



## Alex J. Mathis

March 21, 1943 - September 19, 2016

Alex J. "Buddy" Mathis, 73, of Ellettsville passed away on Monday, September 19, 2016 at Monroe Hospital in Bloomington.

Born March 21, 1943 in Monroe County, he was the son of Alex Mathis and Helen Rose Harden Mathis. Buddy was of the Pentecostal Faith. He was a laborer for the railroad working for L&N and CXS Railroad. He was a collector of all things. He loved going to yard sales and flea markets.

He was preceded in death by his parents, the mother of his children, Patricia Mathis Michael; a daughter, Gail Marie Byrd; grandsons, Dakota and Joseph Lentz; two sisters and one brother.

Buddy is survived by his son, John Michael Mathis (Serina Griffin) of Bedford; daughters, Patricia Dalton (Gus) of Spencer, Jennifer Helms (Brian) of Ellettsville and Linda Lentz of Bloomington; nine grandchildren, Steven Gilbert (Michaela), Shaun Mathis, Alicia Hansel (Tyler), Luke Byrd (Kristen), Keisha Butcher (Jordan) Kiana Helms, Austin Lentz, Carleigh Helms and Alexis Mathis; nine great-grandchildren; brother, James Mathis of Greene County; and sister, Rosebell Henderson of Bloomington.

Funeral services were held on Friday, September 23, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville with Flint Underwood officiating. Burial is

to be at Clover Hill Cemetery in Harrodsburg. Visitation was held on Thursday, September 22, 2016 from 4-8 p.m. at the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## Clover Hill Cemetery

9181 South Gore Road  
Harrodsburg, IN 47434

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

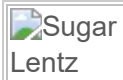
Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel  
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## Visitation

SEP **23**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



Sugar  
Lentz

“ I miss you so much daddy... when does it get easier... i said that i would have no guilt that i hadn't spent enough time or did enough things with you... but i do daddy... I wish i had one more day... our last trip to the grocery store was amazing... we spent the whole day together there is not that i would change about that day!!! I love you daddy... so much... put your arms around me daddy... I wish i could feel you with me... love love love you daddy... miss you so much

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**Sugar Lentz** - February 27, 2017 at 12:12 PM