



Mr. Royal David Peterson

September 29, 1940 - April 26, 2022

Royal David Peterson age 81 of Milton passed away on April 26, 2022 at his home surrounded by his family. He was born and raised in Minnesota as well as California. He earned his engineering degree from Villanova University as well as an MBA from Troy University. He served in the U.S. Army as an Aviator for 8 years, piloting various aircraft while achieving numerous commendations. They include the Flying Cross, several Bronze Stars and two Purple Hearts. He completed his career with the rank of Captain as a flight instructor. He started three different businesses, among them being one of the first laser manufacturers in the world. He was personally responsible for over 10 patents involving lasers and their manufacturing processes. He merged his laser company and continued working for Coherent Laser, traveling all over the world as Market Develop manager until he retired in 2016. Mr. Peterson was a longtime member of Providence Baptist Church. Royal "Pete" is survived by his wife of 54 years, Bulah Anne Peterson; sons, Kirk (Julie) Peterson and Kevin (Andee) Peterson as well as 7 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2022 at 11AM at Providence Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Providence Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Friday from 12PM to 2PM and 6PM to 8PM at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors.

Cemetery Details

Providence Baptist Church Cemetery

14500 Providence Road
Alpharetta, GA 30004

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **29**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Visitation

APR **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

APR **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Providence Baptist Church
14500 Providence Road
Alpharetta, GA 30004

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Royal David Peterson*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.*



April 29, 2022 at 12:08 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.*



April 29, 2022 at 07:04 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.*



April 28, 2022 at 09:25 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.



April 28, 2022 at 04:53 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.



April 28, 2022 at 03:04 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.



April 28, 2022 at 10:48 AM



“ *Kenneth & Diana and Family* purchased the *Large Basket Garden* for the family of Mr. Royal David Peterson.



Kenneth & Diana and Family - April 27, 2022 at 08:17 PM