



C.R. Hasenflu

March 16, 1936 - January 24, 2025

C. R. "Pistol Pete" HASENFLU, 88, of St. Petersburg, Pa., passed away Friday evening (01-24-25) at Butler Memorial Hospital after a period of declining health.

Born in Summit Twp., Butler Co., on March 16, 1936, he was the son of the late James N. and Ada Snyder Hasenflu.

He had been employed by the former Glass Containers Corp. at Parker and the Rosebud Mining Corp.

"Pete" served the City of Parker as police chief for a number of years, as well as Civil Defense coordinator for the Parker area.

He proudly served his Country as a member of the United States Marine Corps, from where he was honorably discharged with the rank of Corporal. Serving from 1954 to 1957, he earned the NDSM and Good Conduct Medal. He was a member of the American Legion Post 778 of Lyndora (Butler) and the Marine Bantam League of Butler. Pete was proud to be instrumental in the idea, design, and installation of the Fallen Soldier monument recently erected in front of the former VAMC, Butler, on New Castle Road.

Survived by wife Maryanne "Cookie" Hasenflu; son Michael "Mike" Hasenflu of Butler; sister Sandra Stewart of Clarion and brother Earl Hasenflu of Florida; two grand and three great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded by siblings William, Nicholas, Emma (Karnes), and Mildred (Hasenflu).

No services planned at present time, but Veteran Memorial Service at VAMC at a later date.

Tribute Wall

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“ We had the opportunity to sit with Pistol Pete several times over the past few years. He shared so many stories and was such a character. He will be missed by all of us who were blessed to have known him. Thinking of family and friends at this time.

Rebecca Wolfe - January 31, 2025 at 05:29 PM



“ John Barty lit a candle in memory of C.R. Hasenflu



John Barty - January 29, 2025 at 09:02 PM

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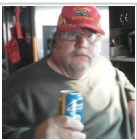
“ We are so sorry to hear of your loved one. Please accept our condolences.

Terry and Maria Clark - January 29, 2025 at 08:55 PM

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“ Cookie, Mike and family,
So sad to hear about Pete. I have many fond memories. He always took the time to talk wherever I saw him. Such a nice man. Many fond memories of working at the Rosebud restaurant. Sending hugs, love and prayers to all of you. May God hold you all extra close at this difficult time.

Nancy Wagner - January 29, 2025 at 07:08 PM



“ Had a lot of good times working with pistol Pete at rosebud he always made some kind of good soup in scale house rip Pete.

Carl Fair - January 29, 2025 at 02:43 PM