



## Ronald L. Petro

December 12, 1957 - April 8, 2025

A Memorial Mass of Christian Burial for Ronald will be held on Monday, April 14, 2025 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Stephen Catholic Church in Exeter, Nebraska with Father Brendan Kelly presiding.

In honoring Ronald's wishes, cremation has taken place.

A Book Signing will be held on Sunday, April 13, 2025 from 3:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with family present from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Farmer Funeral Home in Exeter, Nebraska

Private Family Inurnment will be held at a later date.

Memorials are to be directed to the family to be designated at a later date.

Ronald L. Petro was born to Edward and Marie (Perron) Petro on December 12, 1957, and passed away on April 8, 2025 at the age of 67. He was 1 of four children in the family.

He was a graduate with the class of 1976 at Benedict High School.

Ron worked in construction for several years, working at Mead Lumber and Champion Home Builders. He finished his working career at the Farmers'

Cooperative where he was employed for 20 years.

He married Margaret Mueller on October 12, 1984, and to this union one son was born, Brian Edward.

Ron and Margaret enjoyed camping, being campground hosts at Lonestar NRD numerous times. Ron enjoyed gardening and tinkering around with his father's 1937 John Deere tractor.

He loved spending time with his grandkids, especially his youngest, Calli Rose and giving her rides on his electric scooter.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Edward and Marie Petro and father-in-law and mother-in-law, Ed and Anna Mueller.

Ron is survived by his wife, Margaret; son, Brian (Kim) Petro of Grafton, Nebraska and their children, Calli, Abby and Maddie; siblings, Alice Petro of Stromsburg, Nebraska, David (Ramona) Petro of Stromsburg, Nebraska, Ida (Ron) Black of York, Nebraska; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Bob (Sharon) Mueller of Exeter, Nebraska and John (Anita) Mueller of Exeter, Nebraska.

# Previous Events

## Book Signing

APR **13**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Farmer Funeral Home  
305 South Burlington Avenue  
Exeter, NE 68351  
(402) 266-3621  
<https://farmerandsonfuneralhome.com>

## Family Present for Book Signing

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305 South Burlington Avenue  
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## Memorial Mass Of Christian Burial

APR **14**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Saint Stephen Catholic Church  
207 N Union Ave  
Exeter, NE 68351  
(402) 266-5581

# Tribute Wall

JG

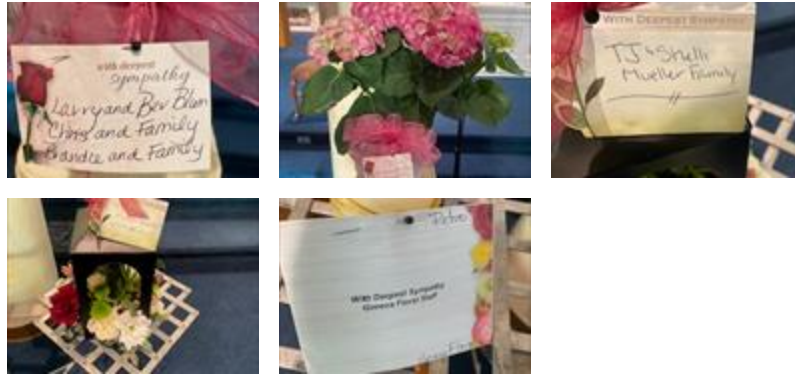
“ Jason george lit a candle in memory of Ronald Petro



Jason george - April 17, 2025 at 02:22 PM



“ 14 files added to the album Flower Arrangements



Farmer & Son Funeral Home - April 14, 2025 at 01:47 PM

JB

“ I remember Ron just as he is shown in the photo posted by Laura Lea...always ready with a smile and a chuckle just ready to burst forth! He was stoic, yet I think very optimistic. I'm glad that he and Marg had some enjoyable times together in retirement, camping and with the grandkids. He will be missed.

Jeff Bartak - April 13, 2025 at 07:23 PM

VJ

“ Hugs and prayers!



Virginia Johnson - April 09, 2025 at 08:53 PM

KT

“ Kent & Rose Theobald lit a candle in memory of Ronald Petro



Kent & Rose Theobald - April 09, 2025 at 08:00 PM

PB

“ I always enjoyed working with Ron at Mead Lumber. He was a motivator for me. He kept asking me what good a college degree was going to be when i will be sacking groceries at Safeway. It truly helped me focus on getting my degree. That was an important message for me. He will be missed.

Paul Becker - April 09, 2025 at 07:47 PM

PM

“ Pat Mathiesen lit a candle in memory of Ronald Petro



Pat Mathiesen - April 09, 2025 at 04:45 PM

PM

*Friendship*

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**Pat Mathiesen** - April 10, 2025 at 12:42 AM

PM

*The pink candle*

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**Pat Mathiesen** - April 10, 2025 at 12:42 AM



*Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family!*

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**David Rhoades** - April 11, 2025 at 08:15 PM

LL

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Laura Lea** - April 09, 2025 at 01:11 PM