



Mr Robert Edward Petersen

May 9, 1939 - November 16, 2019

Robert Edward Petersen, at 80 years of age, lost his battle with cancer on Saturday, November 16, 2019, in Baldwin County, Alabama. He leaves behind a son Robert Petersen of Colorado and son David Kirkpatrick of Fairhope, Alabama.

Born and raised in Illinois, he was a graduate of Moody Bible Institute prior to joining the Marine Corp in 1966. He held the rank of Staff Sergeant E6 and served as a sniper in Viet Nam. In his later years Bob served as a Chaplain for the Marine Corp in Los Angeles, California.

Bob's first love in life was his horse. He loved horseback riding, taking his horse to shows and generally attending every equine related activity that he could. When he was not with his horse he was the Safety and Security Director for United Parcel Service for Southeastern Texas and Louisiana, followed by some years at Federal Express. Once he retired, it was all horses!

Bob is preceded in death by his mother, Dorothy Petersen, his father, Clifford Petersen and his son, Travis Petersen.

A funeral service will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 21, 2019, at the Veterans' Cemetery in Spanish Fort, Alabama.

Cemetery Details

Alabama State Veterans Memorial Cemetery

34904 State Highway 225
Spanish Fort, AL 36527

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 21. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr Robert Edward Petersen*

October 04, 2023 at 01:12 PM



“ *Mr Robert Edward Petersen*

November 08, 2022 at 06:34 PM