



Creswell Covington

December 26, 2015

Cres Covington, age 75, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Saturday, December 26th, at the Baptist Health Center in Lexington, Ky. He was born in Madison County on July 2, 1940, and was the son of the late Walker and Hazel Tribble Covington of Union City. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Jennie

(Bill) King and Billye (Joe) Tracy and his only son, Stacey Dean Covington who passed away this past May 2015.

He is survived by his daughter Shelley Jean Covington (Larry) Bell, and four grandchildren, James William Dean Daniel, Derek Cole Daniel, Luke Albert Bell and Gemma Grace Bell, and two sisters, Rosa (Slick) Conner, and Zoe Ann (Billy) Hacker, and one brother Johnny Walker (Ann) Covington, all of Richmond.

He is also survived by several nieces and nephews who cherished him very much, and a longtime friend of the family, Roxana Blevins, of Georgetown Ky.

Cres was a former employee of H K Porter Plant in Richmond, a veteran of the Army Reserve, a

businessman, a member and Deacon of the Union City Baptist Church and a farmer. His children, family and his church were the delight of his life. He was a devoted father and grandfather, and an avid UK fan.

He loved the sport of baseball and coached his son Stacey and daughter Shelley for many years. He also enjoyed watching his two grandsons (Will and Derek) play baseball.

Pallbearers will be: Will Daniel, Derek Daniel, John Covington, Michael Covington, Chris Childers and Mark Smith.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 1:00 at Union City Baptist Church. Visitation will be from 11 to 1 at the church. The family request donations to the Union City Baptist Church in lieu of flowers.

Arrangments by Heritage Funeral Home of Richmond. .

Events

JAN **Visitation** 11:00AM - 01:00PM

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Union City Baptist

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JAN **Service** 01:00PM

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Comments



“ I offer my deepest condolence to the family of Cres. He was my friend and supporter over a long period of time. I deeply appreciated his kindnesses, and those of all of the Covington family. I hoped to visit before today, but things are pretty hectic at the office.

Please know that you are in my thoughts at this sad time.

Sincerely,

JOHN LACKEY

john lackey - January 04, 2016 at 09:47 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. As a member of Madison Central class of 1958, he certainly be missed. I was so glad to see Cres when he attended our reunions. I will remember his sweet smile. Barbara Hendren

barbara hendren. - December 30, 2015 at 06:47 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Creswell Covington.



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“ Cres an I coached the Richmond Little League 13 year old all stars in 1981 at Lousia KY. Stacy was one of the all stars I think, it has been a while.

We went up there on Monday and played one game then it rained for 3 days. We had 16 teenagers to keep up with and to make thing worse the Holiday Inn we were at workers went on strike while we were there. I think we ate a Mickey D's every day. We got beat in the finals on Saturday morning by a team from Louisville.

It was a pleasure an honor to work with such a fine person I will never forget that trip, we had a lot of fun together trying to entertain those kids for a week.

The team that beat us went to the final four of the 13 year old world series.

Darrell Cosby
501 Hackett Pike
Richmond Ky

Darrell Cosby - December 30, 2015 at 03:43 PM