



Reed Kimble Harrod

June 27, 1933 - October 2, 2025

Frankfort – Reed Kimble Harrod was born June 27, 1933, in Frankfort, Kentucky. He passed from this life to his heavenly home on October 2, 2025. A celebration of Reed’s life will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Scott Patton officiating. Visitation will be at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 12:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Saturday.

He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Betty Sue Goosey Harrod; children, Reid Kimble Harrod, Jr. (Jennifer), Melody Lynne Stratton (Johnny), Julieanne Harrod, Paula Joan Arnold (Daniel), and two stepsons, Patrick Thomas Carpenter and David Brian Spicer. He is also survived by six grandchildren, Reida Harrod, Bradley (Megumi); Jennifer and Sarah Stratton (Deykel), and Jadie and Angy Arnold; four step-grandchildren, Cameron, Taylor, and Brennon Spicer and Karston Carpenter, as well as seven great-grandchildren, and three dear nephews, Chris, Scott, and Kevin Brawner.

Reed was preceded in death by his parents, Lillard and Evelyn Kimble Harrod; sister, Susanne Brawner (J.C. Brawner); grandchild, Preston Harrod; stepson, Gregory Scott Spicer; and great-niece, Caitlin Brawner.

Reed grew up in Nashville and played at Belmont College on their first basketball team. He worked at a local TV station in Nashville prior to enlisting in the Marine Corps. He played in the Marine Band. Those years were time he reflected on and cherished greatly. He played in many bands over the years. Music was his true enjoyment in life and golf with friends. His dear friend, Tom

Senff was both a musician and a golfer, and the two of them enjoyed playing music and many hours of golf together. Reed graduated from the University of Kentucky with a degree in Chemical Engineering. He retired from GTE Sylvania after 25 years. He was also a Kentucky Colonel of which he was very proud.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to Bluegrass Hospice Care. The family would greatly appreciate this gesture of support. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home & Crematory.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

NOV 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 48 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - October 28, 2025 at 11:44 AM



“ Tammie lit a candle in memory of Reed Kimble Harrod



Tammie - October 24, 2025 at 08:29 PM



“ Our family met Mr. Harrod in church. My husband played worship music on the worship team. So he was blessed to play with him. His music was beautiful and came from his heart. Prayers for comfort for the family.

Pamela Lefler - October 21, 2025 at 12:47 PM

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*So sorry to hear this, I always liked Reid, enjoyed working with him,
seemed like he was always smiling!
Prayers for his family and friends!*

Bobby and Peggy Hardin - October 25, 2025 at 01:19 PM