### **Obituaries**

Mitchell "Mitch" Howard Collings of Greensburg, son of the late Gerald Max "Jerry" Collings and Sylvia Judy Hudson Collings, was born Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1958 in Taylor County, and departed this life Monday, May 3, 2021 at his home. He was 63 years, four months, and two days He had made a

profession of faith

in Christ and was a

member of the Har-

mony Independent

Baptist Church. He

was a Pharmacist and

worked along side his

father at the former

Corner Drug Store

for many years. Mitch

was a member of the

Christian Motorcy-

clist Association, a

member of the former

Green County Lion's

Club for years. Mitch

was also known for

completing the Iron

Butt Challenge trav-

eling on his motor-

cycle from the coast

of Florida to the coast

of California under 50

of 21 years, Theresa

Mae Lobb Collings of

Greensburg, having

united in marriage

and three sons-in-law,

Trisha Hall, Faun and

Brandon Crenshaw,

Magel and Damon

Creason, and Jackie

and Aaron Curtsinger

all of Campbellsville;

three sons and two

daughters-in-law, Mi-

chael Collings, Matt

and Layla Collings,

and Mitchell and

Elizabeth Collings

all of Campbellsville;

father-in-law and

mother-in-law, Ralph

and Eddie Mae Lobb

of Greensburg; two

brothers and sisters-

in-law, Gregory Alan

and Christina Collin-

gs of Nicholasville,

and Gerald "Jerry"

Other survivors include four daughters

Oct. 23, 1999.

Survived by his wife

Mitchell Howard Collings, 63

**Mitch Collings** 

don, Keely, Kaya, Eli- Edge Media Group. jah, Maddox, Jocelyn, Finn, Haley, Colton, Southern Heights Bap-Isaac and Elias; and a many years as a praise host of other relatives band member at Living and friends.

Sept. 24, 2011.

were held Friday, for several Kentucky May 7, 2021 at the marching band com-Cowherd and Parrott petitions and his de-Funeral Home with votion to helping the burial in the Harmo- Logan County High ny Independent Bap- School Band. He was tist Church Cemetery. loved by many for his Dan Hayes officiated. big heart, quick wit,

Pallbearers: broth- and servant spirit. ers and children.

asked that expres- Mandy Pickett Beassions of sympathy take ley of Russellville, forthe form of donations merly of Greensburg; to the family burial ex- two children, Patrick penses, which can be Beasley and his wife, made at the funeral

For online condolences log onto: www. cowherdandparrott. com or Facebook.

Robert Lowery "Rob" Beasley, Jr., of Russellville, Kentucky, born Sept. 28, 1964 in Leitchfield, passed away Saturday, May 1, 2021 at the Medical Center of Bowling Green. He was 56 years From childhood, Rob

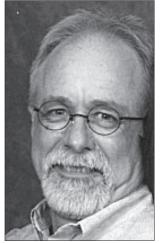
Robert Lowery Beasley, Jr., 56

had a passion for music and began developing his performance skills on multiple instruments. At age 15, he began working in the radio industry. Much Clayton and Gretchen of his career was spent Collings of Massa- as a radio personality chusetts; three other under the moniker of sisters-in-law and a Maxwell "Max" P. Murbrother-in-law, Sa-phy, and his energetic, brina Collings of Ver-booming voice filled the sailles, Denise and Jeff airwaves throughout Gilpin of Campbells- South Central Kenville, and Donna Or- tucky. During the latrand of Greensburg; ter years of his career, 12 grandchildren, he served as a broad-Shelby, Hannah, Pey- cast engineer for The Rob was a member of

and Zackary; nieces tist Church, Russelland nephews: Chris- ville where he served topher Collings, Syl- as a musician and via Collings, Michael sound technician. Prior and Michae McCaf- to his service at Southfrey; great-nephews, ern Heights, he spent Hope Baptist Church, Mr. Collings was Bowling Green, playalso preceded in death ing saxophone and by a brother, Christo- guitar. Rob was also pher Adam Collings known for his enthusiasm and humor as Funeral services a popular announcer

Survivors include The family has his wife of 23 years,

enough.



Rob Beasley, Jr.

Brie of Crestwood, and Zoe Beasley, Russellville; his mother, Joyce Vincent of Hardinswife, Kathy of Auburn, Ky.; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Indus and Shirley Pickett of Greensburg; a sister and brother-in-law, Amy and Phillip Robinson of Hardinsburg; five grandchildren, Rylee, Rilee, Knox, Raelynn, and Max-

He was preceded in death by his stepfather, Sonny Vincent.

A celebration of life memorial service was held May 7, 2021 at the Southern Heights Baptist Church in Russellville. Summers and Son

Funeral Home, Russellville, was in charge of the service arrangements. The family has

asked that expression of sympathy take the form of donations to the Wounded Warrior Project.

For more information concerning this obituary or to make a donation locally, you may contact the Cowherd and Parrott Funeral Home in Greensburg.

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partment for honoring Matthew; he was proud

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Love,

The Chapmans – Bryan, Amy, and Hanna

everyone who reached out to us during

Matthew's passing. Our hearts are over-

and donations. We cannot thank you

blessed to live in Green County.

to be part of the team.

this hard time.



Phillip Lynn Squires of Bardstown, son of the lateGilbertSquires and Sara Payne Squires, was born Sunday, July 19, 1961 in Easton, Ill., and departed this life Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at the U.K. Bluegrass Hospice Care Center in Lexington. He was 59 years, 9 months, and 26 years of age.

He had made a profession of faith in Christ and was a member of the Eastern Gate Baptist Church in Shepherdsville. He was also employed with Enterprise Rental Car.

Survivors include burg; his father, Rob- his former wife and ert Beasley and his best friend, Marcia Baker Squires of Louisville; two brothers,Pat Squires and Garnett Squires; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Squires was also preceded in death by a



**Phillip Lynn Squires** 

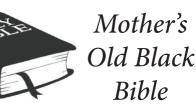
brother, Ray Squires. A Memorial Service was held May 8, 2021 at the Eastern Gate Baptist Church, 3699 N. Preston Hwy, Shepherdsville, and a private burial in the Coffey Cemetery in Green

Cowherd and Parrott Funeral Home in Greensburg in charge of the arrangements.

#### The Ten Commandments Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image. Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain. Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Honor thy father and thy mother. Thou shalt not kill. Thou shalt not commit adultery Thou shalt not steal.

Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour. (Exodus 20:3 Thou shalt not covet.



Seldom Mother do I see the Book Lying idly on your desk, But constantly open continually read, Held often to your breast.

"Read Mother's Old Black Bible" Were these words she spoke to me, As in my hand she placed the Volume *In sweet Sin-cer-i-ty.* 

*I noticed first the cover "Black"* Two words that caught my eye: "Holy Bible" I read to her And she began to cry.

"Ahh Mom!" I said to her. "Why tears upon its pages?" "Truly son!" she said to me, "It, the Book of all the ages."

Angels before the world began *Gazed upon its cover,* Then secret in the mind of God, But now made known to mother.

The mysteries of this Book explained By mother unto me, Mean more than every college course And every earned degree.

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something new, or that it's helping to

keep us mentally flexible. It is still

annoying. One consolation is that



there are always things to go back to which feel constant in this rapidly changing world, and the greatest of these is God. God, and God's word, never changes. He is the immutable One which contains all of this change. Reading the Bible and saying our prayers is comforting, in part, because it never changes, and we realize that even if we live a hundred years, God will be there for us. -Christopher Simon

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