



Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman

October 28, 1928 - March 5, 2012

Earl "Pete" Bowman, age 83 years, a resident of the Dixon Springs community, passed away Monday, March 5, 2012, at 5 AM at his home.

Earl was born October 28, 1928 near Bay City (Pope County) Illinois. He was the son of Alvis Bowman and Myrtle (Harrell) Bowman.

Earl was united in marriage to Faye Morris on December 27, 1947 in Paducah, Kentucky. She survives.

Other survivors include:

3 Sons - John & Martha Bowman of Metropolis, IL

Larry & Beverly Bowman of Golconda, IL

Brad & Barbara Bowman of Golconda, IL

9 Grandchildren - Shannon & Margie Bowman

Melinda & Brian Sampson

Eric Bowman

Alan Bowman

Chuck Ellingson

Brittany Bowman

Brandon Bowman

Nancy & Drew Vincent

Valerie & Bill McChesney
9 Great Grandchildren
2 Great-Great Grandchildren
Several Nieces and Nephews

In addition to his parents, Earl was preceded in death by:

A Son – David A. Bowman
4 Brothers
2 Sisters

Earl was a lifelong farmer. He had a deep love of the land and enjoyed many outdoor activities including camping and fishing. He was also a very skilled woodworker. Earl loved music and was a talented bass guitarist. He enjoyed traveling and playing music as a member of Joe and Friends, a country and gospel band.

Earl had also been employed as an operating engineer and was a member of the International Union of Operating Engineers Local # 318.

Earl was a member of the Dixon Springs Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday morning, March 7, 2012, at 11 AM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Brother Bud McDannel will officiate.

Burial will be in the Mt. Zion Cemetery in the Rock community.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 5 PM - 8 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the Baptist Children's Home and Family Services, 949 County Road 1300 North, Carmi, Illinois 62821.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



March 08, 2012 at 01:21 PM



“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



Jessie, Bowman Canida - March 07, 2012 at 07:06 AM



“ *Richard Bowman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Richard Bowman - March 06, 2012 at 06:59 PM

CB

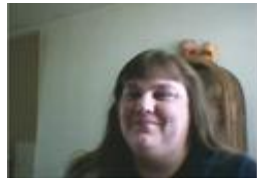
“ Charlotte Benard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Charlotte Benard - March 06, 2012 at 06:13 PM

RS

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



rena sweely - March 06, 2012 at 04:19 PM



“ lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



March 06, 2012 at 12:50 PM



Uncle Earl I loved your passion for music, that was something we shared. I enjoyed hearing you play your guitar. You will be greatly missed.

March 06, 2012 at 12:51 PM

GH

Faye,

Janet and I are truly sorry to hear of your loss.

Janet and Gary Hacker


Gary Hacker - March 06, 2012 at 01:07 PM

 Margo Allison

“ *Margo Allison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Margo Allison - March 06, 2012 at 12:45 PM

 Margo Allison

From my parents, Richard and Jean Hudson

Margo Allison - March 06, 2012 at 12:45 PM

 Margo Allison

“ *Margo Allison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Margo Allison - March 06, 2012 at 12:44 PM

DW

“ *Doris Wetter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Doris Wetter - March 06, 2012 at 08:55 AM

DY

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Donna jean bowman young - March 06, 2012 at 07:33 AM

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Donna jean bowman young - March 06, 2012 at 07:30 AM

DY

“ Donna Jean Bowman Young sent a virtual gift
in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Donna jean bowman young - March 06, 2012 at 07:23 AM

DY

“ Donna Jean Bowman Young lit a candle in
memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Donna jean bowman young - March 06, 2012 at 07:20 AM

DY

I love and miss you uncle Pete. Praying for you aunt Faye and the entire family. Wish i could be there but my heart and thoughts are. Love to all.

Donna jean bowman young - March 06, 2012 at 07:22 AM

MF

“ *Marilyn Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



marilyn faulkner - March 06, 2012 at 06:26 AM

HR

“ *Heather Bowman Rosmann lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Heather Bowman Rosmann - March 06, 2012 at 05:51 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



March 06, 2012 at 05:22 AM



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christine thompson - March 06, 2012 at 01:47 AM



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christinr thompson - March 06, 2012 at 01:39 AM



“ Christinr Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



christinr thompson - March 06, 2012 at 01:38 AM



you wii be missed, uncle Pete

christine thompson - March 06, 2012 at 01:43 AM



“ I Rember When you lived out at reeseville, you had a big fenced in area and uncle pete had some cows out in it, their was a big tree in the middle, and my son who was only 4 or 5 at this time climed under the fence and went to play in the tree, Uncle Pete saw him out their and , He Jumped over the fence with out touching it and ran out to kevin and got him back to safety, I didnt know someone would run that fast and jump so high.

Jessie Canida - March 06, 2012 at 12:52 AM



“ Jessie Canida lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Jessie Canida - March 06, 2012 at 12:27 AM



You will so missed, rip uncle Pete

Jessie Canida - March 06, 2012 at 12:29 AM



“ Ray And Imogene Phelps lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Ray and Imogene Phelps - March 05, 2012 at 11:24 PM

AV

“ *Angela Vineyard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Angela Vineyard - March 05, 2012 at 10:51 PM

MS

“ *Mike & Nancy Solomon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Mike & Nancy Solomon - March 05, 2012 at 08:48 PM

BW

“ *Bill Wetter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Bill Wetter - March 05, 2012 at 08:38 PM

DK

“ *Don & JoAnn Kelderman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman*



Don & JoAnn Kelderman - March 05, 2012 at 07:31 PM

VW

“ Vicki Watson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



vicki watson - March 05, 2012 at 04:40 PM

VW

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Vicki Watson - March 05, 2012 at 03:44 PM

PM

“ Patty Morris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Patty Morris - March 05, 2012 at 01:19 PM



“ Patty Heflin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Patty Heflin - March 05, 2012 at 12:42 PM

GW

“ I am so sorry to hear of Eugene's passing, my thoughts and prayers are with Faye and the family. And I can imagine he is in heaven playing his guitar, while the angels sing. God Bless you all. Carmen Wells

George & Carmen Wells - March 05, 2012 at 10:30 AM

LC

“ Les^ & Debbie Chamberlain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Les^ & Debbie Chamberlain - March 05, 2012 at 10:29 AM

GW

“ George & Carmen Wells lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



George & Carmen Wells - March 05, 2012 at 10:24 AM

DJ

“ Donnie & Jolene lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earl "Pete" Bowman



Donnie & Jolene - March 05, 2012 at 09:28 AM