## *Ron Peterson, the Mud Man*

Deep in the earth where the secrets hide,
Ron Peterson takes the ride,
With drills that hum and mud that flies,
He works the land beneath the skies.

Mud and grit, he's in the thick,
Turning earth with every click,
With steel and strength and steady hands,
Ron Peterson, the Mud Man stands.

Through rock and clay, through silt and sand,
He pulls the lifeblood of the land,
Water flows where his drill has spun,
Bringing hope beneath the sun.

Mud and grit, he's in the thick,
Turning earth with every click,
With steel and strength and steady hands,
Ron Peterson, the Mud Man stands.

The drill spins down, the pressure's on,
Through the night until the dawn,
He finds the wells where the rivers run,
A job well done when the day is done.

From oil rigs to the farmer's field,
His work's the bond the earth will yield,
Ron Peterson, the Mud Man bold,
Stories of him will long be told.

Mud and grit, he's in the thick,
Turning earth with every click,
With steel and strength and steady hands,
Ron Peterson, the Mud Man stands.

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APPRECIATION

On behalf of the family, we wish to express our gratitude for your many kindnesses in thought and deed, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

In Loving Memory of

# Ronald B Peterson

May 11, 1946 – January 15, 2025

Services for

**RONALD B PETERSON**

May 11, 1946
Salina, Utah

January 15, 2025
Elsinore, Utah

MARRIED: Linda Hansen on June 24, 1966 in the Manti Temple

CHILDREN: Ronald Brook (Mary) Peterson, David Troy (Terrie) Peterson, Shannon (John) Wilkinson, and Benjamin H (Summer) Peterson

7 Grandchildren, and 3 Great-Grandchildren

SIBLINGS: Steve, Lane, and Todd Peterson

PRECEDED IN DEATH BY: parents: Harold Peterson and Thelma Bastian Peterson; older sister, Diane Hanchett; younger brother, Joe Peterson; grandchildren: Tyson and Kallie Peterson, and Sarah Peterson

FUNERAL SERVICES
Friday, January 24, 2025
12:00 Noon
Elsinore 1st Ward Chapel

CONDUCTING
Brother Devin Moore, Elsinore 1st Ward Bishopric

INTERMENT
Salina Eastside Cemetery

Family Prayer ..... Brook Peterson (Son)

## Services

Organist ..... Kathy Stevens

Chorister ..... Brent Cottle

Congregational Hymn ..... #193
"I Stand All Amazed"

Invocation ..... Jason Peterson (Grandson)

Life Sketch ..... Brook Peterson (Son)

Tribute ..... Troy Peterson (Son)

Musical Selection.... Molly Wilkinson (Granddaughter)
"It Is Well with My Soul"

Tribute ..... Benjamin Peterson (Son)

Tribute ..... Shannon Wilkinson (Daughter)

Concluding Remarks ..... Brother Devin Moore

Congregational Hymn ..... #152
"God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

Benediction ..... Aaron Peterson (Grandson)

## Graveside Services

Dedication of the Grave ..... Troy Peterson (Son)

PALLBEARERS
(Sons) Brook Peterson, Troy Peterson, Benjamin Peterson; (Son-in-Law) John Wilkinson; (Grandsons) Jason Peterson, Aaron Peterson, Josh Peterson, Conner Wilkinson

HONORARY PALLBEARERS
(Brothers) Steve Peterson, Lane Peterson, Todd Peterson, (Grandchildren) Zach Peterson, Brenley Peterson, Tyson Peterson, Kallie Peterson