



## Rodger Norris Tate

October 8, 1952 - May 6, 2022

Rodger Norris Tate, 69, of Bloomington passed away on Friday, May 6, 2022 at the IU Health Bloomington Hospital after a sudden illness.

He was born on October 8, 1952 in Noblesville, Indiana the son of Norris Eugene and Edith Mae (Yancey) Tate. Rodger was a 1971 graduate of Edgewood High School where he was an exceptional athlete lettering in basketball, baseball, track and football. After high school he attended Indiana University and then Vincennes University from where he received his bachelor's degree. He served as a Major in the Indiana Army National Guards for over 30 years before retiring. Rodger was owner and operator of Tate Construction for over 40 years and had his hands in many other adventures. He was a member of the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church, American Legion Post #18 in Bloomington, He enjoyed classic cars, and he loved his family especially his grandchildren, and loved spending time with family and friends. He will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him.

Rodger is survived by his children, Kevin Norris Tate and Kelly Rene Tate of Bloomington; his companion Elizabeth Ann (McClure) Calvin of Bloomington; stepchildren, Carrie (Toby) Roberts; Connie (Shane) Jennings; Rich (Korenia) Calvin; twenty-two grandchildren and twenty-nine- great grandchildren; his mother, Edith (Yancey) Tate; his sisters, Terri (Bob) Lyford; Donna Jean Tate Ritchie; Sandy (Doug) Bell.

He was preceded in Death by his father Norris Eugene Tate.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Grace Center in Harrodsburg or

the Monroe County Humane Society.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00pm Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church. With Pastor Matt Hinshaw officiating.

Burial will follow at the Clover Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 10:00am to service time Wednesday May 11, 2022 at the Church

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory have been entrusted with arrangements.

Online condolences, photos and memories may be shared with family and friends at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Clover Hill Cemetery

Harrodsburg, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 11. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Harrodsburg Methodist Church  
9254 S 3rd Ave  
Harrodsburg, IN 47403

## Service

MAY 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Donna and Eddie, our deepest sympathy, love and prayers.  
Cheryl (Woods) Owen and Darlene Guest. ❤️🙏

Cheryl Owen - May 11, 2022 at 09:16 AM



“ Love Terri, Sandy and DJ, and families  
purchased the America the Beautiful for the  
family of Rodger Norris Tate.



Love Terri, Sandy and DJ, and families - May 09, 2022 at  
03:23 PM



“ Steve and Vivian Walker purchased the Beautiful  
in Blue for the family of Rodger Norris Tate.



Steve and Vivian Walker - May 09, 2022 at 11:56 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the  
family of Rodger Norris Tate.



May 09, 2022 at 12:09 AM