



## Clifton Craig Hamilton

February 19, 1965 - December 6, 2024

Craig Hamilton, 59 years of age of Virgie passed away Friday, December 6, 2024 at the Pikeville Medical Center. He was born February 19, 1965 in Pikeville to Nola June Tackett Hamilton and the late Clifton Conley Hamilton. Craig was a retired car salesman for Freedom Ford and retired manager at Jobsite Community Action and a proud member of Caney Creek Free Will Baptist Church.

Besides his mother, he is survived by one son; Christian (Jennifer) Hamilton of Dorton, one sister; Shereena (Steve) Spurlock of Johns Creek, two grandchildren; Jacob Hamilton, Aliyah Hamilton.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 1:00 PM at the Caney Creek Free Will Baptist Church with Eric Fleming, Brian Hundley and Steve Spurlock and others officiating. Burial will follow in the Richard Allen Harmon Cemetery at Virgie. Visitation will be at the Caney Creek Free Will Baptist Church after 6:00 PM Sunday with a service beginning at 7:00 PM, online condolences may be expressed at [hallandjones.com](http://hallandjones.com). In lieu of flowers make donations to Hall and Jones Funeral Home for funeral expense.

# Cemetery Details

**Richard Allen Harmon**

Hwy 610  
Virgie, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 8. 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM (ET)

Caney Creek Freewill Baptist Church @ Booker Fork  
Booker Fork Road  
Pikeville, KY 41501

## Service

DEC 9. 1:00 PM (ET)

Caney Creek Freewill Baptist Church @ Booker Fork  
Booker Fork Road  
Pikeville, KY 41501

# Tribute Wall

 Tim  
Damron

“ *Another classmate gone too soon. Always happy with a smile on his face. That's how I'll remember you. Rest In Peace, we will be called shortly also.* ”

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**Tim Damron** - December 13, 2024 at 09:08 AM

BC

“ *A friend, always had the right words to say. May God bless you and keep you RIP* ”



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**Becky Clark** - December 09, 2024 at 11:29 PM

CS

“ *Chris & Lisa Stanley lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton* ”



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**chris & lisa stanley** - December 09, 2024 at 08:45 PM

DC

“ *Deb Childers lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton* ”



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**Deb Childers** - December 09, 2024 at 03:34 AM

FB

“ From the Musick family and Benji. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



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**From the Musick family and Benji.** - December 08, 2024 at 11:49 PM

FL

“ When we were kids and my family would come down to Kentucky for two weeks out of the year, it was always special to spend time with Craig. I remember hanging out in his bedroom with his 14,000 models of cars, trucks, etc. The smell of model glue could easily be smelled. He loved building vehicles from the start and never stopped. He enjoyed good conversation, and I actually enjoyed listening to him talk with others. I'm blessed to have been able to call him family. The world is a little less good without him in it. All that said, I'm so glad that he made Jesus Savior and Master of his life. His chief hope in life was/is that all of his family and friends will avoid a very real place of darkness and everlasting punishment (that we all deserve, by the way) by making the same decision he did. He knew and would express that we can't make it to Heaven by being "good enough." We all need to be washed clean by the blood of Jesus that was spilled on that hellish Roman cross over 2,000 years ago. Craig wants that for everyone, as do I. Honor Craig by showing up in Heaven after your life here is spent. He'll be overwhelmed with joy if you do.

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**Frank Lattimore** - December 08, 2024 at 06:55 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



December 08, 2024 at 06:32 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



December 08, 2024 at 03:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Clifton Craig Hamilton.

December 08, 2024 at 03:04 PM



“ Alpha Brewer Bartley lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



**Alpha Brewer Bartley** - December 08, 2024 at 08:47 AM

LW

“ Love, Shirley & Frank Wilcox purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



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**Love, Shirley & Frank Wilcox** - December 08, 2024 at 12:06 AM

BS

“ I was so devastated when I heard of your passing. You are one of the best friends anyone could have. You are sure going to miss my friend. Love and miss you so much..



