



## Mr. Michael Ray Higgins

March 21, 1937 - October 25, 2018

Michael "Mike" Ray Higgins, 81, of Lithia, Florida, born on March 21, 1937 in Duluth, Minnesota, entered into eternal rest on October 25, 2018. He was a beloved husband, daddy, grandfather, great-grandfather, and brother. He will be celebrated and remembered daily by his wife of 57 years, Brigid H. Higgins; daughter, Valerie Higgins Wolf; grandchildren, Rhiana, Britt, and Josh; 5 great-grandchildren; brother, Terry Higgins; sister-in-love, Jeanette Higgins; sister-in-life, Wendy Campbell; and countless friends and associates. He so highly regarded and loved the people in his life, whom he touched with his huge heart and magnificent sense of humor. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Michael was loved by all of us as teenagers. He was the "big" brother of our friends, the Higgins', and he treated us younger kids so kindly! While I have not seen him in years, I have such wonderful memories of him when we were all growing up and living in Minneapolis.*

*Love and prayers to all his family.*

*Patti (Bluml) Timmons  
Bellevue, WA*

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**Patti Bluml Timmons** - December 07, 2018 at 01:23 PM

“ *Mr. Higgins had a very special place in our hearts. He always brightened my day every time he would come into the bank. He loved his lollipops and always joked with Mrs. Higgins. He had a special name for me which was happy feet. When I was promoted to Regional Manager he would always ask the staff "how is happy feet". I got to see him earlier in the year when I was visiting the center and he gave me a BIG hug. I am so sorry for your loss and it is certainly ours. No matter the stressful day I was having as soon as I saw Mr. & Mrs. Higgins, I would stop what I was doing to say Hi. He brightened many lives!*

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**Jessica Tressler** - November 06, 2018 at 06:41 PM



“ Our family invites you to Celebrate the life of Mike Higgins, Friday, November 2, 2018 beginning at 1:00 pm until whenever as your schedules permit at 725 Thompson Rd., Lithia. It's a very informal, outdoor, open house! Please bring your favorite pot luck dish and adult beverage's of choice and we'll tell all our stories and share the many ways this incredible man touched our lives.

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**Valerie Wolf** - October 28, 2018 at 01:10 PM



*Please park safely on the street and walk up, thanks!*

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**Valerie Wolf** - October 28, 2018 at 01:13 PM

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*Valerie, I will be there for absolute sure. Your father will be surely missed. What can I bring. Please call me at 863-797-7342*

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**Becky** - October 30, 2018 at 01:59 PM

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“ One of the coolest fathers I have ever met. He had a great , exciting life ,in his younger years, and lived the remainder- as a mellow, thoughtful, humorous man. And I loved him .He will always be in my heart ❤️ Judy

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**judy henry** - October 28, 2018 at 10:00 AM

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“ I miss my Granny Paw dearly. Being able to spend so much time with him in my early years helped me grow into the woman I am today. He fostered a deep love of nature within me and a curiosity about life and nature that I am grateful for every day.

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**Britt** - October 27, 2018 at 10:28 PM