



## Philip E. Holland

October 11, 1937 - April 25, 2020

Philip E. Holland left his earthly shackles and entered into the presence of his Heavenly Father on April 25, 2020 at 11:00 PM. He is survived by Audrey Karleen Holland - his wife of 61 years. He is also survived by his three children, Marylin Lynn McGee, Douglas E. Holland and his wife Bonnie, and Keith E. Holland and his wife Erin. They were blessed with six grandchildren, Katherine J. McGee, Cynthia R. McGee, Kinsley M. Holland, Gavin C. Holland, Selah Grace Holland, and Micah H. Holland.

Philip retired after 23 years from the Air Force in 1979 and relocated to Tampa, Florida where he became a Minister of Education in New Orleans Baptist Church. After that he worked with several different child protective agencies both in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina and Jacksonville, Florida. He and his family were always members of the local Baptist Church where he served as deacon from the age of 25. He lived his life in service and caring for others who were in need. His Christian beliefs were the mainstay and focus for his life. His influence on his family has created a commitment to Christian principles and service in their lives.

He will be buried at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Memorial services will be held at a later date. No flowers are requested and any memorial gifts should be sent to The Samaritan's Purse.

Arrangements entrusted to the Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, FL.

# Tribute Wall

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I will forever cherish my memories of Phil.... i was blessed to have  
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**Barbara Marshall** - April 28, 2020 at 08:12 PM

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**Barbara Marshall** - April 28, 2020 at 08:09 PM