



Pete Soro Jr.

December 27, 1931 - September 5, 2021

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Pete Soro passed away on Sunday, September 5, 2021, at the age of 89. He was a loving husband and father to his family, and the favorite uncle to many nieces, nephews, and cousins. He loved to garden and always planted something, even if it was just tomato plants. Driving his tractor while pulling a trailer full of kids, and dogs, was always something he enjoyed. He was an avid St. Louis Cardinals baseball fan. If he couldn't find their game on TV he would find it on the radio. He also collected coins, and would buy extras of some to share with others.

He was a member of Olive Branch Church of Christ where he led singing on occasion. He loved to sing the gospel songs at church and at home with his daughter playing the piano. He supported his wife and kids through the years with steadfast love. He would speak his mind on just about any topic. And of course would share a Dad Joke to make you laugh.

In 1984 he opened his own Machine Shop, Pete Soro Machine Works. The business was not only his livelihood, but a hobby he thoroughly enjoyed. Pete met his wife Justine while working at Plough as a machinist. They were married in 1957 and recently celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary.

Pete will be lovingly remembered by his wife Justine, his kids Mike, Theresa, and Tim [Karen]. He is also survived by a nephew, Jim [Paula] Ditto.

He was preceded in death by his parents Pete and Theresa Soro, and his sister Mary Ditto.

Pete (Dad and Uncle Pete) was deeply loved by his family and friends. His passing will leave a mark on our hearts and he will be remembered for a long, long time.

A visitation with friends will be held on Thursday, September 16, 2021, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch. The family will also welcome friends one hour prior from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. with a funeral service beginning at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, September 17, 2021, at Olive Branch Church of Christ. A private interment will be held at Elmwood Cemetery. Mr. Mike Hixson of Olive Branch Church of Christ will officiate.

Online condolences may left at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Elmwood Cemetery

824 South Dudley Street
Memphis, TN 38104

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **16**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch
6815 Parkview Boulevard
Olive Branch, MS 38654
(662) 893-3900
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Visitation

SEP **17**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Olive Branch Church of Christ
9100 E. Sandidge Road
Olive Branch, MS 38654

Funeral Service

SEP 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Tribute Video in memory of Pete Soro Jr.



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“ I only met Pete through Ancestry in 2020 as we discovered we shared common ancestors in the Novarese family and I was born a Novarese. It was a brief encounter but I could see his love for discovering and making new family memories. Ciao Bello Pete!
Gina Novarese Callahan

Gina Callahan - January 23, 2023 at 05:42 AM



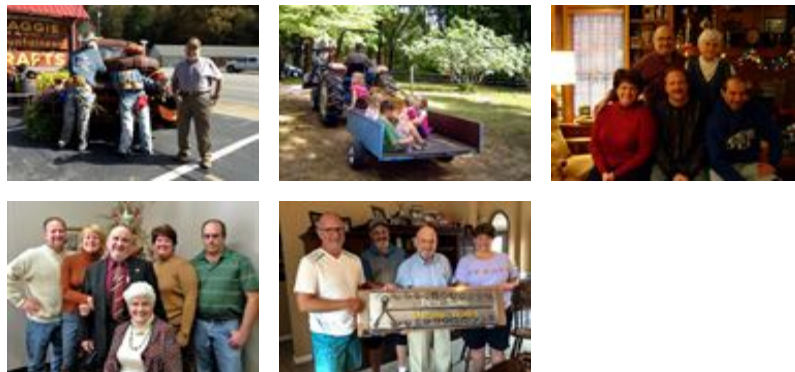
“ Accurate Machine and Tool purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Pete Soro Jr..



Accurate Machine and Tool - September 15, 2021 at 11:52 AM



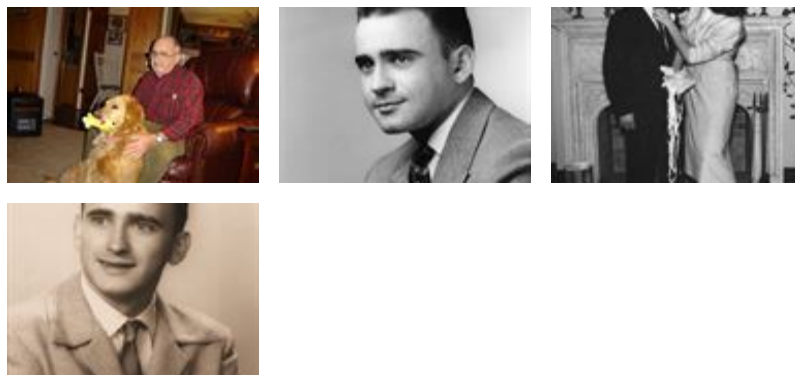
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“ *Mark Willins and friends at Morgan Steel purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Pete Soro Jr..*



Mark Willins and friends at Morgan Steel - September 13, 2021 at 02:20 PM

FM

“ From your friends at Cardinal Machinery purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Pete Soro Jr..



From your friends at Cardinal Machinery - September 13, 2021 at 09:55 AM

OI

“ Olympic I. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Pete Soro Jr..



Olympic I. - September 10, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Pete Soro Jr..



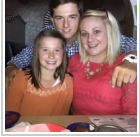
September 10, 2021 at 10:11 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Pete Soro Jr..



September 10, 2021 at 10:00 AM



“ *Pete was always like family to me. I met Pete and Justin and fell in love. Pete would do whatever he could for people. He was a wonderful faithful Christian. We will miss your laugh. BK and Sheila Patel*

Sheila Patel - September 10, 2021 at 03:17 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Pete Soro Jr..*



September 09, 2021 at 02:14 PM