



## Mr. Ernest Albert Pigorsch

April 14, 1941 - February 9, 2021

Ernest Albert Pigorsch, 79 years old, stepped out of this life and onto a street of gold on February 9, 2021. Ernest was born in Jackson County, MS to Albert and Alice Pigorsch. (Which preceded him in death) Ernest was the oldest of four children. Brothers Paul and Carl and sister Phyllis. Ernest attended school in Grand Bay, Alabama and graduated in 1959. He was farming by age 16 where he drove his first load of watermelons to market in New Orleans. He loved farming and working the land. The call was made and Ernest answered and joined the Army in January 1964. He served in Ft. Polk, LA and Ft. Hood, TX before being shipped out to Vietnam. He was honorably discharged on January of 1966. After coming home he served in the National Guard for several years. In 1966 Ernest met the love of his life, Vicki Lynn Peyregne. They married on Nov. 17, 1967 and celebrated 53 years in Nov. 2020. During their life together Ernest & Vicki served the Lord side by side in The Church of God of Prophecy. Ernest held the position of deacon, Sunday school teacher and 25 years they served as Pastors of the Chickasaw Church of God of Prophecy. In 2002 he was ordained a Bishop and also served as an area Presbytery. Along with ministry, Ernest also worked for a short time at International Paper, Sessions Farms, City of Bayou La Batre, and H K Porter aka Corning Glass for 17 years. His favorite past time was his collection of John Deere "toy tractors" and memorabilia. In 2010 Vicki surprised Ernest with a dream trip to Moline, IL to the John Deere Museum and Factory. The youth surprised him with an office make over and painted it John Deere Green

trimmed in yellow. He was thrilled! He is survived by his wife Vicki Lynn, all his siblings and their spouses, multiple nephews, and nieces adopted by heart daughters and children, cousins, family and many friends. Ernest never met a stranger and his presence will be greatly missed by us all.

## Cemetery Details

### Grand Bay Cemetery

Grand Bay, AL

## Previous Events

### Graveside Service

FEB 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

Grand Bay Cemetery  
Grand Bay, AL

# Tribute Wall

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“ We have very fond memories of Bro. Pigorsch as well as his precious wife. He was a good man of God & preached God's Holy Word without apology. He shared with me a memory once of his time served in Viet Nam. He served our Country & served our God faithfully. Rest in peace Brother & enjoy your reward.  
Rev. & Mrs. Ray Norris

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**Linda Norris** - February 17, 2021 at 04:59 PM

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“ always a kind and happy man he will be missed by all that knew him his whole family are great people love y'all and may GOD bless so sorry for y'all's loss

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