



## Mike Wiygul

April 6, 1945 - May 20, 2026

A memorial service for Mike Wiygul, age 81, of Locust Fork, will be at 1:00 pm on Thursday, June 4, 2026, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home, with Pastor Luther Williams, J.K. Baker, and Rob Coats officiating. Visitation will be held from 11:00 am-1:00 pm on Thursday at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home, prior to the service.

Mike passed away peacefully at home on May 20, 2026, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on Friday, April 6, 1945, to Troy Allen Wiygul and Earlene Odom Wiygul.

He was preceded in death by his; son, Kristopher Michael Wiygul; parents, Troy Allen Wiygul and Earlene Wiygul Clingan Black; brothers, Marshall Wiygul and Gary Wiygul.

Survivors include his wife of fifty-six years, Susan Wiygul; daughter, Elisabeth Turner (Chris); granddaughter, Sophie Foster (Davey); brother, Larry Wiygul; and a host of family and friends.

Mike will always be remembered as a man who loved to serve the Lord through bible studies and through prison ministries. He deeply loved his family and friends and was proud to serve his country. He was a loving husband, father and “Bapa” to those who loved him most. He was a man of bravery,

wisdom, dignity and gratitude. He proudly and courageously served his country in the United States Army - sitting on the edge of a Huey helicopter as a door gunner in the Republic of Vietnam. After he served in the military, he built a career building homes in Tupelo, MS and in Birmingham, AL. He always enjoyed working outside and with his hands. Riding his Harley alongside his wife, Susan, brought him much happiness and they enjoyed many trips together from the East to West coast. But what thrilled Mike the most was keeping his granddaughter Sophie in her younger years and being there to watch her grow up. They developed such a close and special relationship and her "Bapa" gets a lot of credit for shaping her into who she is today. He will be dearly missed by those who knew and loved him.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

JUN 4. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Cullman Heritage Funeral Home  
255 County Road 1435  
Cullman, AL 35058  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Naomi Salcedo & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mike Wiygul.



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**Naomi Salcedo & Family** - June 04 at 01:20 AM

LB

“ Larry and Amy Blake purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mike Wiygul.



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**Larry and Amy Blake** - June 03 at 12:42 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mike Wiygul.



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May 28 at 09:51 AM

DA

“ Susan, I am truly sorry for your loss. I don't know if you remember me, but we met through Ed Howse and the Air Purifiers. Prayers for you and your family.

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**Donna Allen** - May 27 at 10:34 AM

PA

“ Mike was one of my best friends in High School. He will be dearly missed only to meet again in Heaven. Prayers for the family

Phil Allen - May 25 at 08:37 PM

CL

“ So many wonderful memories of Mike who taught our youth group in Tupelo in the late 70's. He loved God & he loved his country.

Colleen McDuffie Lively - May 25 at 07:07 PM

JB

“ The first time I met MIKE, it was like over 20 years ago. He was building a house somewhere near Indian Springs and I pulled in and asked him if he needed a Roofer. After talking a little bit, I noticed his Vietnam Veterans tag and I said you know I need to get one of those. He had a big smile on his face and said were you in Vietnam? I replied no but I can get one because I was a Vietnam era veteran. He laughed and so did I. So many guys would say they were there when they really never even went in the service. I told him the closest I ever got to Vietnam was Japan because I was in special services. Which is not like the green beret or the Navy Seals. It's like the guys that were in the band or played golf for the Service. I was in the Air Force and I played JUDO on the Air Force team. Never had to shoot anybody or have somebody shoot at me. We laughed and became friends forever. God bless all the vets that put their lives on the line or our country. I will always remember my friend. May he enjoy his peace with God.

Jim Butters - May 25 at 06:50 PM

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“ *Jim Butters lit a candle in memory of Mike Wiygul*



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**Jim Butters** - May 25 at 06:30 PM