

## **50<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY REGIMENT**

## Walter E Peterson - Obituary

Walter Peterson, 65 of Mineola, Texas died Feb. 16, 2011, in Tyler.

Walter Emil Peterson was born Sept. 9, 1945, in Houston to the late Walter W. and Carmen Peterson.

Walter was a decorated US Army Combat Veteran, serving as a Combat Medic with the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion (Mechanized), 50<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division (Airmobile) in Vietnam in 1967.

He worked for the railroad.

Survivors include sons, Todd Peterson and wife Sheila, Van, Robert Peterson and wife Courtney, Crandall, and Eric Peterson and wife Lynn, Pensacola, Fla.; and grandchildren, Ty, Zak, Trinity, Sean and Landry.

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