



## George Russell

September 2, 1941 - April 8, 2021

George Russell was born September 2, 1941 in Somerville, TN.

He was baptized at an early age. He was a member of Burning Bush Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Luther Watkins until his passing. He united in Holy Matrimony to Bobbie Joe Russell on April 27, 2001 but were together for 38 years.

George Russell, affectionately known and called by George Pogeys by, passed away on Wednesday, April 8, 2021 at the age of 79.

He is preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Bobbie Joe Russell. He leaves to cherish his memory, Two daughters, Sheron Doyle (Eddie King), Sarah Williams (Gregory Willimas) two siblings, Thelma Pittman, Willie Pittman, Phillip Pittman (Joyce); three nieces whom he raised as his own, Angel McClorn, Ruby Williams, and Lisa Griffin (Theo) and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

APR 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

George Williams Memorial Chapel  
5270 Knight Arnold Rd.  
Memphis, TN 38118-3505

## Committal Ceremony

APR 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

New Park Cemetery  
4536 Horn Lake Road  
Memphis, TN 38109