



## Daniel Poke

August 5, 1929 - October 31, 2008

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“ Daniel Poke

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ Drill sergeant Poke was the most memorable person I met in the Army. It was in Sept. 1972 at Ft. Leonard Wood. I was a C.O. in the Army. It was basic training. He rode me like horse. He never belittled me, but constantly pushed me threw BCT. He was big and tough. During one training period, our company was getting ready to crawl thru a tunnel of barbed wire with 18"s of space on our belly. He singled me out and made me crawl thru with my entire company watching me struggle.

When basic training was over Sgt, Poke came up to me and reached out to shake my hand. I wish I can remember what he said to me but i was in shock! I think he said something like good luck to me. I also think he was tough on me to help me survive in case I was in combat.

Rick K. Goodden E-4

Ricki Goodden - February 14, 2021 at 04:23 PM



“ Janice & Family--I'm so sorry to hear of your loss...My heart goes out to you...My thoughts and prayers are with all of you,at this most difficult time...God Bless You...##imported-begin##Margaret De Vido##imported-end##

November 05, 2008 at 06:38 AM



“ Mrs. Poke, I'm sorry for the passing of Mr. Poke, he was good man. I will always remember him. I know he will be looking down upon all of us. My prayers are with you and your family. Sergeant Major###imported-begin##SGM (R) R.B. McGarrah###imported-end##

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November 03, 2008 at 12:42 PM



“ Elizabeth and Family Im so very sorry for the passing of Mr. Poke, he was such a sweet man. I loved the story's that he would tell me about the good ole days when he was growing up. I just loved it when he came up to the store to visit with my Dad and I a###imported-begin##Sheri Dillon###imported-end##

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