraltel.net](mailto:hansenmuseum@ruraltel.net).

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