



## Everett "Buddy" Shelton

October 1, 1938 - August 2, 2025

Everett Coleman (Buddy) Shelton, 86, of Waddy, Kentucky, passed away on Saturday, August 2, 2025. Born on October 1, 1938, in Frankfort, Kentucky, he was the son of the late Martin and Edna Shelton.

Buddy was preceded in death by his wife of 33 years, Elizabeth Russell Shelton; a sister, Shirley Shelton Hosley; and three brothers, Gene Shelton, Doug Shelton, and Bill Shelton.

Buddy was a beloved father and is survived by two children, Kathy Shelton Bitzer (Russ) of Waddy and Kevin D. Shelton (Becky) of Paris; Five grandchildren, Eric Temple (Kitty) of Waddy, Bethany Temple Wilson (Joe) of Frankfort, Krista Shelton Johnson (Fred) of Richmond, McKalyn Shelton Collis (Tyler) of Paris and Macey Shelton of Paris; Eight great-grandchildren, Kayden Pierce, Kaylee Jewell, Ryleigh Temple, Jackson Johnson, Jacob Johnson, Kyler Collis, Kynleigh Collis, and Jaylen Potts; a brother, Jimmie Shelton (Sandy) of Frankfort; and a special friend, Martha Woolums of Frankfort.

Buddy served in the United States Army and retired from FMC Link Belt in 1995, after 20 years of dedicated service. He was also a self-employed contractor, building many homes in the Frankfort area and a farmer. After his retirement, Buddy enjoyed buying and selling antiques and was the proud owner of Buddy's Bargains.

Funeral Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Thursday, August 7, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. David Smith officiating. Burial will follow

at Sunset Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Thursday.

Serving as pallbearers will be J.C. Hosley, Ricky Shelton, Joe Wilson, Tyler Collis, Darren Jackson, and J.R. Shelton.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 7. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

AUG 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MW

“ Buddy was a great guy. We had a lot of fun as kids growing up. He was always very good to me and always made me feel at home when I visited him and his family. My prayers are with the family at this time. Love to all the family from your cousin Marlene Weir

Marlene Weir - August 05, 2025 at 06:33 PM



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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - August 05, 2025 at 09:31 AM

CM

“ I visited with Buddy many times perusing his antiques and collectibles and my family and I own several items we bought from Buddy. He was sure a nice guy! Sympathies to the family.

Ceci Mitchell - August 05, 2025 at 09:05 AM

BF

“ *Beulah Wiley Franks lit a candle in memory of Everett "Buddy" Shelton*



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**Beulah Wiley Franks** - August 04, 2025 at 06:09 PM

JC

“ *Jana Cox lit a candle in memory of Everett "Buddy" Shelton*



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**Jana Cox** - August 04, 2025 at 01:32 PM

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“ *Tammie Smith lit a candle in memory of Everett "Buddy" Shelton*



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**Tammie Smith** - August 04, 2025 at 01:20 PM