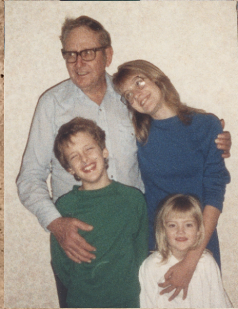




### *I Still Love You*

*Whisper my name; for I can still hear you.  
Reach out with your arms; and I will be near you.  
Still tell me things you need to know  
And bring me to the places you want me to go.  
I see that you're hurt and know how it feels,  
So I give you my strength and hope that it heals.  
I'm no longer there, I see how you've cried,  
But always in spirit, I'm right by your side.  
I wish you could see the happiness you gave me,  
Our own tiny world eternally saved me.*



### *AFTER GLOW*

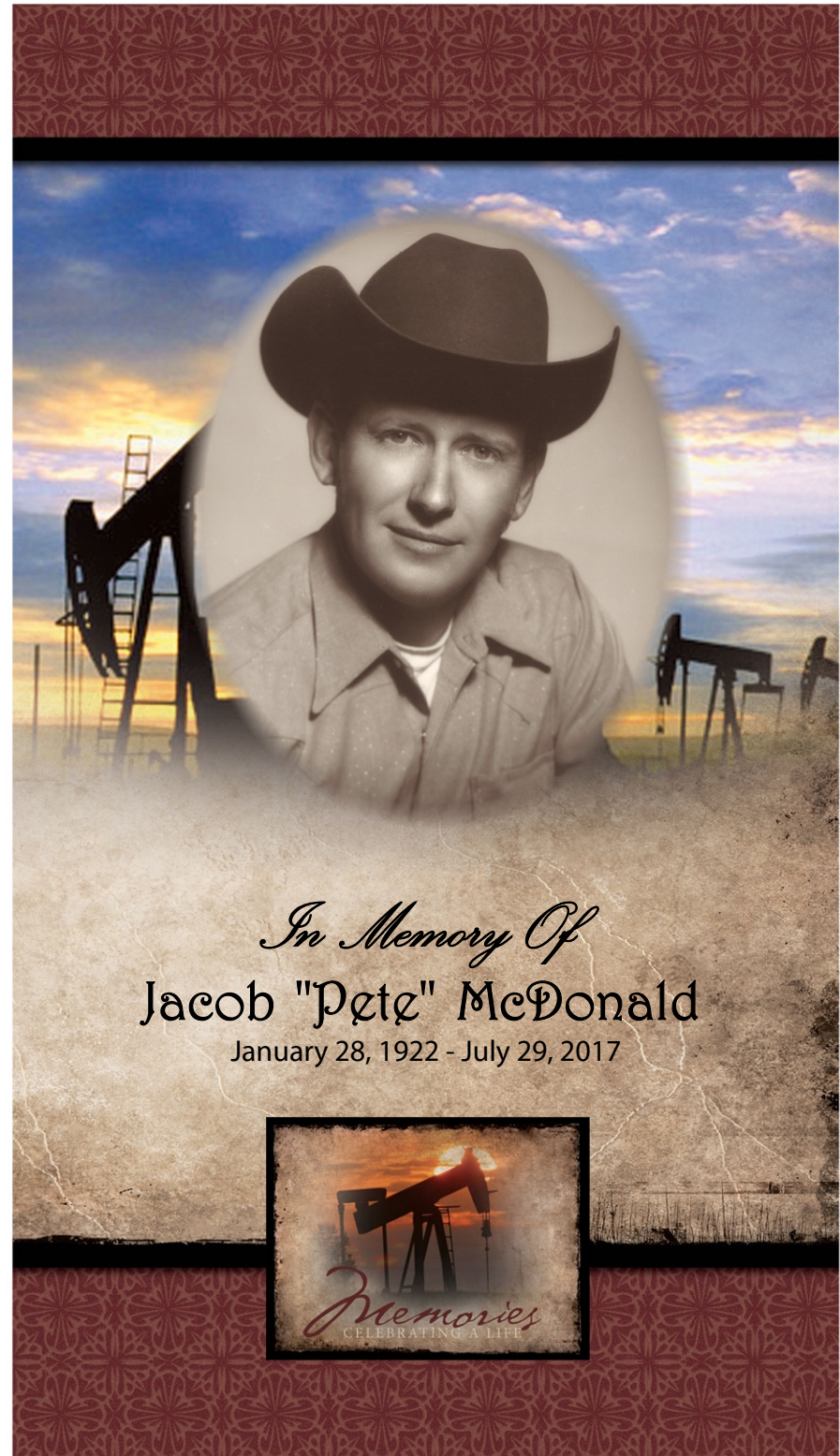
*I'd like the memory of me  
To be a happy one.*

*I'd like to leave an afterglow  
Of smiles when life is done.*

*I'd like to leave an echo  
Whispering softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times  
And bright and sunny days.*

*I'd like the tears of those who grieve,  
To dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave  
When life is done.*

*Carol Mirke*



*In Memory Of*  
**Jacob "Petz" McDonald**

January 28, 1922 - July 29, 2017



# Jacob "Pete" McDonald

Jacob Gates McDonald II, "Pete", 95 passed away peacefully at the Sidney Extended Care Center on July 29th, 2017.

Jacob was born in Rusk County, Texas on January 28, 1922 to Jacob and Sally Davis McDonald. Jacob grew up on the family farm as one of 13 children. He had numerous jobs in his lifetime starting as the Texas cowboy that he remained to the end. He worked as a welder in the shipyards during World War II. He met and married the love of his life Leila Jeanette Alcorn in 1953. Jacob worked in the drilling business that took him throughout the United States and to North Africa, Egypt and Somalia. They eventually settled in Sidney, Montana. Jacob continued in the seismic test hole drilling business, with his own rig, and enjoyed being a "Doodlebugger". After retirement, he did childcare for his grandchildren—actual and "adopted". He had a wonderful garden and beautiful flowers. He especially loved roses. Jacob enjoyed shooting guns, fishing, and going to the fitness center to walk and visit. He made friends everywhere he went. He loved the Lord with all his heart.

Jacob loved his immediate family--David (Joy-Lyn) McDonald, Rebecca Crowley (Wallace Darling), and Jim (Dorene) McDonald. Jacob was a loving grandfather and great grandfather to David's children, Micah and Jacob III, Rebecca's three children, daughter Kristina (Jason) Casale and their son Giovanni, son Jeremy (Tina) Dasinger and their daughters Alexis, Jasmine, and Annie, and daughter Sunshine Jackson, and to Jim's daughter Heather McDonald. He also considered Larry and Candy Swenson's family his own, as well as others throughout the years.

Jacob was preceded in death by his parents, wife, eleven siblings and infant son, Donald Gene McDonald.

Jacob will be missed by all.

## **Date & Place of Birth**

*January 28, 1922 ~ Rusk County, TX*

## **Date & Place of Death**

*July 29, 2017 ~ Sidney, MT*

## **Graveside Service**

*Saturday, August 5, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.*

*Sidney Cemetery*

*Sidney, MT*

## **Officiating**

Pastor Les Anderson

## **Pallbearers**

*Jim McDonald, Heather McDonald, Keith Lindberg,  
Jeremy Dasinger, Dana Crosby, Christopher Singer,  
John Nelson, Larry Swenson, Tucker Zingg*

*All of Jacob's grandchildren are considered honorary  
pallbearers*

## **Final Resting Place**

*Sidney Cemetery*

*Sidney, MT*

