



George William Pohorelsky

November 30, 1941 - March 3, 2026

Funeral services for George Pohorelsky, 85, of Giddings, are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, at Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Giddings with Rev. John Waak officiating. Burial will follow in the Giddings Memorial Park. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 10, 2026, from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 a.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Tuesday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

George William Pohorelsky, lovingly known as Sonny Boy and Popo, was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather whose life was defined by hard work, integrity, and an unwavering love for his family.

For 62 beautiful years, he cherished and adored his beloved wife, Jane. Together, they built a life rooted in faith, family, and the enduring values he carried so proudly.

A lifelong resident of Lee County, George was born, raised, and spent his entire life there. He graduated from Giddings High School in 1959 and remained deeply connected to the community he loved. He was a faithful, longtime member of Martin Luther Lutheran Church in Giddings, Texas, where his quiet strength and steady presence reflected the depth of his faith.

George was a proud and dedicated father to his two sons, Steven and David. Some of his greatest joys were found on the baseball field, coaching their Pee Wee teams and guiding not only his boys, but so many others. Coaching was far more than a pastime—it was one of his greatest pleasures. When he wasn't coaching, he could often be found behind home plate, serving as an umpire with fairness and good humor.

A true outdoorsman, George felt most at peace in nature. He loved hunting, fishing, camping, gardening, and tending cattle. The small family farm in Lincoln held a special place in his heart. There, he would often sit quietly by the tank, reflecting on life as he looked out over the water. An avid animal lover, he was never without a beloved fur baby faithfully by his side.

George devoted nearly 40 years of dedicated service to Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative, retiring in 2001. His career was marked by commitment, honor, and a tireless work ethic. Beyond his professional life, he generously gave his time to the Lee County Livestock Show, faithfully assisting in the sales ring and helping raise funds to support the youth of Lee County. Encouraging and investing in young people involved in agriculture was something he deeply believed in.

George never met a stranger. A gentle giant, he was known for his warm smile, steady handshake, and genuine kindness. Above all else, he was a family man. His love never wavered, and he always ensured his family felt cared for, supported, and deeply loved.

George passed away during the early morning hours of Tuesday, March 3, 2026, surrounded by his family, at Towers Nursing Home in Smithville.

He was preceded in death by his father, George; his mother, Martha (Gerlach); and his two sisters, Rose Pohorelsky and Betty (Peschke-Duke).

He is survived by his loving wife, Jane (Marburger); his sons, Steven and wife Christi, and David and wife Hope; his grandchildren, Colter Pohorelsky and wife Paige, Kyle Pohorelsky, Ashley Perez and husband Paul, and Reagan Sinclair and husband Luke; his great-grandchildren, Rowdy Pohorelsky, Townes and Whitley Perez, and Sadie Sinclair; his brother, Charles; and many nieces and nephews.

George's legacy of love, dedication, and quiet strength will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Martin Luther Lutheran Church (The Church on Main) or to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

Giddings Memorial Park

900 West Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 10. 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Family Present for Visitation

MAR 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Visitation

MAR 11. 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
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Funeral Service

MAR 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

Martin Luther Lutheran Church
573 North Main Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of George William Pohorelsky*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - March 09 at 06:04 PM

DN

“ *Prayers and love to the family from Darrel and Vickie Neutzler*

Darrel and Vickie Neutzler - March 11 at 10:53 AM

CF

“ *Condolences to the family, treasure your memories of Mr. Pohorelsky.*

Charlene Farrack - March 10 at 08:55 PM

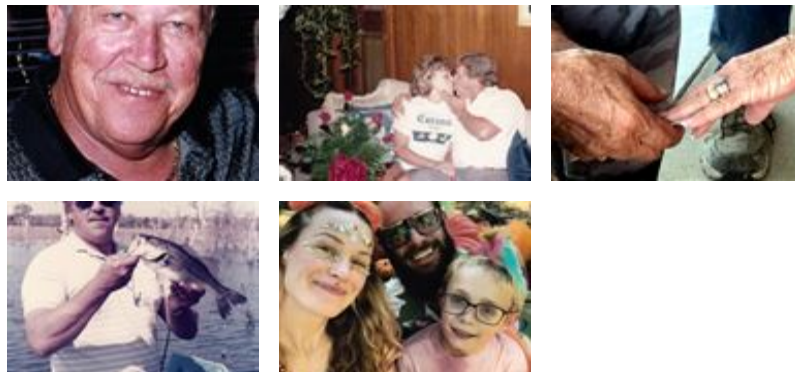
DS

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with you all. Enjoyed working with George. May He Rest In Peace.
Doug & Lisa Schlemmer*

Douglas Schlemmer - March 10 at 06:40 PM



“ 85 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - March 09 at 05:56 PM



“ *Ronnie and Gail purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of George William Pohorelsky.*



Ronnie and Gail - March 09 at 01:40 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of George William Pohorelsky.*



March 07 at 11:15 AM

SS

“ My condolences to Jane, Steve, David, and family, may you treasure the wonderful memories that you have with George.



Sylvia Sharp - March 06 at 10:10 PM

WM

“ With much love from the Miller's. purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of George William Pohorelsky.



With much love from the Miller's. - March 06 at 11:51 AM

WB

“ Wayne and Shari Boes lit a candle in memory of George Pohorelsky



Wayne and Shari Boes - March 05 at 08:11 PM

LF

“ Love - Patsy Williamson & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George William Pohorelsky.

Love - Patsy Williamson & family - March 05 at 03:16 PM

LF

“ Love - Patsy Williamson & family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of George William Pohorelsky.



Love - Patsy Williamson & family - March 05 at 03:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George William Pohorelsky.



March 05 at 11:00 AM

RS

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Rebecca Sherrill - March 05 at 10:25 AM

TM

“ Teresa Muniz lit a candle in memory of George Pohorelsky



Teresa Muniz - March 05 at 10:23 AM

VF

“ Violet Frosch lit a candle in memory of George Pohorelsky



Violet Frosch - March 05 at 09:45 AM

JS

“ Sympathy and prayers for the family and friends. George was a very special person.

Jeanette Schoenst - March 05 at 09:39 AM

DJ

“ Mr. Pohorelsky was a family friend my entire life.He was one of the best. Fly high Mr. George ❤️

Daryl Janda - March 04 at 07:51 PM