



## Carlton W. "Butterball" Bickers

March 27, 1950 - February 3, 2022

Frankfort – Carlon Wayne Bickers, age 71, passed away on Thursday, February 3, 2022. Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Friday, February 11, 2022, at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Daniel Wilson 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 Wednesday, February 9, 2022, and on Thursday, February 10, 2022.

Lovingly known as “Butterball” by many, Carlon was born in Frankfort on March 27, 1950, to the late Robert Melwood Bickers and Betty Jean Kuhn Sutton. He was a 1969 graduate of Frankfort High School and attended Kentucky State University, University of Tennessee and Eastern Kentucky University. Carlon retired from the Kentucky State Department of Highways after 34 years of service. He was a longtime supporter of the Frankfort High School Athletics program where he coached Frankfort High School football for many years alongside Raymond Webb and others. He served time coaching wrestling at Frankfort High School where he was known for his famous workout “Bickersize.” In addition, he was a black belt in Chito – KAI. As an avid fan, enjoyed UK Football games and held season tickets for over 20 years and also enjoyed watching LV Raiders and Green Bay Packers, and MLB St. Louis Cardinals games. Carlon loved to walk or jog as a part of his daily workout routine.

Known as a man that never was at a loss for words, he loved to talk and fellowship with everyone he came in contact with. He was a faithful and

lifetime member of First Apostolic Church of Frankfort. He had special bonds with many youths and became more than just a coach to most. He was a father figure to so many. He enjoyed his family more than anything else, especially being with his grandchildren.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 52 years, Sheila Ann Bickers; children, Michael Wayne Bickers and Jaclyn Bickers Roth (Stephen); grandchildren, Kyler, Corynn, Easton, Carter, and Kerrington. He was also blessed with nieces, nephews, and friends; as well as lifetime friends, Mike Harrod, Don and Ruth Maxey of California; and two additional "grandkids" Katherine King and Christopher Lopez.

Serving as pallbearers will be Michael W. Bickers, Kyler Richie, Stephen Roth, Shane Smith, Marty Redmon, Robin Kuhn, David Kuhn, Mark, Loy, Leon Redmon, Mike Harrod, Bill Moore, and Raymond Webb. Honorary pallbearers will be Daniel Redmon, John Redmon, Dewayne Redmon, Floyd T Quire, Greg Miklavcic, Greg Moore, James Young, Thomas Wideman, Kevin Loy, Easton Richie, John Sykes, John Harris, Raymond Bickers, Former FHS Football Players and Wrestlers that were coached throughout the years by Coach Bic

Livestreaming of the services will be available on Friday, February 11, 2022, after 10:30 a.m. via [www.harrodbrothers.com/service-videos](http://www.harrodbrothers.com/service-videos)

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

# Cemetery Details

## Frankfort Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **9**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

FEB **10**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home  
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## Live Streaming of Service

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FEB 11. 10:30 AM (ET)

HB Live Streamed Services

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3Tu6xc7pPEA72hRG8Mmlow>

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# Tribute Wall



“ Miss you always and forever ❤️

c - October 17, 2024 at 10:22 AM



“ Daddy, nothing but the time has changed since you left this earth. I say nothing but I guess we're all older, a bit more grayer and we all still miss you more than you could imagine. I know you're with me in spirit I have definitely felt your presence! I know you see how my babies have grown! Don't worry Bob has gladly taken over your seat at Kroger Field!! He's really become a huge fan! Falls rt in your footsteps! I definitely missed you at Christmas nobody grabbed the trash bag as the kids unwrapped their gifts! Rock woke Bob up like you would have to continue on the tradition... that girl of mine is more like me every single day and misses you so much! Mom and Mike are doing good. Mike is awesome helping mom out with everything! You would be proud! You definitely left behind some great memories and don't worry I still yell "Meat, Taters" while sitting at the table like the good ol' Darling family!  
I know you see our troubles and heartbreak just continue to give me signs of peace and love letting me know you're still here!!  
I love you Daddy!

jackie - December 29, 2023 at 05:09 AM



“ Carlon W. "Butterball" Bickers

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM

JB

“ daddy I wish you were here... I know you're watching over us but I miss you so much

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jackie bickers - April 28, 2022 at 10:50 PM

JB

“ Daddy it's not getting easier as some said it would in time. I miss you more and more each day. My heart is broken m. I would give anything to hear your voice not just on a voicemail but in person. Dad you were the best dad and friend that i'll ever have. you taught me rt from wrong and watched me make mistakes and turned them into teaching moments. You showed me true grit , you taught me not to back down and standup for my beliefs.



