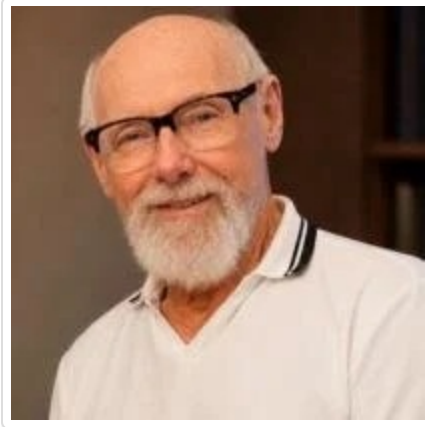




## Dannie Peters

January 18, 1950 - June 24, 2026

Dannie Lee Peters passed away on June 24, 2026, in Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Dannie was born on January 18, 1950, to Cosma and Geneva Peters. He graduated from Dewey High School in Dewey, Oklahoma, with the Class of 1969.

After graduation, Dannie moved to Colorado, where he worked for the Coors Brewing Company. He later relocated to Dallas, where he worked for Capital Records while attending electronic school, earning his license as an electrician.

Eventually, Dannie returned home to Bartlesville, where he worked for the City of Bartlesville before beginning a 26-year career with the Bartlesville Fire Department. Throughout his firefighting career, he earned the respect of his fellow firefighters and the gratitude of countless citizens whose lives he touched through his dedication and compassion.

Retirement didn't slow him down. He later worked at the Bartlesville Community Center before beginning a new adventure as a Set Medic in the Movie Industry. He enjoyed working on several film productions, including *Twisters*, *Sarah's Oil*, and *Killers of the Flower Moon*, and especially loved meeting many of the actors, actresses, and crew members along the way.

Beyond his career, Dannie had a passion for photography and art. He found joy in capturing the beauty around him through his camera lens. His photographs and artwork reflected the quiet appreciation he had for the world around him.

In June 2020, Dannie was diagnosed with cancer. After several years in remission, the cancer returned in 2025. Throughout his journey, he faced each challenge with courage, resilience, and quiet determination.

Dannie wasn't a man who sought recognition or attention. Whether serving his community, working behind the scenes on a movie set, creating art, or spending time with family and friends, he never needed the spotlight to make a difference. He simply worked hard, lived with integrity, cared deeply, and found joy in the people and experiences life gave him. He will be remembered for his generous heart, his willingness to help others, his strong work ethic, and his love for family and friends.

Dannie is survived by his mother, Geneva Peters; sister, Linda Stumpff; partner, Stephen Snider; nieces, Laci Elsheimer (Joseph) and Emily; nephews, Levi Stumpff, (Lynsey) & Jason Pierce (Cassondra); great-nieces & great-nephews, Olivia, Audree, Connor, Lily, Owen, Arianna, Asher, Reiley, Ireland, Catherine, Caleb and Reece.

He was preceded in death by his father, Cosma Peters; brother, Ronnie Peters; and brother-in-law, Larry Stumpff.

Dannie leaves behind family and friends who will forever cherish his memory and the example of a life well lived. His life reminds us that the greatest impact isn't always made in the spotlight, but through years of quiet service, genuine friendships, and a heart willing to help others!

The family appreciates your thoughts and prayers. In lieu of customary remembrances, they suggest that contributions be directed to Compassus Hospice (<https://www.compassus.com/locations/oklahoma/tulsa/>) or Hope Stone Cancer Support (<https://www.hopestonecancer.org/>).

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life - Come and Go

JUL 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Dannie Peters*



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**Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory** - July 01 at 05:43 PM

DB

“My memories of Danny are probably different from others. We grew up together on Pine Street our summers consisted of getting our chores done so we could go outside. Summertime meant the boys shucked their t-shirts to play. They dressed in their dad’s army gear or some cowboy gear or with whatever they pooled their pennies and maybe a nickel to buy at Cozy Corner to plan the next adventure. They dug up the yards, chopped up everything with their axes, started fires, got into a fights with the neighbor boys, left the water running, took off on their bikes all before lunch!! They had dirt beads on their necks and smelled like goats and had no idea where their shoes were. And someone was always in trouble. The Dad’s came home everyday with their mostly empty lunch boxes. The guys would check for the prize their dad may have left them (of course they had their striped t-shirt back on - the mom’s made them). The girls ran down the driveways for hugs from the Dad’s. We had the greatest childhood kids could have ask for at Leona Heights in Dewey. I haven’t been in contact with Dannie for 50+ years, but he was never far from our minds and memories. My mom (Bobbie Graham) and Dannie’s mom Geneva better known to us kids as “GG” were parked in each other yards, houses (or even their cellar when the storms came) all those years. I can’t imagine that Dannie had anything other than a great life after his childhood on Pine street. GG, Linda and family my thoughts and prayers are with you. My memories of Danny are probably different from others. We grew up together on Pine Street our summers consisted of getting our chores done so we could go outside. Summertime meant the boys shucked their t-shirts to play. They dressed in their dad’s army gear or some cowboy gear or with whatever they pooled their pennies and maybe a nickel to buy at Cozy Corner to plan the next adventure. They dug up the yards, chopped up everything with their axes, started fires, got into a fights with the neighbor boys, left the water running, took off on their bikes all before lunch!! They had dirt beads on their necks and smelled like goats and had no idea where their shoes were. And someone was always in trouble. The Dad’s



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**Deborah Graham Bradley** - June 27 at 03:14 PM

KW

“*Kimberly Watkins lit a candle in memory of Dannie Peters*



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**Kimberly Watkins** - June 25 at 11:36 PM

TJ

“Dannie was a generous and dedicated community leader deeply respected by everyone who worked with him on numerous projects. He was focused on helping Oklahoma be a better place for everyone. Lots of folks have ideas and suggestions but Dannie had solutions and he put in the hard work and you could see the results. He was doing the heavy lifting and taking the risks regardless of the pushback or hateful threats. Through a life time of service to our community we can silence the criticism was his response. He loved his family. Talked of them often. He loved his community and was proud to show it off. I hope there will be others follow his example and take up the work he started. I feel that is the best way to remember him.

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**Toby Jenkins** - June 25 at 02:00 PM

LP

“Dannie was a remarkable man. Not only was he a firefighter, he loved photography and film making but most of all he was my best friend. He took My family under his wing and everything but legally he adopted our 4 children. We would go to Tulsa at least once a month and go to casa Bonitas and then hit the town. On the down low when Jerry and the kids and I moved to Sand springs Dannie and I would talk for hours "once I got the kids down for bed". Sometimes we would decide ahead of time to make something together so we would get the things we needed ahead of the phone call and cook what ever wanted to eat. Then there were times we did not talk about anything we just enjoyed each other's time. I'm truly going to miss Dannie



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**Lillie Patton** - June 25 at 12:51 PM