

## **Pastor Michael O. Christensen, 68**

**March 3, 1949 - Oct. 22, 2017**

**HANAPEPE, HI** – Pastor Michael O. Christensen, 68, of Hanapepe, Hawaii, formerly of Harlan, passed away Sunday, Oct. 22, 2017 at a hospital in Sidney, Australia.

Michael was born to Orin and Jeannine Christiansen on March 3, 1949. He graduated from Harlan Community High School in 1967, from Ottawa College, Ottawa, KS in 1971, from Central Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, MO in 1977.

He and the love of his life, Gail Lesh, were married May 27, 1973. To this union three daughters were born: Jeannine of Virginia, Rebecca of Minnesota and Ellen of Virginia. He and Gail have 7 grand children all living. He is also survived by a brother, Kim Christensen of Sioux City.

Michael was preceded in death by his parents, sister Ann Kathleen Christensen all of Harlan, and a son-in-law John Moschione of Virginia.

No local services will be held.