



George Gilbert Aldridge Jr

May 14, 1947 - December 24, 2018

Frankfort – George Gilbert Aldridge, Jr., age 71, passed away at home Monday, December 24, 2018. Memorial Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Friday, December 28, 2018, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Jay Stratton officiating. Visitation will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 12:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. service time on Friday.

George was born in Frankfort on May 14, 1947, to the late George Gilbert Aldridge, Sr., and Helen Louise Travis Aldridge. He was united in marriage to Veda Kay Jewell Aldridge of Frankfort. He retired from Kentucky State University. As an avid outdoorsman and gun enthusiast, he enjoyed fishing, hunting, and spending time with his dogs. Being an all-star athlete, George spent much of his life in sports, coaching softball and basketball for Frankfort Parks & Rec and Frankfort High School Softball, as well as umpired for several leagues for all ages. Above all, George loved his family and friends.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children, Shane Ross Aldridge (Stephanie), Shannon Rae Aldridge, Cassie Lee Aldridge, and Shelby Raye Aldridge; sister, Peggy Aldridge Thompson (Ronnie); grandchildren, Shayna Raelynn Aldridge and Blakely Raye Aldridge; and uncle, Jack Travis.

Flowers are welcome and expressions of sympathy may be made to the Franklin County Humane Society.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **28**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Harrod Brothers Funeral Home
312 Washington Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
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Service

DEC **28**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *George Gilbert Aldridge Jr*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Oh, Veda, your heart must be breaking. George had left this Earth way too soon. What a great guy you married. When successful and loving relationships were the topic, your marriage to George was right at the top. It is wonderful you found him to love and to welcome those beautiful girls into this world. I love you, girl, and send you hugs to help you through this time of grief, sadness, and loss. Rest in peace, dear George.*

Candace Sacre - December 29, 2018 at 01:05 PM



“ *Shane and Stephanie, so sorry for your loss. I'm hoping you are surrounded by people you love to help with the moments it gets overwhelming! A lot of us from the lake have lost a parent this year! Difficult year to say the least. God is bigger than our pain! Thinking about you!*

Pam fife - December 29, 2018 at 08:41 AM



“ *He was great person to know. God be with Aldridge's family. He loved sports. He very funny person. Lots joy to be around.*

Pat Kitts - December 28, 2018 at 05:37 PM

GH

“ George will be missed by many. He enjoyed life and those around him. I was glad our paths crossed from Big Eddy hunting & fast cars to the basketball courts and softball fields. We always had a good time, both on and off the courts and ball fields; he was a competitor no doubt. I was glad to have seen him the last time I was in Frankfort and as usual with that smile and a witty comment George was being George as is always expected of course.

My condolences to Veda and the family.

Gary Hock / Florida

GARY HOCK - December 28, 2018 at 04:14 PM

AC

Veda I am so sorry for your loss I was planning to come to the visitation but I was broke out in hives so bad if you need anything I am just a phone call away ok you and your family had my sympathy

amelia cline - December 30, 2018 at 09:40 AM

JJ

“ *Joetta Jouett lit a candle in memory of George Gilbert Aldridge Jr*



Joetta Jouett - December 27, 2018 at 03:38 PM



“ 63 files added to the album Life Tributes



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - December 27, 2018 at 03:13 PM

JR

“ What a great guy....So sorry to hear of his passing. He always had a smile on his face. R.I.P. buddy.

Junie Redden - December 27, 2018 at 11:13 AM

RE

“ What a unique individual. As an athlete, he was smooth and graceful. As a classmate, he had a sly wit and quiet awareness that could only endear one to him. As a friend, he was genuine. Godspeed, George.

Ron Easterly - December 27, 2018 at 10:38 AM

MT

“ Rest easy now my friend I'll see you again when I trun the corner

Marvin Thompson - December 27, 2018 at 01:23 AM

HW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. And I'm sorry I won't be able to tell you, Veda, and your daughter in person since I am living in California. But I know that George & Berry Scott are getting everyone together for another wild and rambunctious Softball game. My heart is grieving with you.



-Holly White & Angelique

Holly White - December 26, 2018 at 11:41 PM



“ so sorry for your loss...George was an awesome man and will be missed by many. prayers and hugs for the family during this difficult time

Regina

Regina Yount - December 26, 2018 at 07:32 PM

DW

“ So sorry to hear of George's passing. I have known George all my life, from both the softball fields and basketball courts across Frankfort. He was one of a kind, every time I saw him I got that sly smile and firm handshake that told me we were friends for life. George was tops in my book and will be missed by many.

Don Wigglesworth - December 26, 2018 at 06:04 PM

VK

“ So very sorry for your loss! I played co-ed softball with George very nice person! RIP George there is no sickness in heaven!



Vickie Kessler - December 26, 2018 at 05:43 PM

TM

“ I have known George my whole life. My Mother was a childhood friend of Helen and my father and George Sr were bricklayers. What a character he was and i always enjoyed being with him. We worked together on many jobs and competed in sports. The picture of George is how I will always remember him, joyful. I am so sorry to learn of his passing and send my greatest sympathies to his family.
Taylor Manley

Taylor Manley - December 26, 2018 at 04:28 PM