



Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller

February 17, 1955 - January 5, 2022

MILLER, Mr. Robert L. - Age 66, passed away Wednesday, January 5, 2022, at Hurley Medical Center. Family Hour 1:30 PM Tuesday, January 18, 2022, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home, 1:30 PM Tuesday. Mr. Miller will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-6:00 PM Monday. Robert LaVerne Miller was born on February 17, 1955, in Flint, Michigan, the son of Flora and Bruce Miller and the last of two children. Robert grew up in Flint, Michigan and attended the Flint Jr. Academy for grades 1 – 8, and graduated in 1973 from Adelpian Academy in Holly, Michigan. After graduation from High School, he started college at Andrews University in Berrien Springs, Michigan and graduated with an Associate Degree in auto mechanics. Robert returned to Flint and began to work for the city of Flint as a mechanic and retired after 26 years in 1997. After retiring, Robert went back to college and became a Respiratory Therapist. He worked at various Centers for the Aged around the city and retired for the second time in 2019 when his love and devotion for his family took center stage. Robert was a lifelong member of the Fairhaven Seventh-day Adventist Church in Flint, Michigan. He served as a Deacon, worked with the Community Service Department, was a Pathfinder Finder leader, a member of the Treasury Dept., and was a firm believer in Christian Education. Robert's generosity to others

was genuine. He was always willing to help others even if it meant sacrificing his personal needs. He always lived by the golden rule "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." Robert was a kind and loving husband of over 28 years to his wife Angela, as well as an amazing father. One of Robert's biggest accomplishments was being a father and grandfather. His children, Angel and Jessica, thought of him as being the best father in the world. He was always there for them through their ups and downs, and he taught them to always keep Christ first in their lives. Outside of his faith, there was nothing on this earth that he loved more than his family, especially his grandchildren. He cherished every moment he spent with each grandchild and always looked forward to more. To his grandchildren he was more than just a grandfather, he was a friend, mentor, and second father. Robert Laverne Miller leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Angela Miller; 2 daughters, Angel White (Robert) and Jessica Long (Derek); 7 grandchildren, Nyla, Kyla, Amiyah, Callie, Dallas, Eli, and Levi; brother, Barry Williams; 2 nieces, Heidi Williams and Marcia Whitaker; grandnephews, Christopher Fred and David Whitaker; grandniece, Madison Whitaker; a host of cousins, other relatives, and friends including special friends Ken Byers, Palmer Reid, Shelton Davidson, Greg Williams and Bernard Taylor. Robert was preceded in death by his two grandchildren, Robert White IV and Brooke White; and mother, Flora Miller. The family wish to express their sincere gratitude to all of you for your prayers, presence, love, telephone calls, and other expressions of concern shown during this time of bereavement. Your kindness and love are greatly appreciated. A special thank you to Carol Connor, Dexter Clarke, Olivia Williams, Julia Clark, Millie Anderson, Annette Reid, Avery Clarke, Rose Perez, Ruby Jewell, Lunden Reid, Omni Odum, Bianca Eades, Eden Reid, Gail Rose, Tracy Pierre-Green, Paulina Silverio, Fairhaven Seventh-Day Adventist Church for their continued support during this difficult time.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 17. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-6666
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

JAN 18. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 18, 2022 at 01:19 PM



“ *Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *T. Williams & FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



T. Williams & FAMILY - January 22, 2022 at 11:04 PM



“ *T. Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



T. Williams - January 22, 2022 at 11:03 PM

TM

“ This is soooo hard I cannot tell you how much I am going to miss my cousin/brother Kitlee! There are so many funny memories to tell. He was the funniest person I have ever known. He was always joking and harassing me. One day he came over my house when I was living in Flint, Michigan. He told my he was tired of seeing me and my little fat babies at the bus stop. He said come on we are going to find you a car. We went to a car lot on South Saginaw Street. We found a 4 speed Chevy Citation. He said, "Tresa get in the car and turn on the wipers'. I turned them on and they didn't work. He laughed and said, that's alright. He then said, "Tresa press the horn". Its didn't work! He laughed even harder. Next he said, "Tresa step on the breaks". They didn't work! The last thing he asked me to do was, turn on the lights. They of course didn't work either. He laughed and laughed. He then said, "Im going to offer this man 2 dollars for this car". He bought the car for \$500 and we drove off to my house. We we got to my house he went to the auto supple store got everything he needed to fix the car and it drove perfectly. i drove around in that car for years. He told me, "Now you and those fat babies can get around without catching the bus. I told him I could not pay him and he said to me, "Did I ask you for any money Tresa Miller. Family this is a great loss but God knows best. I love you Angie, Jessica and Angel and all the little cousins. Be strong we are continually praying for you.

