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## 10 questions with ... Mitchell Walker

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Mitchell Walker

Current job title: Western Kentucky University police chief.

Hometown: Burkesville.

Family: Married to Tonya Walker and has two children: Olivia, 14, and Shawn, 5.

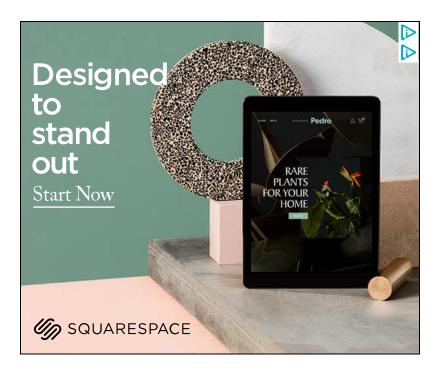
The one thing no one knows about me is ... I'm afraid of the dark.

**My dream job is** ... I'm doing it now, being a police officer. I worked for the Bowling Green Police Department for 16 and a half years and the Burkesville Police Department for nearly six years.

**My first job was** ... I was a custodian at Cumberland Valley Manor, a nursing home in Burkesville.

The best advice I ever got was ... to keep marital issues private and work them out together as a couple.

**My hero (and why) is** ... Jesus Christ is my hero because of his grace, love and forgiveness for everyone.



**If I could do it all over again, I** ... would have studied harder in school. I would have applied myself better in school if I could do it over again.

**The part of my job I could do without is** ... sitting behind a desk and doing administrative stuff. I like getting out and interacting with people.

The one thing I always carry with me is ... my gun.

**Best meal I ever had was** ... fried chicken, pinto beans, cornbread and sliced tomatoes at my mom's house.

At the top of my bucket list is ... I'd like to go on a mission trip somewhere out of the country.

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