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jackie bickers - April 07, 2022 at 05:36 AM

JB

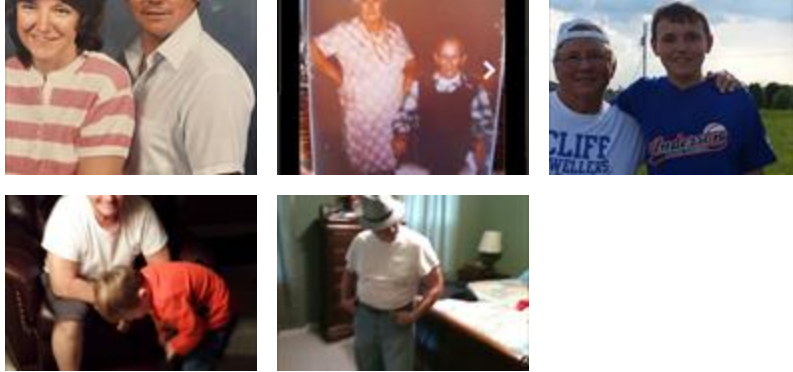
“ I miss you so much daddy i need you here!!

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jackie bickers - March 04, 2022 at 04:09 AM

JB

“ I can't believe I'm posting pictures on Harrods Bro FH website of my dad. He was way to young and such a beautiful soul. He loved everyone , he never judged others only helped. He's way to young to have passed but the song says “Only the good die young”



jackie bickers - February 20, 2022 at 03:57 AM

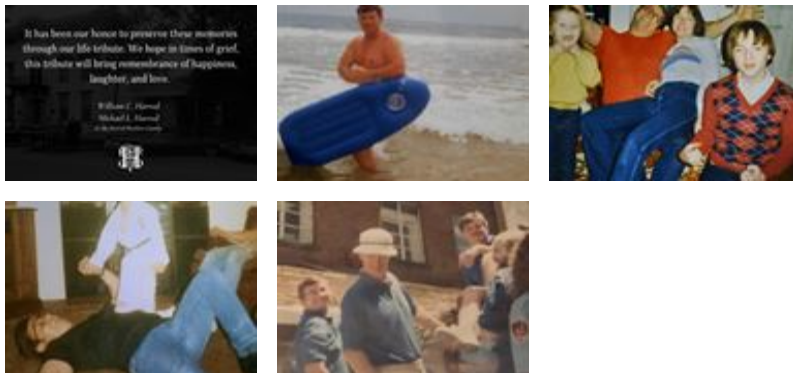
CB

“ Am saddened by the passing of Carlon. Worked with him in the Ky. DOT. He was a good man in all respects. Condolences are extended to all his family and friends.

Charles Baesler - February 10, 2022 at 10:47 AM



“ 61 files added to the album LifeTributes



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - February 09, 2022 at 11:34 AM

DD

“ *Butterball was one of the nicest guys in the world. We were friends growing up in Bellepoint and went to school together both at Second St. School and Frankfort High, graduating together in 1969. My sincere condolences to his family. Everyone was blessed to have known him.*

*Danny Dailey*

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**Danny Dailey** - February 08, 2022 at 02:09 PM

TW

“ *Tammy And Walter Weitzel lit a candle in memory of Carlon W. "Butterball" Bickers*



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**Tammy and Walter Weitzel** - February 08, 2022 at 10:15 AM

JJ

“ *Shelia, I'm so sorry to hear this about your husband ...I hadn't heard about this until tonight! This is Judith Jamison ....lives down the Street from you. Naturally, I've talked to your husband several times when he would be out walking and I would be going to mail box or outside for some reason! This was a big, big shock to me!! You have my deepest sympathy !! I sure hate hearing this!! If you need anything, call me!! Judith Jamison*

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**Judith Jamison** - February 07, 2022 at 11:50 PM

JH

“ Jackie Rentz and Martha Hicks purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Carlon W. "Butterball" Bickers.



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**Jackie Rentz and Martha Hicks** - February 07, 2022 at 07:10 PM

SS

“ I am so sorry Sheila. Praying for you and your family 🙏.



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**Sabrina Solomon** - February 07, 2022 at 06:42 PM

BS

*Sheila, I am so sorry to hear about Carlon, You are all in my Prayers!*

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**Barbara Solomon** - February 08, 2022 at 12:20 PM

VK

“ Coach Bic was a wonderful person he helped coach my son in wrestling at FHS. I first met him when I also lived in Belle point up the hill on Benson Ave! Thoughts and prayers for his loving family 🙏



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**Vickie Kessler** - February 07, 2022 at 05:14 PM