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**Brooke Scarberry** - December 07, 2024 at 11:04 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



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December 07, 2024 at 10:12 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Clifton Craig Hamilton.

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December 07, 2024 at 10:12 PM

SB

“ He was one of the most genuine and sweetest people with a heart gold.

Stephanie Brown - December 07, 2024 at 08:22 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Clifton Craig Hamilton.



December 07, 2024 at 07:55 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Clifton Craig Hamilton.

December 07, 2024 at 07:55 PM

BR

“ I we'll miss you buddy



Brian ray - December 07, 2024 at 07:50 PM

BJ

“ A young and a great man gone away to soon. I have know him for years and he was definitely a world class gentleman. Never heard him say one bad word against anyone. If the world had only 1/2 of Craig's we would be in a awesome sword. Prayers for all the family may GOD bless you with his loving care and give you comfort as he is the only true one that can.  
RIP O pal I pray we can meet on the other side

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**Bobby Justice** - December 07, 2024 at 07:33 PM

GW

“ Rest in peace my friend you will be greatly missed. Love you always 🥺



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**Gloria Williamson** - December 07, 2024 at 06:34 PM

LS

“ You will be missed my friend



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**Lisa Stotridge** - December 07, 2024 at 06:18 PM

NK

“ *Nancy Keel lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton*



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**Nancy Keel** - December 07, 2024 at 05:58 PM

AL

“ *Everyone called me he's lil mine me and it hurts knowing he's not here anymore but it makes me happy know that he's in a better place.*



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**Alliaa** - December 07, 2024 at 05:44 PM

RB

“ To share 1 memory would be impossible, as we shared a lot good and bad. Even after going our separate ways me and Craig remained friends. He was an amazing man with an amazing family that welcomed me and my kids with open arms. I will never forget all that he has done for us.

Now to share My favorite memory that holds a point in itself, would be the one of the funniest moments in Tennessee, where on this trip we drove his covetable Galaxy down to one of the Hot Rod Car shows and Craig left the top down all night. The next morning, he walked out and found that a bear had helped his self to a bag of Craigs favorite chips. No real damage to the car but boy they loved his chips. point being just as the bears loved those chips Craig loved everyone, and everyone loved him. Craig was one of a kind that could make a friend out of his worst enemy. He will always be remembered and never forgotten.



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**REBECCA JO BOLDEN** - December 07, 2024 at 05:27 PM

SA

“ Sharon G Akers lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



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**sharon g akers** - December 07, 2024 at 05:17 PM

Angela  
Tackett

“ Too many amazing memories to only pick just one. Though our hearts are hurting with words that no one can describe, we know that you are not in pain any more. We know that you are hugging your dad and feeling all the love and happiness from seeing the ones you loved, who went before you. I pray to one day meet again, where there will be no more pain or sorrows; only laughter and happiness. I love you Craig.



Angela Tackett - December 07, 2024 at 02:06 PM

TH

“ Tammy Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



Tammy Hamilton - December 07, 2024 at 01:01 PM

LO

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Craig was always smiles and friendly. Prayers to all & may The Lord wrap his arms around everyone and give comfort.



LoisMilburnAustinDamron - December 07, 2024 at 12:32 PM

PJ

“ Paulette Johnson lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



Paulette Johnson - December 07, 2024 at 10:49 AM

NH

“ 1 file added to the album This Santa came visit Douglas Apartment



Naoma Hopkins - December 07, 2024 at 09:09 AM

MW

“ I was so broken hearted 💔 when I heard of your passing..I couldn't believe it my friend. You had a heart of gold. Never said a bad word about anyone. Always willing to help anyone..We went to High-school together you had a beautiful smile..Friends with everyone. You will be sadly 😞 missed by all who knew you...My thoughts and prayers 🙏 goes out to your family...Rlp my friend love you always 💜



