



## Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher

October 26, 1932 - October 18, 2023

Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher  
Carthage, MS

Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher, 90, a retired fire fighter for the City of Jackson, died Wednesday, October 18, 2023 at his home.

Visitation is 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm Saturday, October 21, 2023 at Carthage First Baptist Church. Services are 1:00 pm Sunday, October 22, 2023 at Carthage First Baptist Church with Bro. Stephen Evans officiating. Interment is in Salem Baptist Church Cemetery. Wilcox Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Wilcher was a native of Leake County and a member of Carthage First Baptist Church. He loved hunting, fishing, and raising cows.

Preceding him in death were: 2 brothers, Otha Wilcher (Ester) and R. L. Wilcher (Chris); and a sister, Evelyn Burchfield.

Survivors include: his wife, Christine Newsom Wilcher of Carthage; 2 sons, Gary Wilcher (Jeanie) of Madison and Jimmy Wilcher (Susan) of Canton; a daughter, Amy Rhea of Carthage (Terry Sessums of Union); a brother, Troy Wilcher of Carthage; 5 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers are:

# Cemetery Details

## Salem Cemetery

Carthage, MS

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **21**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Carthage First Baptist  
23078 hwy 16  
Carthage, MS 39051

## Service

OCT **22**. 1:00 PM.

Carthage First Baptist Church

# Tribute Wall



“ *Linda Vowell lit a candle in memory of Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher*



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**Linda Vowell** - October 21, 2023 at 09:11 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher.*



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October 20, 2023 at 11:11 PM



“ *I didn't know Mr. Pete very well, but I know his son Gary and I know how much he loved his dad. I wish peace to Gary and the family. I know your Mama will miss him dearly. I'm so sad for your loss.*  
*Susan Graben*

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**susan granen** - October 20, 2023 at 04:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher.*



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October 20, 2023 at 11:51 AM

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“ Mr. Wilcher and his sweet family lived across the street from us when I was a child. He and his family did many kind things for all the neighbors in our neighborhood. I was very thankful on the day he helped me when a friend accidentally injured my foot, by turning a push mower on my heel as I was walking by her yard., His firefighter skills and compassion kicked in quickly and naturally. He sprinted across the street to where I was and quickly went into action, yet remained calm throughout the incident. He was the first one on the scene when I was injured and was able to get the blood flow to the injury to stop quickly. Everyone said that it was not an easy task to do that because of the type of injury and the size of the cut on my heel. I still tell others how he and Dr. James Manning helped me and made it possible for me to walk again. So very thankful for him.

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**Kay Queen Sibley** - October 20, 2023 at 01:38 AM

MC

“ Margaret Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher



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**Margaret Carter** - October 19, 2023 at 10:36 PM

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“ Debbie Wilcher lit a candle in memory of Mr Hollis Fletcher "Pete" Wilcher



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**Debbie Wilcher** - October 19, 2023 at 05:13 PM