



## Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter

February 4, 1947 - March 9, 2026

Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter

Born February 4, 1947, in Dayton, Ohio

Went home to be with Jesus on Monday, March 9, 2026.

Greg graduated from schools in Dayton before serving his country in the United States Air Force for four years. He later earned his Bachelor's degree from Franklin University and his MBA from Capital University.

After a successful 30-year career in the business world, he retired from Nationwide Insurance. In retirement, Greg found great joy in serving as a substitute teacher for more than 10 years, a role he truly loved.

Greg was a devoted member of Grace Powell Church, where he faithfully attended for 28 years. During that time he actively served his church community, participated in the Faith Mission, and went on missionary trips. His faith and heart for serving others were central to his life.

He leaves behind his loving wife of 59 years, Sue, and his loving daughter, Kate (Zach) Grimes of Austin, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Grace Powell Church Missions, a ministry that was very close to his heart.

Greg will be remembered for his deep faith, servant's heart, and the love he shared with his family, friends, and community.

There will be a Celebration of Life Service for Greg on Saturday, April 18th at 1:30pm at Grace Powell Church, 7600 Liberty Road North, Powell, Ohio 43065.

# Previous Events

## Celebration Of Life Service

APR **18**. 1:30 PM (ET)

Grace Powell Church  
7600 Liberty Road, North  
Powell, OH 43065

# Tribute Wall



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter.*



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April 17 at 07:43 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter.*



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April 16 at 03:29 PM



“ *For over 14 years I volunteered with Greg at Grace Clinic in Delaware, Ohio. What a blessing he was to so many! Each week he faithfully assisted us in various ways at the free medical clinic there. He helped set up patient areas and with his kind manner and warm smile greeted patients as they arrived. Greg took height and weight measurements and helped the staff and patients complete paperwork. He also prayed with patients who wanted to thank God for the health care services they received. I will miss Greg and always think of him when I reflect upon the importance of having a servant's heart and the courage to share about God's great love for those who are suffering.*

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**Colleen Pavarini—friend and colleague** - April 16 at 02:19 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter.*



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April 16 at 09:13 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter.

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April 16 at 09:13 AM



“ *Xuan Lan and Family fm VietNam purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Gregory (Greg) Stephen Porter.*



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**Xuan Lan and Family fm VietNam** - April 16 at 12:52 AM

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“ We met Greg and Sue during a parking lot service at Grace Powell Church in early 2021. Having recently moved to Ohio, we were searching for a church home and didn't know many people. In the middle of that uncertain time, they welcomed us with open hearts—sharing their lawn chairs and even a blanket to keep us warm. That was Greg—kind, thoughtful, and always ready with a warm smile. He had a natural way of making people feel comfortable and at home. Not long after, they invited us to join their LifeGroup, and what began as a simple moment grew into a meaningful friendship. Greg's love for the Lord and his servant's heart were evident in the way he cared for others. He lived out his faith quietly but powerfully, always putting people first and offering encouragement and kindness wherever he went. We will always be grateful for that first day—and for Greg. He will be deeply missed.  
*Dub & Linda Huggins*

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**Linda Huggins** - April 15 at 02:38 PM

BM

“ Bob's memory of Greg is him standing in all kinds of weather at Whittier and High Streets taking donations for Charity Newsies every fall. We started giving because of Greg's encouragement. He did this so children in need could have new clothing. Greg had a heart for giving because he loved the Lord. We knew him for more than 50 years and witnessed his faithful service to others. He loved working in the church and with young people. It showed in many ways as he opened his home and his heart to them. Greg and his wife Sue had a long and happy marriage and daughter Kate was a true gift to them. Greg will be missed. He was a servant and a friend. *Bob and Miriam Miller*

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**Bob and Miriam Miller** - April 10 at 11:06 AM