Lee Carroll Penn

January 24, 1938 - August 27, 2015

Frankfort - Lee Carroll Penn, age 77, passed away on Thursday, August 27, 2015, at Frankfort Regional Medical Center.

A Celebration of Life Service will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home with Dr. Ray Holdren officiating. In honor of Lee"s love of music, a traditional jazz funeral procession will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. Family and friends will be received at the funeral home Monday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Lee was born in Frankfort on January 24, 1938. He was a retired financial analyst with IBM and relocated with his family to open the IBM facility in Austin, Texas in 1967. Lee and his family returned home to Frankfort in 1973 and he retired in 1991.

Lee is a KY National Guard Veteran and a member of First Christian Church. He is a former member of Elks Lodge No 530 where he served as Exalted Ruler, the Frankfort Boat Club - serving several terms as Treasurer and he and his wife Mary enjoyed many years of camping at Kentucky River Campground.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Mary Lewis Hockensmith Penn; his sons, Jeffrey Lee Penn (Kimberly Sharpe), Stephen Taylor Penn;

daughter, Laura Ellen Penn Keeler (Jonathan); grandchildren, Quincy Lee Penn and Jessamine Mae Penn; brothers, William C. Penn (Glenda Anderson), Jesse C. Penn, Jr. (Donna Hammons); nephew, Jesse C. Penn, III (Miranda Peters) and niece and goddaughter, Emily Marie Penn.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse Church Penn, Sr. and Carroll Quincy Cleveland Penn; and granddaughter, Elizabeth Anne Penn.

Jesse C. Penn, III, Sandy Skip Hockensmith, William C. Penn, Jesse C. Penn, Jr., Quincy L. Penn, Jessamine Penn and Russell Scofield will serve as pallbearers. Honorary bearers are William Bill Juett, Leonard Burns Webb, James Eastman, R. C. Manns, Eugene Pelosi, Kenneth Butch Hockensmith, Jonathan Keeler, Larry True, Tommy Cleveland, Janice Collins and Connie Sewell.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home. Condolences may be shared via the online guest book at www.harrodbrothers.com .

Tribute Wall

Lee Carroll Penn

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Laura, you are in my thoughts and prayers. May the love and support of family and friends help to give you strength in your sorrow.

Freida Vinegar - September 02, 2015 at 10:30 AM

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Mary Lewis and family, we are so sorry to hear of Lee's passing.

I, Larry, was in the same unit of the KY National Guard with Lee in the early 60s. He was a fine person.

I, Janice, worked with Lee in Financial Planning at IBM. He was always considerate and nice, as well as, a hard worker.

We know he will be greatly missed. May God comfort you and give you peace through this difficult time and in the future.

Larry & Janice Pulliam
Georgetown

Larry & Janice Pulliam - September 01, 2015 at 01:13 AM

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I grew up with Lee in Peak's Mill. We had many great times together. I am so very sorry to learn of his passing. My sincere sympathy to Mary Lewis & the family.ðŸ™ ðŸ»

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