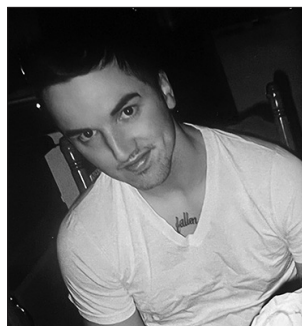


Obituaries

Austin Blake Adams

Austin Blake Adams, 29, resident of Lewisburg, died suddenly on Thursday, Aug. 11, 2022. Funeral Services were conducted Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2022, at 3 p.m. at Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home. Burial followed in Worley Cemetery. The family received friends for visitation on Tuesday from 3 until 7 p.m. at Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home.



heart was bigger than his body. The world will never know the true hero it has lost. He served his country in the United States Army,

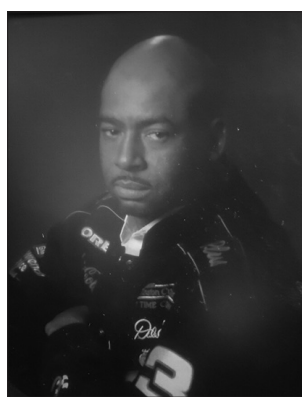
and received the Army Commendation Medal for Meritorious Service while serving in the intelligence company. His dedication to duty and selfless service are in keeping with the finest tradition of military service. Austin was an avid gamer and loved hiking.

Austin leaves his son, Maverick Adams, who he adored; his Granny Adams; aunts, Shelia Linley and Stacy Harris; uncle, Toby (Kim) Adams, Troy Adams; special cousin, Jarika Ford; and granddaddy, Dwayne Locke.

Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home is honored to have served the family of Austin Blake Adams. Condolences may be offered online at www.billsmcgaugh.com

Rickie Dadrick Crutcher

Rickie Dadrick Crutcher was born on Dec. 12, 1963, in Nashville, TN to the late John Clyde Crutcher Jr. and Fannie Lou "Mitt" Crutcher. He proceeds in his passing, one brother, Christopher Lamont Crutcher, one sister, Bettie Yvonne Crutcher, and one nephew, Jordan Trevor Crutcher.



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Rickie Crutcher departed his family and friends on Aug. 11, 2022, at St. Thomas West in Nashville, TN with his family by his side. Rickie graduated with high honors from Marshall Co. High School in 1983 and turned his life over to the Lord at an early age at Greater First Baptist in Lewisburg, TN. He passionately studied and enjoyed reading the scripture daily and enjoyed teaching and talking of the scripture to his fam-

ily and friends. Rickie was self-employed as a general contractor of Crutcher's Mobile. Rickie was a man of nature who enjoyed fishing, cooking, wrestling, and spending time with his family and friends.

Rickie has donated to the St. Jude for children since early 2000. And in his latest accomplishment, he proudly founded the Willy J Mitchell Foundation for the children of Marshall County, TN.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, August 15, 2022, at 1 p.m. at Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home. Burial followed in Lone Oak Cemetery. The family received friends for visitation prior to the service from 12 until 1 p.m.

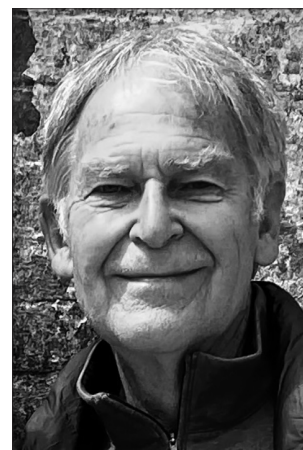
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Robert Eugene (Bob) Hock

Robert Eugene (Bob) Hock of Columbia, TN, died with his family around him on Aug. 5, 2022, at Vanderbilt University Medical Center after a fall at his home. He was 78 years old.

He was born on Nov. 18, 1943, in Harvey, IL, to Robert John and Lorene (Bryant) Hock. He graduated from Thornton High School, attended Eastern Illinois University, and worked in various retail sales and management positions until retiring from Lowe's in 2008.

Bob Hock was a man of many passions. He loved his family, his friends, numerous dogs, a duck, and several cats; "Da Bears," the Chicago Blackhawks, the Tennessee Titans and - especially - the Nashville Predators. He was a high-energy individual who explored America's back roads on at least seven different motorcycles; a self-taught mechanic who (with help) restored a fire-engine red '41 Ford; an avid sailor occasionally cursed by balky motors and leaking hulls; an exacting craftsman who constructed a large and elaborate HO-scale train layout in his basement; and, in recent years, a beekeeper.



He had a huge heart, a goofy sense of humor and an instinctive drive to jump in and help others any way he could.

Survivors include his spouse of 21 years, Marjorie Elizabeth (Beth) Duning; son, Brian Hock; stepdaughter, Waverly Ann Harris (William DeShazer) of Nashville, TN; and brother, Wendell Stephen Hock (Debbie) of Tampa, FL. Good dogs, Baxter and Murphy, and Beamer the cat quietly mourn his absence.

