



## Gene Lewis Peters

March 23, 1934 - August 28, 2024

Gene Lewis Peters, 90, of St. Augustine, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, August 28, 2024. Born in Anderson, Indiana, Gene lived a life marked by dedication, humor, and creativity.

Gene was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Kay Peters; his ex-wife, Barbara Peters; his parents, Virgil and Nellie Peters; his brother, Norman Peters; his sister, Roberta Peters; and his cherished dog, Baby. He is survived by his three children, Cindy Knoess (spouse Allan Knoess), Lindy Sliman (spouse Edward Sliman), and Raymond Peters (spouse Wendy Peters), as well as six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews, and his sweet dog, Kindle.

Gene's professional journey was diverse and fulfilling. He served as an Area Supervisor for Howard Johnson's, worked as a Health Inspector for the state of Florida, and, in retirement, dedicated his time to training restaurant employees in food safety. His commitment to his work was matched only by his passions outside the office.

A lover of the outdoors, Gene enjoyed fishing and shooting guns. He was a devoted fan of old westerns and supported the Atlanta Braves, Marlins, and the Tampa Bay Rays. His vibrant sense of humor and impressive green thumb were among his many endearing qualities, along with his generous nature and

creative spirit.

Gene will be greatly missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. A Celebration of Life will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family encourages donations to a pet shelter of choice in Gene's honor.