Theresa Miller - January 19, 2022 at 08:59 AM

SA

“ Such a sad day when hearing the news of Kitlee's passing. Looking back to the times when I was a little girl, he and his mom(Ma Flora) would sneak me off to their house to eat Sabbath dinner. My family would speculate that when I went missing, it was because I was with Kitlee and MA Flora. Sometimes those Sabbath visits would turn into an overnight stay. During those visits, he'd hold my hand and take me for a walk. His neighbors would ask, "Kitlee, who's the little girl. "With his big smile, he'd reply, "This is my little sister." Thereafter, whenever we met, he and I would always reminisce about those earlier days and the fun times he,Berry and I had skating. I can't recall a time when I was not his little sister. I'm really gonna miss him.

To the family, praying Gods' strength, comfort and peace during g this difficult time. Philippians 4:7. (NIV): And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Sandi Anderson - January 18, 2022 at 04:49 PM

MB

“ I knew Kitlee best when I was in the 7th grade, and he was in the 8th grade.He was always fun to be with, both in class and at recess. I know he will be greatly missed by his family until that day when we are all celebrating in Heaven.

Mark Brown - January 18, 2022 at 03:20 PM

ES

“ *My condolences to the Miller family I will always remember the time I saw him at Camp Meeting and he saw me with my camera and said Get this picture. Rest in Peace brother.*



Eric Smith

Eric Smith - January 18, 2022 at 02:30 PM

CC

“ *Robert (Kitlee) Miller was one of my favorite cousins. He had a special nickname for me. Something a little different from the nickname everybody else had for me. He was kind and helpful and funny and a great cook. I loved his homemade Choplets! He was definitely a family guy. He kept up with the cousins and second cousins and so on and so on. He always wanted to know how my daughter was doing. He was always on the road to visit his girls and their children. He was 100% in their corner. I can't believe we won't see him on the family call at the end of the month. But I do believe we'll meet again.*

Until then, sleep well cousin, sleep well.

Carmela Connor

Carmela Connor - January 18, 2022 at 02:15 PM

HD

“ *Heather Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Heather Davis - January 18, 2022 at 02:13 PM

AJ

“ My cousin. It’s hard to imagine that Kitlee is here. If there was any one family member that I could call on, for anything, it was Kitlee. We had not talked as often lately. My fondest memory is when he moved me to BC in 1990 after my father’s funeral. We drove a u-haul truck for 12 hour that would only do 55 miles an hour. We laughed and talk the whole way. He promised he would visit and he did a few times. As life would have it we saw less of each other. I will miss our trips to basketball games and other outings. But more than anything I will miss his laughter and jokes. Rest peacefully dear cousin. 🙏

Andrea Jones - January 18, 2022 at 02:00 PM

PB

“ So many fond memories of Kitlee, when he got his new Firebird he came by the house & took me for a ride, another we went camping with the Pathfinders he told me I was glamping he teased me every time he saw me, we always had a good laugh.. You will always live on in our hearts. We look forward to the Big family reunion in the New Jerusalem. May God give the family Peace that passeth all understanding. Sending loads of Love. Pam & Chris Brown (Smith)

Pamela Brown - January 18, 2022 at 01:40 PM

LP

“ Linda Horton Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



Linda Horton Patterson - January 18, 2022 at 01:28 PM

LP

I met Kitlee @ Adelphian Academy. We graduated in 1973 stayed friends up until his death. We always checked on each other & family. We would see each other @ many church activities thru the years even @ camp meetings, he never changed & always made you laugh . I'm sad 😞 right now to have lost my Christian brother. To his wife & family When our vision is clouded by circumstance... God Sees Clearly. When our understanding is shadowed by questions... God Knows Perfectly. When our path is shaded with uncertainty... God Leads Faithfully. You're in our Thoughts and Prayers. Each time we pray for you, we are asking God to bring you Strength and Reassurance as you lean on Him and rest in His Love. 🙏 Linda & Vincent

Linda Horton Patterson - January 18, 2022 at 09:55 PM

BF

“ *Bobbie Porter and Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller.*



Bobbie Porter and Family - January 18, 2022 at 12:18 PM

CA

“ *I was honored to know Kitlee at Adelphian Academy and loved his smile, laughter and genuine good spirit. Last time was at a reunion of our class. Looking forward to meeting again in the southeast corner of the New Jerusalem!*

Carol - January 18, 2022 at 10:58 AM

CD

“ Mannnnnn! I've clicked on this page at least 20 times attempting to write down my thoughts. But, what can I write in a few lines about a person I've known my entire life? Someone that hasn't changed one bit in my 62 years of knowing him! ALWAYS nice, kind and forever wearing that smile on his face. I truly prayed that he'd beat this and he did, just not in the way I wanted him to. All the way back to North Street when he and his mom would sneak and take Sandi home with them for dinner after church (Mom & Dad would laugh and say, "Flora and Kitlee did it again") lol, pathfinders, A.Y., church basketball games, hayrides out in the country (Otisville) to name a few. Kitlee, I'm really going to miss you! Can't wait to see you again my friend but, I'm sure I will! Love, prayers and heartfelt condolences to Angie, Angel, Jessica, Barry, and the entire Miller family. Love you guys!



