



Robert "Bobby" Presley

January 15, 1948 - April 28, 2026

Robert Lee "Bobby" Presley, 78, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 28, 2026 at Bluegrass Care Navigators in Lexington surrounded by his loving family.

Services will be held at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home on Saturday, May 9, 2026 at 11:00 am with Rev. Sherman Warfield officiating. Burial will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. Visitation will be at Harrod Brothers Funeral Home from 5:00 to 8:00 pm on Friday, May 8.

Mr. Presley had been battling muscle loss for the past four years. He was recently diagnosed with ALS and had been hospitalized since January 8 of this year on a Ventilator and finally surrendered to it last Tuesday.

He was born in Harrodsburg, KY on January 15, 1948 to the late Harless and Hazel Mayes Presley. His family moved to Frankfort (1956) when he was eight years old and was raised on Wilkinson Street.

He is survived by his wife, of almost 54 years, Sharon Lee Robertson Presley and three sons, Brandon Lee, Jonathan Lee, and Adam Lee (Haley); six grandchildren Austin, Aiden, Kamryn, Ian, Easton, and Caleb all from Frankfort. Additionally, he is survived by three brothers: John, Billy (Mary), and Michael Dale and 1 sister Donna White (Steve); Brother-in-Laws Mike Robertson, David Robertson (Sharon) Houston, TX, and Charlie Robertson Sr. and Sister-in-Law Mary Ann Robertson, and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and five siblings; his twin brother

Gene (still born), David, and Donald (Donna's twin) and two sisters Patricia Ann Risk, and Emma Jean McIver (Louisville).

Mr. Presley was a 1966 Graduate of Frankfort High School and a Veteran of the U.S. Army. Military honors will be observed at the grave site by VFW Post 4075.

He was employed by Schenley Distillery, Topy Corporation, and GECOM. After his retirement he and his brother Billy spent over 10 years painting houses and pressure washing for many people around Frankfort, Lexington, and Lawrenceburg.

He enjoyed spending time with his family and many friends, camping, boating, taking Carnival cruises, and traveling to Texas and Florida. He loved watching Wheel of Fortune, Jeopardy, and UK ballgames at the Office Pub and Deli. He wasn't one to just sit around. He was always working in the yard or mowing his and his neighbors' yards, or just sitting out back in the sun, or on the front porch, usually with a friend or neighbor.

Serving as pallbearers will be Austin Presley, Aiden Presley, Kamryn Presley, Ian Presley, Caleb Presley and Tony Presley.

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

MAY 8. 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>

Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 68 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - May 05 at 08:18 AM

CF

“ Cheryl, Greg and family purchased the "God Has You" 21" Sonnet Chime for the family of Robert "Bobby" Presley.



Cheryl, Greg and family - May 03 at 08:32 AM

CM

“ Sharon, I'm so sorry to read about your Bobby's passing. You two were a great team and you have my sympathy. I think you must've set a record being married for 54 years and that is one helluva accomplishment! Just goes to show how much love you two shared. Hang in there.

Ceci Mitchell - May 01 at 09:52 AM

JP

“ Jennifer Kidd Parker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Presley.

Jennifer Kidd Parker - April 30 at 08:53 PM

JP

“ Jennifer Kidd Parker purchased the Southern Magnolia Tree for the family of Robert "Bobby" Presley.



Jennifer Kidd Parker - April 30 at 08:53 PM

DH

“ Sharon & family - I am so very sorry to read about Bobby's passing. Please accept my deepest and sincerest condolences for your family's loss. you have my prayers.
Debbie Young-Henry

Deborah Henry - April 30 at 05:37 PM

JH

“ We've only known Bob and Sharon for a short time. We send our thoughts and prayers to the family! Bob will be missed.
The Hale Family.



Jaclyn LaFountain Hale - April 30 at 01:21 PM

SS

“ *SABRINA SOLOMON lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Presley*



SABRINA SOLOMON - April 29 at 07:11 PM

SS

“ *So sorry for your loss. Prayers for you all.*

SABRINA SOLOMON - April 29 at 07:10 PM

KI

“ *Sharon and family we are so very sorry to hear about your beloved Bobby. Your Texas family is praying for you all in the coming days.*

Kim - April 29 at 06:49 PM

TL

“ *Tim Lewis lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Presley*



Tim Lewis - April 29 at 05:41 PM

TS

“ *Tammie Smith lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Presley*



Tammie Smith - April 29 at 05:03 PM

TJ

“ *Bob was my supervisor at Ohi/Gecom. He was an all around great man. Always laughing and carrying on with the group at work. Many great memories with him. I know he will be greatly missed by family and his friends. R.I.P.*

Toni Jenkins - April 29 at 04:28 PM