

## Acknowledgement

The family of Mitchell S. Harden would like to express our deepest gratitude and sincere appreciation to everyone for the many acts of kindness, prayers, phone calls, cards, food, and visits during the passing of our loved one. All of the things you did to console our hearts, we graciously thank you and may the Lord forever "Bless" and "Keep" you.

## **Weep Not for Me**

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard his call,  
I turned my back and left it all.*

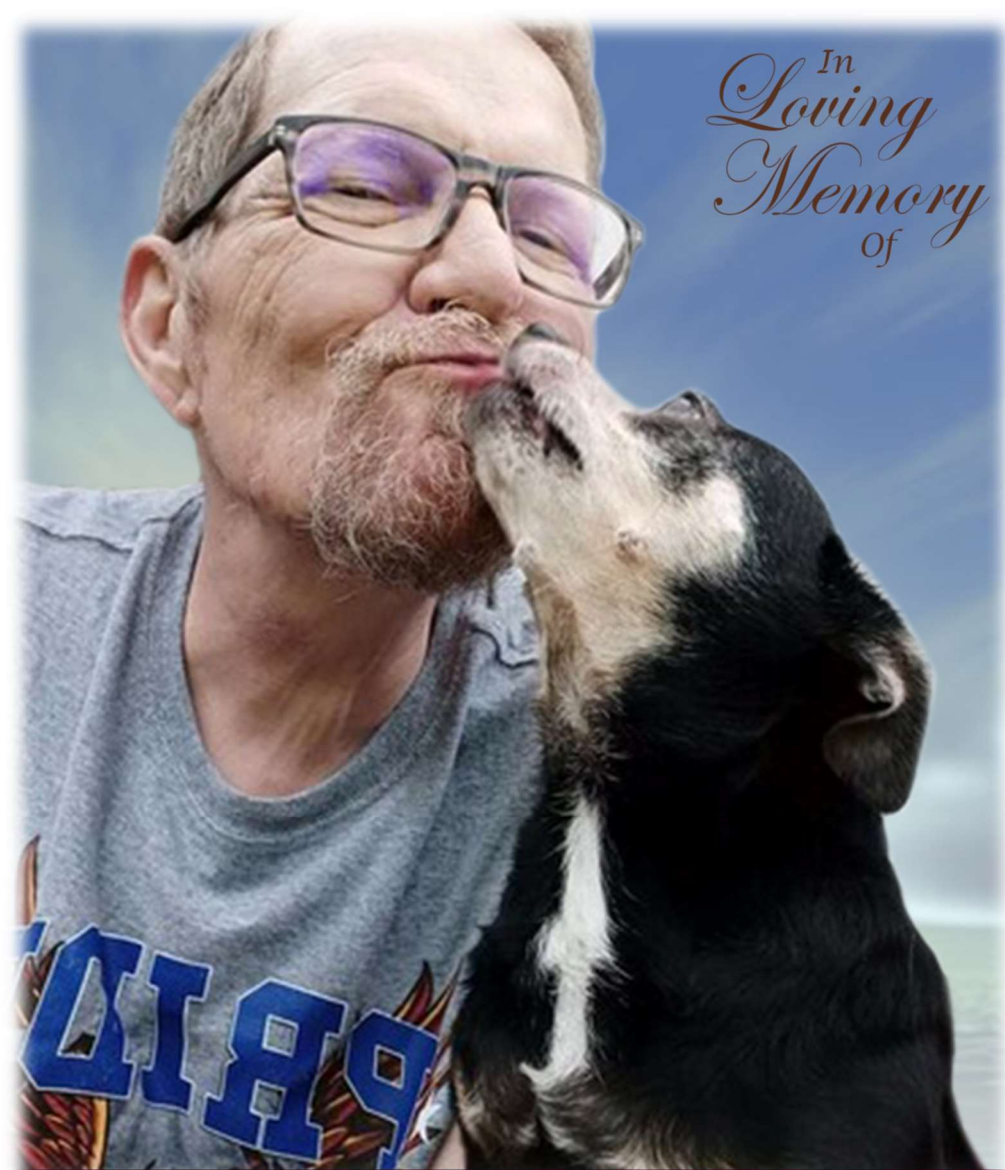
*I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I've found that peace at the close of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My Life's been full, I savoured much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

To offer condolences to The Harden Family,  
visit [www.TheChapelofPeace.com](http://www.TheChapelofPeace.com)



In  
*Loving  
Memory  
of*

**Mitchell S. Harden**

MAY 21, 1960 ~ NOVEMBER 10, 2021

~Service~

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2021 ~ 2:00 PM**

**MARLAN J. GARY FUNERAL HOME**

**Chapel of Peace East**

5456 E. Livingston Avenue

Columbus, Ohio

Pastor Lenny Moore, Eulogizing Minister

# *A Life to Celebrate*

Mitchell S. Harden was born May 21, 1960. In Monroe, Michigan. He was born to James and Helen Harden (Stewart).

Mitchell was an avid fan of Michigan and their football team. He really enjoyed classic cars, crime TV shows, time with dog Bubba, church and hanging out with friends.

Mitchell is preceded in death by his father, James W. Harden and his mother, Helen A Harden (Stewart).

Mitchell is survived by his children, Allison Cote, Holly (James) Crawford, Eric (Whitney) Harden; Mother of his children, Alayna Matson; Siblings, Alex Harden, Daniel Harden, Todd Harden; 10 Grandchildren; Partner of 9 years, Sarah Harlan as well as a host of other family members.

Mitchell will be forever missed by all those who had the privilege of knowing and loving him.

*"God knew that you were tired, and the hills were hard to climb. He gently closed your weary eyes and whispered peace be thine".*

# *Order of Service*

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... "Oh Holy Night"  
PARTING VIEW ..... Immediate Family  
SCRIPTURE READING ..... Lenny Moore  
    Old Testament .....  
    New Testament .....  
PRAYER ..... Clergy  
SELECTION ..... Chapel of Peace Music Ministry  
    *"Amazing Grace"*  
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT/CONDOLENCES ..... Clergy  
REMARKS (2 minutes) ..... Family & Friends  
READING OF OBITUARY ..... Silently  
SELECTION ..... "Scars in Heaven"  
    by Casting Crowns

## *The Eulogy*

PASTOR LENNY MOORE

BENEDICTION ..... Pastor Lenny Moore  
RECESSIONAL ..... Clergy, Family & Friends

*I am the resurrection and the life: He that believeth in me  
though he were dead yet shall he live.  
And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.*

John 11:25-26