



## EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY

October 7, 2024

Edward "Buddy" Gerald Oglesby, of Pleasant Grove, Alabama, passed away October 7, 2024. Buddy married the love of his life Mary Jo Willis on October 7, 1952. He was a proud US Army Korean War Veteran. Honorably Discharged on 08/06/1953 Rank of Sgt (T) 13 with Korean Service Medal w/4 bronze Stars and the UN Service Medal. He became a member of Harmony Baptist Church/First Baptist Church of Pleasant Grove in 1959 and served as a Deacon for many years. He was active in the Choir and Sunday School. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge for over 50 Years. He retired from US Steel as an overhead crane operator.

Buddy was preceded in death by his wife Mary Jo Willis Oglesby; parents William D. Oglesby and Mabel Cummingham Oglesby; brother Robert Oglesby (Joy); sister Peggy Tucker (Charles); niece Jackie Tucker. He is survived by his daughters Eddie Jo Howard (Sandy), Lisa Kohler (Kim), Tracy Barthold (David); grandchildren Matthew Howard (Marsha), Joshua Howard, Carrie Hedman (Derick), Lana Shaw (Hunter), Lara Turner (Ron), Laci Ellison (Matt), Loni Moore (Jesse), Skylar Jolliffe; great grandchildren Lindsay Howard, Elizabeth Howard, Conrad Hedman, Silas Hedman and Callum Hedman, Abbey Turner, Charlie Turner, Sara Nicholson, Landon Adams, Maxwell Ellison, Lucy Ellison; nieces and Nephews: Linda Tucker, Chuck Tucker, Robert Oglesby Jr. (Annette), James Oglesby.

The visitation will be Thursday, October 10, 2024, from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM at First Baptist Church Pleasant Grove. The funeral service will be at 2:00 PM at the Church, with Rev. Les Hughes. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Gardens.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY.*



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October 10, 2024 at 10:05 AM



“ *Marshall R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY.*

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**Marshall R.** - October 09, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ *Marshall R. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY.*



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**Marshall R.** - October 09, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ *Love, Clint, Holly and Maddie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY.*

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**Love, Clint, Holly and Maddie** - October 09, 2024 at 03:28 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of EDWARD "BUDDY" GERALD OGLESBY.*



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