



## Phillip E. Haley

April 16, 1951 - February 16, 2021

Phillip Earl Haley, age 69 of Greenbrier passed away Tuesday, February 16, 2021 at Skyline Medical Center. Funeral Services will be held at 6pm, Saturday, February 20th at Austin & Bell Funeral Home Greenbrier. The family will receive friends 2pm to 6pm on Saturday at the funeral home. There will also be a Funeral Service at 1pm on Wednesday, February 24, 2021 at the Haskel & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN 47043. Due to COVID-19, masks are required along with social distancing. Friends may call from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Wednesday, February 24, 2021, at the Haskel & Morrison Funeral Home 208 Ferry Street, Vevay, IN 47043.

Phillip was born April 16, 1951 in Cedar Hill, TN. He was the 10th child born to Sharecroppers, the late Robert Lester & Emma Lou (Jackson) Haley. He was also preceded in death by baby brother, Lester Haley Jr., brother, Robert Henry Haley; sisters, Emma Laura Haley, Frances Balance and nieces Pansy Bledsoe and Stephanie Riddle.

Phillip was a proud 1969 graduate of Adairville High School, Adairville, KY. Being raised on a farm, he learned the value of hard work which included everything from milking cows to mowing yards as a kid. Phillip is also a graduate of Bowling Green Vocational School with a degree in Electrical Work. He was a Journeyman and holds a Master Electrical License in the State of KY.

Once Phillip became a member of Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church in Goodlettsville you might say that he became the unofficial maintenance man.

Thanks to Phillip the church is lite up like a Christmas tree. He added new lighting throughout the whole church. He installed security cameras and a LED light accent to the cross at the center of the church. He was also the beloved maintenance man for his sisters-in-law, Harriet and Alice Faye in IN as well as beloved friend, Martha Moore.

Phillip retired from Tyson Foods in Goodlettsville, TN on August 1, 2020 where he was an Electrical Technician for 17 years prior to that he worked as the Maintenance Supervisor for BathFitter in Madison, TN. He worked at All American Homes in Springfield, TN. He also worked for Knight Electric in Russellville, KY as well Kendall Corporation in Bowling Green, KY.

While at Kendall he made a machine that he could not get to work. He always worked things out in his sleep so he had his wife to write the answers down and the next day he completed the project and sold the rights to Kendall for \$1,500.00. He also built a snake light in shop class in 1969. He was an inventor before his time and only wished he had a patent for the snake light. Phillip and Patty loved to fish, especially after purchasing their pontoon boat. They spent as much time as possible on the water at Lake Malone State Park near Dunmore, KY with his brother Jerry and his wife, Peggy. They also took their grandkids fishing as much as possible teaching them to catch crappie, even though he spent most of his time repairing their poles.

He is survived by the love of his life, Patty Edwards Haley, whom he married on May 24, 2003 at Barren River State Park, Glasgow, KY; Children, Phillip Bruce (Deanna Engler Johnson) Haley of Auburn, KY, Christina (Bobby Douglas) Blake of Auburn, KY, Steven (Michelle) Shuler off Exeter, CA, David (January) Shuler of Franklin, KY, Daniel (Krissa Ennis) of Seymour, IN; 24 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren; sisters, Betty Sheldon of Springfield, TN, Martha Jane White of Springfield, TN; Barbara Hyams of Russellville, KY, Gracie Hyde of Greenbrier, TN; brothers Ernest Haley of Oakville, KY, Jerry Haley of Russellville, KY; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Jimmy and Linda Riddle of Goodlettsville, TN and numerous nieces and nephews.

Online condolences may be made at [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)



# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **20**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Greenbrier  
2619 Hwy 41 S  
Greenbrier, TN 37073  
(615) 643-4000  
<https://austinandbell.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB **20**. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Greenbrier, TN 37073  
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# Tribute Wall



“ 133 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Austin & Bell Funeral Home** - February 19, 2021 at 06:01 PM



“ *My prayers to the family. Philip was always willing to teach when I ask and he was always very nice.*  
*from Tyson Foods Kristina Hall*

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**Kristina** - February 19, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phillip E. Haley.*



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February 19, 2021 at 12:56 PM

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“ We met Phillip and Patty many years ago and were blessed to attend church with them.. It was always obvious how happy Phillip made Patty. She would glow talking about him. Phillip will truly be missed. He was absolutely "one if the good ones". So sorry for your loss. Barb and Jeff Denton and Samantha Mueller

Barbara Denton - February 18, 2021 at 08:46 AM

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“ FRANCES BALLENTINE lit a candle in memory of Phillip E. Haley



FRANCES BALLENTINE - February 17, 2021 at 10:22 PM

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“ When I first came to Bethlehem Church, I will never forget Brother Phillip how he made me feel so welcomed. He was such a wonderful man, always had such a pleasant grin. Him and Sister Patty always showed their love toward God and Us. Looking forward to the day we all meet again. Tommy and Debbie Hale

Tommy Hale - February 17, 2021 at 06:37 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phillip E. Haley.



February 17, 2021 at 05:53 PM

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“ *Melissa McBride sent a virtual gift in memory of Phillip E. Haley*



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**Melissa McBride** - February 17, 2021 at 03:42 PM