



Walter M Nittsche

April 6, 1922 - July 13, 2025

Walter M. Nittsche “Pappy”, 103, passed away on July 13, 2025, in Malakoff, Texas. He was welcomed peacefully into the arms of Jesus, reunited again with his wife Margaret “Nanny” he so dearly loved.

Walter was born on April 6, 1922, in Fedor, Texas. He attended school in the Fedor-Lincoln area. In 1942 he joined the U.S. Army and went to CCC for six months in Yuma, AZ. He fought in WWII in Leyte, Luzon, Philippines and Okinawa with the 1st Radio Squadron attached to the 5th Air Force. He was an intercept operator. After his discharge from the service, he began farming in Burleson County before going to work in 1950 for the MKT Railroad in Houston, TX as a telegraph operator. Later that year he went on to work for the Union Pacific Railroad as a telegraph operator where he retired in 1985.

In 1944, Walter married Margaret Boehmer the love of his life in Dime Box, Texas. The two shared the same birthday. In 1948, they welcomed their daughter Martha Ann.

Walter was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years Margaret Anna Nittsche, his parents Ernst and Anna (Mattiza) Nittsche and several sisters and brothers.

Walter is survived by his daughter, Martha Ann, and husband, Burl, of

Trinidad, TX. Grandson Trey and wife Brandi of Midlothian, TX, and Great Granddaughter Lexi Hintze. He also leaves behind numerous brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews, and many other family members and friends who will sadly miss him.

Funeral services for Walter are scheduled at St. John's Lutheran Church 2609 FM 60 Deanville, Tx:

Visitation: August 9, 2025 from 11:00am to 12:00pm

Funeral Service: August 9, 2025 12:00p to 12:45pm

Burial at St. John's Lutheran Church Cemetery immediately following services.

Pallbearers are Trey Hintze, Mike Wisnoski, Mike Lancaster, Hugh Barnett, Milton Catalina and Aleks Weixel

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial donations be made to St John's Lutheran Church 2609 FM 60, Deanville, TX77852, or a charity of your choice.

The family would like to thank you all for your prayers and support.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Johns Lutheran Church
FM 60 & FM 111
Deanville, TX

Funeral Service

AUG 9. 12:00 PM - 12:45 PM (CT)

St. Johns Lutheran Church
FM 60 & FM 111
Deanville, TX

Graveside Service

AUG 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Johns Lutheran Church Cemetery
2609 FM 60
Deanville, TX 77852

Tribute Wall

CF

“ *Mr. Nittsche has been a family friend for at least 62 years. He was a thoughtful, loving and friend for life. I know he will be missed by many especially his family. We loved his homemade wine, family and stories.*

Cortemelia family - August 07, 2025 at 08:21 PM

CB

“ *Walter had been our friend for several years he was like part of our family when my husband was in therapy Walter would bring him the Eagle Newspaper...Walter was a wonderful person.. I will miss him very much !*

Carol Brinkman - August 03, 2025 at 08:52 PM

DW

“ *Mr. Walter was a very nice and Good Man and a Very Good Friend. May He Rest In Peace.*

Dwane and Jalane Wiederhold - August 01, 2025 at 07:11 PM

IH

“ *There was something special about the Nittsche family. They all worked hard and lived with smiles on their faces. Every year I looked forward to seeing Walter at our “Mattiza” family reunions . Walter had a great life and always did nice things for those he knew. May he have eternal rest now with all the family and friends who passed before him.*

Irene Harper - July 22, 2025 at 11:55 PM

CM

“ Walter was kind and always happy! When Charlie Kovar passed away. He told me his favorite pecan tree at Charlies, then one day I saw him on highway 21 picking pecans, in the ditch. I was worried, I stopped and told him that he can come over anytime and pick pecans. Then he brought me a pie that he learned how to make from his wife. Also a bottle of potato wine. He was so kind, but now he can live his life in heaven. Thank you Walter for the so many lives that you touched.

Cameron McCuller - July 20, 2025 at 06:38 PM

DW

Yes Cameron, Mr. Walter was a very kind and loving person. He would come by and pick up my father in law, Frank Kostelka and take him with him to feed his cows in Lincoln just to get him out of the house. Always smiling and laughing. May He Rest In Peace Amen.

Dwane Wiederhold - July 22, 2025 at 11:25 PM

DN

When I grew up in Giddings, Dwayne's grandma Erna Milbern, was our next door neighbor and I was blessed to mow her yard for several years. He always kept an eye to make sure that I did the "right" when he drove by and honestly earned the \$1.00 she paid. After a couple years I had to buy a new lawnmower, I had to increase my cost to \$1.25. Gas had gone up from thirty three cents a gallon to forty four cents. I remember how she and I both cried when I had to tell her. I did not realize what neighborhood I was blessed raised

Dwight M. Nittsche - July 26, 2025 at 09:48 PM

IF

“ I met Walter later in life and learned he was a childhood friend of my father, Walter Kaiser. Both grew up in Fedor and attended the same Lutheran church. He was a kind and gracious man. I so enjoyed knowing him.

Irene (Kaiser) Faske - July 16, 2025 at 10:47 PM

RB

“ *Mr. Walter was a fine gentleman. He enjoyed visiting with his friends.*

ROGER BROESCHE - July 16, 2025 at 08:12 PM

DN

“ *Rest eternal grant him that our loving Christ can give. I know that Aunt Margaret met you with the joy and loving smile that was all about her loving way she shared with all of us. You were always special to me.*



Dwight M. Nittsche - July 16, 2025 at 05:29 PM