



## Charlie "Pete" Phelps

February 24, 1934 - April 12, 2008

PHELPS, CHARIE O. ("PETE"), was born on February 24, 1934. He went home to be with our Lord on April 12, 2008. He is survived by his loving wife, Gerel, with whom he spent almost 50 wonderful years in marriage. Pete is also survived by three children; Randy, Jimmy Ray and Allison. He had eight grandchildren of whom he spent so much of his time enjoying. His grandchildren were the light of his day and he was so close to each and every one of them. Pete is also survived by one brother, Jimmy L. Phelps; and three sisters, Ora Tolbert, Ann Graveman, and Sue Hickman. He served proudly and with honor in the United States Navy from 1956 to 1960. Pete will be missed so much by his family and although he is not with us in body, his spirit and love will forever live in our hearts. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, April 15, 2008, at 11:00 am at Elvester Baptist Church, with Rev. Denny Armstrong officiating. Mr. Phelps will lie in state at the church from 10:00 - 11:00 am. Interment will follow at the Elvester Baptist Church Cemetery with a dove release ceremony concluding the services. The family will receive friends Monday from 6:00 pm -8:00 pm. at the funeral home. Messages of comfort and condolence may be sent to the family by visiting our website at [www.gardendalefuneralhome.com](http://www.gardendalefuneralhome.com). Arrangements are by locally owned and operated Gardendale Funeral Home, 205-631-8810 (formerly Morgan's @ Gardendale).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I am praying for you and your family.*  
*Corey*

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**Corey Abrams** - April 17, 2008 at 12:18 AM

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“ *My deepest condolences and sincere prayers to the Phelps Family.*  
*May God grant you the strength to endure through these trying*  
*times.*

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**Tekela Wimberly** - April 15, 2008 at 09:50 AM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. The*  
*wonderful memories will always be with and and how blessed it is to*  
*have memories of loved ones.*

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**Leonard and Carroll Sparks** - April 14, 2008 at 09:06 PM