## STANLEY WILLIAMS AUGUST 11, 1966 TO AUGUST 5, 2015

Stanley Williams, 48, of Louisville, Kentucky, died on Wednesday, August 5, 2015.

Stan was a member of First Christian Church of Radcliff, where he served many years as a pianist and organist.

At the time of his death, Stan held the position of Kentucky Babe Ruth Softball State Commissioner. In addition, he served as Vice President of the Fern Creek Babe Ruth Softball League. He also served as a coach for the Fern Creek organization for over 10 years, and was a five-time Babe Ruth World Series coach. Stan also coached Optimist basketball for eight years.

Stan had been suffering form ALS for over a year. Since the spring, he had lost 100 pounds and could no longer speak. Despite the disease, he tried to attend every game and every practice. He loved spending time with his daughter, who was the team's starting pitcher.

Fern Creek Babe Ruth Softball earned a spot at the 2015 Babe Ruth Softball 12U World Series in Alachua, Florida. Stan had hoped to accompany the team; however, he took a turn for the worse. He entered hospice on August 3, 2015, and on August 5 he succumbed to ALS after a long, courageous battle.

Stan always cared about one thing—the kids playing ball—and gave so much of his life to the Babe Ruth Softball and the Fern Creek league.



