

COL. WILLIAM E. PEDIGO

1921-2019

ARKANSAS: Col. William E. Pedigo, 97, passed away on January 30, 2019 in Mountain Home, Arkansas.

Bill has lived in Mountain Home for three years and previously lived with his son, Ron and daughter-in-law, Paula, in Yellville for six years. Bill and his late wife, Jacque retired in Runaway Bay, Texas where he helped in founding the Runaway Bay Community Church and lived there over twenty years.

Col. Pedigo spent almost 30 years in the Air Force. He was a bomber pilot during WWII, flying the B24 and B17. During his career he also flew the B47 and the B58. Bill flew 30 missions over Germany.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Jacque Pedigo.

Survivors include his brother, Wallace Pedigo of Wichita, Kansas; a daughter and son-in-law, Susan and Gene Hickman of Helena, Montana; one son and daughter-in-law, Ron and Paula Pedigo of Yellville, Arkansas; two grandsons: Ira and his wife, Leslie Hickman, of Washington and Ryan and wife, Erin Pedigo, of Godley, Texas; two granddaughters: Wendy and husband, Scott Baptist, of Colorado and Kelly Courtney of Ft. Worth, Texas and numerous great grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, February 8, 2019 at the Runaway Bay Community Church under the direction of Hawkins Funeral Home. Burial will follow at the Eternal Oaks Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Ozarks Hospice House, 774 Long Street, Mtn. Home, AR 72653.

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