



## Roger Lee Colvin

March 27, 1955 - November 25, 2021

Roger Lee Colvin, 66, of Falmouth, KY, passed away on Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 2021, at St. Elizabeth Health Care in Edgewood. Born on March 27, 1955 in Ft. Thomas, KY, he was the oldest child and son of the late James Colvin and Alta Marie Jacob Colvin. Roger graduated from Pendleton High School and attended the Harrison County Vocational School focusing on machinery/body work as a mechanic. He worked at the Pendleton County Bus Garage before joining his father at Colvin's Body Shop on Broadford Road in Falmouth. Roger built, co-owned, and operated the U.S. 27 Car Wash in Falmouth.

Roger made it look easy to be a good man. From a young age, he valued work and cared for his family and friends. In the good times, his plain-spoken, quick wit delivered with that wry smile always made time with him fun and memorable. In life's challenges and heartaches, Roger's strength, character, and genuine kindness, eased the pain and lightened the load. Always at his side was his soulmate, best friend, and caregiver, Marcia Cropper Colvin, who met Roger for the first time in 1972 when she came to Pendleton County to visit her country cousins. Married on December 4, 1976, this young couple became the anchor for both the Colvin and Cropper families, helping with the tasks of daily living, always just a phone call away. A lifelong Pendleton County resident, Roger especially loved the Licking River.

Roger and Marcia were blessed with two children: Alicia Danielle Colvin, preceding in death on February 18, 2005 and Ryan James Colvin, preceding

on June 3, 2012, and they raised many more.

In addition to his wife of 45 years, Marcia, he is survived by three grandchildren: Carter Ryan Petrey, Levi James Colvin, and Austyn Rylan Colvin; one brother, Randy (Cherie) Colvin of Mt. Sterling, KY; two sisters: Millie (Tim) Delk of California, KY and Lisa (Clint) Stout of Falmouth, KY; one sister-in-law, Dana (BJ) Ariapad of New Richmond, OH; two brothers-in-law: Dennis Crawford and Jeffery Cropper, both of Falmouth, KY; several nieces and nephews; and a host of extended family and friends.

He was also preceded in death by a sister, Pamela Sue Colvin Crawford on August 15, 2017; and his father and mother-in-law, William O. and Christine Thompson Cropper.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, November 29, at Antioch Mills Christian Church with Evan Meyer and Kevin Barnard officiating. Visitations will be on Sunday, November 28, 2021 from 3-8:00 p.m. at Woodhead Funeral Home, Falmouth and on Monday, November 29, 2021 from 10:30 a.m. at Antioch Mills Christian Church preceding his service. Interment will take place in the Riverside Cemetery, Falmouth.

Memorials are suggested to Pamela Colvin Crawford Scholarship Fund c/o Pendleton County Education Foundation: P.O Box 88, Falmouth, KY 41040 and St. Elizabeth STARS Grief Support Groups: 483 South Loop Drive, Edgewood, KY 41017

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

409 Ridgeway Avenue  
Falmouth, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 28. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Woodhead Funeral Home  
310 W. Shelby Street  
Falmouth, KY

## Funeral Service

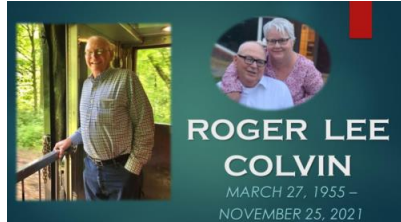
NOV 29. 11:00 AM (ET)

Antioch Mills Christian Church  
12785 Hwy 27N  
Berry, KY

# Tribute Wall



“ *Woodhead Funeral Homes, Memorials, & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Roger Lee Colvin*



Woodhead Funeral Home - November 28, 2021 at 08:07 PM

MG

“ *Marcia and family - I am two years older than Roger and we went through school together. I remember many fun times playing ball with him. He was a really nice, easy going guy with lots of personality. Very sorry to hear of your loss. Have you and your family in my prayers. Mike Gilbert.*

Mike Gilbert - November 29, 2021 at 08:19 PM

DB

“ *Words can't express how sad we are. Roger was a great friend, cousin, and all around good guy. I loved spending time with him and reminiscing about the good ole days and family history. May God be with you Marcia and family.*

David Butcher - November 29, 2021 at 11:56 AM

SL

“ Roger and I had so many good times together it's impossible to remember them all. We camped and fished and did just about everything as we grew up all those years in Falmouth. I sure will miss you my old friend and cousin. May you be at peace and in God's Grace.

*Your cousin, Mike Lucas*

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**Steven Lucas** - November 28, 2021 at 07:28 PM

SG

“ Spending time at Aunt Alta's and Uncle Jim's. Playing matchbox cars and racing when myself, Roger and Randy were supposed to be going to sleep. Playing hide and seek and laughing and making mischief. Begging for popsicles in the summertime. What fun we had. Roger was the best kid and an even greater man. My love to Marcia and my cousins. I'm so sorry.

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**Susan Jacob Grice** - November 27, 2021 at 07:45 PM

RP

“ Marcia i am so very sorry to see this and hear about Roger. Praying for your family during this time. Roger was always very nice and a good man.

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**Robert plummer** - November 27, 2021 at 07:41 PM

KJ

“ Marcia, There are no words of comfort that remove the pain of loss. But I praise God for bringing Roger home to be forever with your dear children. I pray for your peace and comfort and the knowledge that your family's love surrounds you, both from heaven and here on earth. You remain in my prayers. Love, Kathleen Diesman Jones

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**Kathleen Diesman Jones** - November 27, 2021 at 09:34 AM

DW

“ *Very sorry, Marcia and Family. May God be with you.*

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**Don Wells** - November 26, 2021 at 07:12 PM