Maxie Allene Webber - December 07, 2024 at 08:21 AM

AK

“ *Ann Kilgore lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton*



Ann kilgore - December 07, 2024 at 01:14 AM

JH

“ *1 file added to the album craig*



Jennifer Hamilton - December 06, 2024 at 09:40 PM

KS

“ *I was so sad to hear that Craig had passed away. We went through elementary school though high school. He always had a smile on his face everyday and the biggest heart of anyone I know. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. My thoughts and prayers go out to all his loved ones 🙏*



Karen Mullins Smith - December 06, 2024 at 09:27 PM

CH

“ *Carolyn Hurley lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton*



Carolyn Hurley - December 06, 2024 at 08:53 PM

CH

“ I’ll miss you my sweet friend and I’ll remember you always 😔 you always listened and was so kind and caring I was truly lucky to know you... Craig you were a great man and a great friend prayers 🙏 up for your family and friends

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**Carolyn Hurley** - December 06, 2024 at 08:53 PM

MB

“ Craig was one of my best friend who could always turn. He always had a smile and never had a bad thing to say. Our conversations that we had will surely be missed. My prayers go up for Christian, Shereena, June and the entire family.

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**Melinda Thacker Brazell** - December 06, 2024 at 08:51 PM

TE

“ My dear sweet cousin, Carree and I will miss you more than you could have imagined. We will keep you in our hearts forever.

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**Teresa** - December 06, 2024 at 08:46 PM

PE

“ Penny lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



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**Penny** - December 06, 2024 at 08:37 PM

BJ

“ RIP my sweet cousin and no more pain I sure will miss you in the summer and having someone to vent too. My heart broken for your family and I know you are cracking jokes in heaven I love you ole buddy 🥀😞



**Brenda Kaye Johnson** - December 06, 2024 at 08:01 PM

PB

“ I am so sorry he’s gone, he was truly a soul lifting person and I’ll miss him always

**patty Bailey** - December 06, 2024 at 06:49 PM

ME

“ To everyone who really ever knew you, you were their best friend. You were always there to talk to them whenever needed and never judged anyone. You had a heart of gold. I wish I could be there for your funeral and am sorry I wasn’t there in your sickness. I know when we talked you had so much pain but there is no more pain where you are now. Love you dear friend, you will never be forgotten.



**Melinda** - December 06, 2024 at 06:44 PM



“ *Craig Hamilton Had the Biggest Heart and I worked with him Found out we were distant Kin This has Shattered 💔 My Family always Loved n Thought the World of Craig and His Family. I'm so Speechless at this Moment. He was a Good Boss at Community Action Him and Larry Dotson was Close. Virgie will never Be the same that's for sure. My Prayers are with His Son Christian His Mom His Sister Shereena and His Grandson n Granddaughter and all the Family. Love n Prayers GOD has gained another Angel that's for sure. Prayers 🙏❤️ to you all.*

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**Lou Blankenship** - December 06, 2024 at 06:38 PM

TE

“ *Terry lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton*



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**Terry** - December 06, 2024 at 06:27 PM

DC

“ *Denisa Childress lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton*



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**Denisa Childress** - December 06, 2024 at 06:25 PM

DR

“ Prayers for the family he was such a wonderful man.



Debbie Roberts - December 06, 2024 at 06:22 PM

RT

“ I know you are no longer in pain, but it doesn't make the emptiness easier. I am blessed to have called you a friend. You never made it down to tour the engine shop! I always enjoyed our talks and anytime of day, you always made me smile when I was down. RIP my friend 🙏



Robin Trivette - December 06, 2024 at 06:04 PM

NH

“ Naoma Hopkins lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



Naoma Hopkins - December 06, 2024 at 05:54 PM



“ Jennifer Addington lit a candle in memory of Clifton Craig Hamilton



Jennifer Addington - December 06, 2024 at 05:41 PM



“ Craig what can I say but I love you and am devastated 😭 life is so unfair. I will miss you till my last breath 💔 I love you my best friend

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**Jennifer Addington** - December 06, 2024 at 05:39 PM

MC

“ I love you Craig, always have and always will  
!!! Katie Milam



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**Michael & Katie Cornett** - December 06, 2024 at 04:16 PM