Mr. Hock was preceded in death by his parents and by his twin children, Kelly and Kurtis, who died in infancy.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, at First Presbyterian Church, 122 North 2nd Avenue (on the square) in Lewisburg, TN. Visita-

tion with the family will begin at 9 a.m. in the sanctuary and continue until the time of the service. Because Mr. Hock willed his body to the Anatomical Donations Program at Vanderbilt University Medical Center, interment of his ashes will take place at a later date.

Among the organizations whose work was meaningful to him were the Nashville Rescue Mission (nashvillerescuemission.org), Friends Life Community (friendslife.org), and First Presbyterian Church (122 2nd Ave. N, Lewisburg, TN 37091). Gifts in his memory may be made to any of these or to a charity of the donor's choosing.

Family members express their gratitude to the Maury County EMS team that answered the call, to VUMC's Life-Flight pilots and personnel who provided transport, to those who gave care and comfort in the Vanderbilt Trauma Center and the Palliative Care Program, and - especially - to Dr. Mohana B. Karlekar, Bob's physician and the chief of Palliative Care, who guided the family through his last difficult days.

Harry Shannon Layne, Jr.

Mr. Harry Shannon Layne, Jr., age 75, died Tuesday morning, Aug. 9, 2022, at his home near Unionville, TN. Harry was born in Franklin, TN and was a son of the late Lonnie Louise Zumbro Layne and Harry Shannon Layne, Sr. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his sister, Juanita Hill.

Harry was a graduate of Eagleville High School, Class of 1965, and entered the United States Army where he served his country during the Vietnam War. Harry was a life long farmer and member of the Bedford County Farm Bureau and the Old Hickory Field Trial Club. He was a member and served as a deacon at Edgemont Baptist Church in Shelbyville, TN. For the last several years, he was also employed with Lawrence Funeral Home in Chapel Hill. Above all else, he loved his family, especially his grandchildren who were the light of his life.

Mr. Layne is sur-



vived by his wife of 49 years, Shirley Beasley Layne, Unionville, TN; children, Dereck (Tracy) Layne, Unionville, TN, Allison (Derrick) Martin, Shelbyville, TN, Lesley (Matt) Wilson, Unionville, TN; twelve grandchildren, Mason Layne, Morgan Layne, Micah Layne, Malachi Layne, Kylee Martin, Ella Martin, Ramsee Martin, Tibb Martin, Dallas Wilson, Nola Wilson, Rio Wilson, and

Ida Wilson.

Family members received friends Friday, Aug. 12, 2022, from 5 until 8 p.m. at Lawrence Funeral Home. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 13, 2022, from the chapel of Lawrence Funeral Home with Rev. Jimmy West and Rev. Bobby McGee officiating. Burial followed in Cedar Grove Cemetery near Unionville.

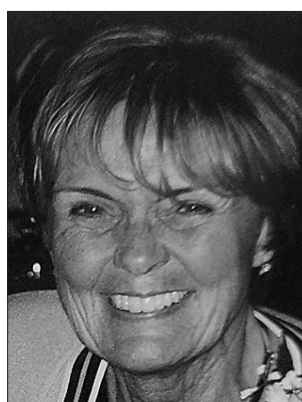
Don Lamb, Dustin Lamb, Randy Adcock, Ron Adcock, Kenny Crutcher and James Giles served as active pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Ronny Adcock, Rodney King, Garry Lawrence, Jr. Rigsby, and Edward Rowland.

Memorial donations, in memory of Harry Layne, may be made to Edgemont Baptist Church, 150 Fairfield Pike, Shelbyville, TN 37160.

Lawrence Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Chapel Hill, TN in charge of arrangements.

Alpha Joyce Hastings Frazee

Mrs. Alpha Joyce Hastings Frazee, affectionally known as "JoJo", passed away peacefully on Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2022, in Athens, GA.



Her greatest pride and joy were her grandchildren. Her favorite past times were being with family and watching college football, specifically the Georgia Bulldogs! She loved wearing Red and Black and cheering on the DAWGS every Saturday.

Survivors include her brother, Terry Haislip; daughter, Tonya Vernon, husband Bryan Vernon and their children Callie and Jefferson "Jake,"

and son, Gregory Scott. Joyce is also survived by her stepchildren, Mary Lou Walls (Tom), Barry Frazee, Karen Myers, five step-grandchildren and several step-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Edward Gene Frazee.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in Joyce's honor to Family Hospice, 624 S. Milledge Ave., Suite 101, Athens, GA 30605 or Ransom Chapel CP, 603 East Church St., Lewisburg, TN 37091.

Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home is honored to assist the family with arrangements. Condolences may be extended to the family online at www.billsmcgaugh.com.

I am honored to be able to continue to serve as your County Clerk. I want to thank everyone that showed their support to me during this election year. I am humbled by the complimentary votes that I received. I will continue to serve as your County Clerk with the same efficiency and hard work as I have in the past. Thank you again for the privilege to serve as your County Clerk.

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Raymond Russel Mars

Raymond Russel Mars, 69, passed June 7, 2022 in California. He previously lived in the Marshall County and Petersburg area.

Ray served in the U. S. Army for ten years and was an employee at Cosmolab before moving to



California in 1999.

He is survived by his wife, Cathie, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Ray donated his body to science help find a cure for Alpha-1/lung and liver disease.

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