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PADGETT'S PRECISION REDUCES DOWNTIME

Padgett provides precision alignment for all types of rotating machine components that require the kinetic energy of another rotating shaft to turn its own. Padgett works throughout the region, utilizing the most advanced and precise optical process for equipment machinery installation and reassembly and a Roto-alignment system for drives, gears and all sizes of shafts. Padgett's Roll Alignment system can hit an accuracy to 0.0005/inch. Padgett's team and equipment are capable of meeting any manufacturer's requirements.

Padgett's extremely talented and knowledgeable millwrights have successfully completed projects for:

- Drives
- Gearboxes
- Rolls
- Couplings
- Extruder barrels

A misaligned machine generates harmful forces across the point of power transmission creating accelerated vibration which will cause:

- Extreme radial and axial vibrations
- Leaking shaft seals
- Hot couplings
- Loosened coupling bolts
- High casing temperature at or near bearings
- Oil leakage at bearing seals
- High oil temperature
- Premature bearing failure
- Loose or broken foundation bolts
- Cracked shafts
- Broken shafts

Padgett designs and maintains preventive maintenance programs that will:

- Greatly reduce vibration levels
- Increase meantime between failures
- Reduce maintenance and parts inventory costs
- Reduce energy consumption
- Increase production quantity
- Increase production quality

Padgett's coupling alignment services, when performed on a regularly scheduled basis, will best ensure your machines will last their expected lifespans.

Padgett works for our region's leading manufacturers including:

- American Synthetic Rubber
- Automotive Glass Works
- Bostik Adhesive
- Brown Forman Distillery
- Eckart America
- General Electric
- Icon Stamping
- International Crankshaft
- Kentucky Trailer
- Louisville Medical Center
- Louisville Water Company
- Papa John's
- Pillsbury General Mills
- Product Specialties
- Progress Rail
- Reynolds Metal
- Roc Ten
- SamTec
- Steel Dynamic
- Takenaka

Merry Christmas!

From our family to yours, Padgett wishes
you all a very Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year!



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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT: Tim Miller, *Field Coordinator*

"Padgett's team of experienced professionals is one of the primary reasons we are so successful." That's the word from Tim Miller, Field Coordinator. Tim hires and supervises all Iron Workers and Millwrights. Tim began his career at Padgett in 1982 in the fabrication shop and then went to the field as an Ironworker in 1986. While working in the field, Tim got to know the capabilities of the other field workers. When Tim became Field Supervisor, he "slowly started hiring the best" that he had worked with over the years. "Now we have a team of some of the very best professionals from Ironworkers

Local 70 and Millwright Local 1076 who I know can be sent to places like Churchill Downs and they will exceed expectations, completing the job on time and on budget. It's not me – it's the team," Tim says. "Padgett really treats people well and that's what has made my job a success." Tim and his wife Robin are from Shepherdsville Kentucky. Tim and Robin have one son, one daughter, one grandson and one granddaughter. Their daughter is in college studying to be a nurse. Their son owns his own trim carpentry business. Tim's hobby is raising cattle on his 170 acre farm in Raywick Kentucky.