



Bro. Billy S. Perkins

August 18, 1939 - June 16, 2019

Frankfort – Billy Sheldon Perkins, age 79, passed away Sunday, June 16, 2019, in Frankfort. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home Saturday, June 22, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. with Rev. Jay Stratton and Rev. Tim Jumpp officiating. Burial will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. The family will receive friends at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Friday, June 21, 2019.

Born August 18, 1939, to the late Stephen Sheldon Perkins and Clara Bell Graham Perkins, Billy spent a life dedicated to spreading the word of God. A Pastor for many years, he served at Peaks Mill Baptist Church and Bellepoint Community Church, as well as assisted in many churches throughout the community. He was a Veteran of the Kentucky National Guard. Billy loved sports, especially University of Kentucky and Franklin County sports. A lifelong coach, he had a passion for working with the children of the community. As an avid outdoorsman, he enjoyed fishing and hunting. He retired as the Chief Electric State Fire Marshall, after serving many years with Kentucky State Government. Before his retirement, he worked for Cunningham Electric and later on, Ancient Age Distillery. He was a member of the Franklin County School Board for 12 years, as well as the IBEW Local 369. With a talent for crafts, Billy enjoyed making birdhouses alongside his wife. Above all, he loved his children and grandchildren, and enjoyed spending time with his family.

He is survived by his children, Mary E. “Liz” Hutchison, William “Bill” Harrison

Hutchison, Ancil Ray Hutchison, Stephen Sheldon Perkins, and Stewart Scott Perkins; sister, Patricia Brewer; sister-in-law, Patricia "Trish" Ann Florian; brothers-in-law, Billy Mills and Joseph Florian; and numerous beloved grandchildren and great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Ida Elizabeth Mills Perkins; son, Alva Ray Collins; and sister, Barbara Wagoner. Serving as pallbearers will be family and friends.

The family would like to extend their sincere gratitude to the staff at Frankfort Regional Medical Center and Bluegrass Hospice Care for their compassion, love and great care shown to Billy.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Frankfort Cemetery

215 East Main Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-2403

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 21. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
(502) 227-4526
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<https://www.harrodbrothers.com>

Service

JUN 22. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bro. Billy S. Perkins*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Lisa Sparks lit a candle in memory of Bro. Billy S. Perkins*



Lisa Sparks - April 12, 2021 at 01:00 PM



“ *I've known Billy most of my life, as he was a friend of my father, Charles Conway. I remember he & Lib going up the river with us on my dad's houseboat. Then they were neighbors when we moved to Thorn Hill. He was a friend of my brother, Charlie, & spent a lot of time at his garage on Rouse Avenue. Billy officiated at Charlie's funeral 7 years ago. He comforted our family by telling stories of his & Charlie's adventures which involved either, off the road experiences, working on vintage cars together, or fun on the river. I remember always seeing Billy, Lib & Liz at the Ky. Gourd Show, in Taylorsville each year. Then there was the time my husband, Willie & Billy went rabbit hunting together. Will surely miss those hugs. Rest in peace, my friend.*

Mary Lou Payton

Mary Lou Payton - June 23, 2019 at 09:12 AM

SF

“ Billy was a dear friend of my late husband, Kenny Foster, and me. Both electricians, they worked together at Schenley Distillers, now Buffalo Trace, as well as the State Fire Marshal's Office. They also shared faith in Jesus. When Kenny passed away in 2016, Billy graciously spoke the most comforting words at his service. We loved him dearly. He was a true servant of the Lord.

Susan Foster - June 23, 2019 at 03:50 AM

GW

“ Gina Wash lit a candle in memory of Bro. Billy S. Perkins



Gina Wash - June 21, 2019 at 01:28 PM



“ 120 files added to the album LifeTributes



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - June 20, 2019 at 10:37 AM

TS

“ *I never knew a better person and soul winner than Billy. Well done Billy.*

Tommy Sparks - June 19, 2019 at 06:32 PM

DL

“ *Sorry to hear of Billy's passing. Billy was a very dedicated Public Servant. I'm glad I had the privilege of working with him.*

Former Commissioner Dennis Langford.

Dennis Langford - June 19, 2019 at 08:24 AM

MH

“ *What a man THIS man was. Hugs and prayers for peace and comfort.*

Melissa Hall - June 18, 2019 at 09:49 PM

DE

“ *My prayer goes out to the family. Billy was the sweetest man and he'll be missed .RIP*

dorene ellis - June 18, 2019 at 09:41 PM

DL

“ My prayers are with the family of this man! I am forever in debt to his son Steve and his kind treatment to me and my boys over the years. His father was a staple at Friday night flyer football games! And no matter what the outcome he was proud of our boys and our coaches and the hard work! A true fan! He always took time to ask about my family, and how life was! A rare attribute in today's hustle and bustle world! God bless him, and take comfort in remembering that we never truly die, when we have impacted others through the word of god, and been a servant to young people through sport.



dennis ledford - June 18, 2019 at 02:37 PM

FS

Bless his Heart.....

Frank T Smith - June 18, 2019 at 08:54 PM

NS

God bless all the family. Liz ray and all I love u guys and pray u get comfort from our Lord. Friends for life

nona snow - June 18, 2019 at 09:14 PM

PG

What a good, gentle, loving man. He always greeted me with a big hug. My grandson, Billy, is his grandson. He will be greatly missed by a lot of people. God bless his family and I send my love to them.

Priscilla Goins - June 22, 2019 at 10:13 AM