



Bud Petty

October 14, 1953 - December 30, 2011

Petty, George "Bud" 58, of New Tabor passed away peacefully Friday, December 30, 2011 with his beloved family by his side. Services will be held Tuesday, January 3, 2012 at The New Tabor Brethren Church at 10:00 a.m. with Pastor David Johnson officiating, burial will follow in New Tabor Cemetery. Visitation will be from 10:00am til 8:00p.m Monday. The family will receive guests from 6 to 8:00 on Monday evening at the funeral home. Bud was born October 14, 1953 in Loraine, Texas to parents Charles and Zada Hughes Petty. He moved around a lot until he met and married Carol May 5, 1979 at New Tabor Brethren Church, Burleson County, Texas. He graduated from Navasota High School class of 1972. He and Carol were blessed with three children. Bud developed something special with each of his children and grand-children. With Marshall it was spending quality time together camping. Talking history with Joshawa was another special way of sharing of himself. Maylee enjoyed eating candy with her grandfather. And with Tyler and Tabor he liked to talk baseball. Bud had only one grand-daughter with dark hair and he spent a lot of time admiring Millison. Other interests of his were the Longhorn's, and Tae-Kwon-do with Hunter. No one wanted to play Trivia Pursuit with him because he was a master and let you know it too. He was an avid fantasy footballer. After all else he cherished his time playing dominoes with Carol on the back porch. He was a conscientious worker and loved his job with Halliburton. Bud was a member of New Tabor Brethren Church where he also served as elder. Bud was called to the Walk to Emmaus which

originated from Cursillo. This walk was so spiritually profound that he shared it with Carol, and they both became closer to God and to each other. He also was a member of New Tabor SPJST Lodge # 17 He also served in the United States Army Reserve. Mr. Petty was preceded in death by his mother Zada Hughes and his father-in-law Rusty Hejl. Surviving Bud were his wife of thirty-three years Carol Petty of New Tabor, son, Marshall Petty and wife Roxanne of Caldwell, two daughters, Mica Sandner & Michael Ward of New Tabor, Mabrey Dowell and husband Tye of New Tabor, Father Charles Petty, six grandchildren Tyler Sandner, Joshawa and Hunter Petty, Tabor, Maylee, and Millison "Doc" Dowell, brother mother-in-law Gladys Hejl of new Tabor, siblings; Ted Petty and wife Linda of Lubbock, Irene Graham and husband Ken of Loraine, Bobby Smith and wife Kristene of Mumford, Mary Sleeth and husband Tony of Deanville, John Petty and wife Marie of Bryan, Vickie Taylor and husband Gary of Waxahachie, Doyle Petty of Caldwell, and Charlene Dodson and husband Steven of Waxahachie, three sister-in-laws Betty Suehs and husband Donnie of Caldwell, Susan Skrabanek and husband Gary of New Tabor, Donna Jones and husband Bruce of New Tabor and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of friends that will miss him dearly. Serving as Pallbearers are; Dalibor Jerabek, Dave Schoenemann, Ronald Sebesta, Dennis Drgac, Kyle Skrabanek, Logan Jones, Pee Wee Surovik, and Ralph Narro and serving as honorary pallbearers are; Paul Bruce Ihlenfeldt, George Zavodney, Paul Skrabanek, William Brymer, Daniel Brymer, Jerry Schafer, Ben Frank Trcalek, and Curtis Cannon. For those wishing to give memorial donations they may be made to New Tabor Brethran Church memorial Fund, Hus School Encampment or New Tabor SPJST Youth Club.

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