Cynthia (Anderson) Davis - January 18, 2022 at 09:35 AM

CH

I met Robert at Adelphian Academy. When he introduced himself as Kitlee I knew that we would be friends for life. Kitlee made everyone feel special. Does anyone know how he got the name Kitlee? It was a joy to be in his presence. Condolences to his family.

Chrystal - January 18, 2022 at 11:02 AM

CM

“ Words cannot express how devastated we are at the loss of beloved cousin, Kitlee. His ever-present smile and sense of humor brightened so many of our days, and he never hesitated to help anyone in need. He certainly will be missed, but certainly not forgotten until we all see each other again in Heaven.

With love, Carla (Miller) & Kenneth Johnson and Family

Carla Miller-Johnson - January 17, 2022 at 04:52 PM

CB

“ *Carla (Miller) & Kenneth Johnson & Boys purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller.*



Carla (Miller) & Kenneth Johnson & Boys - January 17, 2022
at 04:45 PM

SJ

“ *Robert “Kitlee” Miller and I grew up together in Flint, MI. He was more like a brother to me than a friend. . . And what a great friend he was. He always had that million dollar smile which illuminated the kind, unselfish, man he was. He was always there for me whenever I needed a good friend to lean on. Praying for God’s comfort and peace for his family. Gone but not ever forget. Miss you already.*

Serita (Bryant) Jones - January 17, 2022 at 12:57 PM

CS

“ *The memories I have of Robert “Kitlee” Miller are too numerous to recount at this time. However, I will always remember Kitlee as a very happy person and willing to support you whenever he could. To the family of Robert Miller I express my deepest sympathies and condolences. Kitlee will always be remembered as a friend. I pray that we will meet again in that great resurrection morning. Sandy*

Cassandra Saunders - January 17, 2022 at 09:37 AM

IC

“ Isaac And Charlesetta lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



Isaac And Charlesetta - January 16, 2022 at 02:52 PM

GJ

“ Gwinda Jefferson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



Gwinda Jefferson - January 15, 2022 at 04:34 PM

DM

“ Deb Milling sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



Deb Milling - January 15, 2022 at 12:27 PM

CH

“ Cassandra Hughes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



Cassandra Hughes - January 15, 2022 at 08:30 AM

LA

“ *Lloyd Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Lloyd Anderson - January 15, 2022 at 06:24 AM

GM

“ *Gary Morse lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Gary Morse - January 14, 2022 at 08:47 AM



“ *Debra Miller lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Debra Miller - January 14, 2022 at 08:24 AM

CB

“ *Carolyn Brezzell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Carolyn Brezzell - January 14, 2022 at 12:06 AM

MR

“ *Myrtle Robertson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Myrtle Robertson - January 12, 2022 at 03:17 PM

MR

“ *Myrtle Robertson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Myrtle Robertson - January 12, 2022 at 03:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller.*



January 12, 2022 at 11:53 AM

LB

“ *Sending sincere condolences to my Sands Marcia Williams on the loss of her beloved Uncle & keeping the entire family in my prayers.*



Lisa Barone - January 12, 2022 at 10:05 AM

KM

“ We wish to express our deepest condolences and sympathies to Angie regarding the passing of Robert. He was a good patient, and a good man. He will be missed.

Sincerely,
Frazier Vision Center
Dr. Frazier, Kathleen, Emily, Jason, and Aura

Kathleen Martinico - January 11, 2022 at 11:55 AM

KB

“ Robert met you over 35 years ago but seems like yesterday. We had such fun over the years going to Pistons games and Tigers games. Eating fish and chips was something we really enjoyed. Working with you at the city was gravy on the cake. Buddy love you and will always miss you. We will meet up one day. Buddy Ken.

Ken Byers - January 08, 2022 at 09:31 PM

DP

“ David L Phillips lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller



David L Phillips - January 08, 2022 at 03:56 PM

SB

“ I have known Robert for 60years. We were church members and neighbors as children. Robert saw to it that I got went to & got home from school safely. He did a good job! He was a good nice friendly man. Gone way too soon. May Blessing and Peace be upon the entire Miller family. Much Love to You All! Sheryl

Sheryl L Mc Brayer - January 08, 2022 at 10:29 AM

KP

“ *Kay Porter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Kay Porter - January 07, 2022 at 11:05 AM

GL

“ *So many good memories of times shared grades 1-12 with Kitlee as we called him. Hope we meet up again, in the southeast corner of Heaven. (It's an Adelphian Academy thing)*
Prayers for the family. Gary Lutz



Gary Lutz - January 06, 2022 at 11:42 AM

LM

“ *Lori McBrayer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Lori McBrayer - January 06, 2022 at 05:09 AM

EW

“ *Elder Charles Woods lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert LaVerne Miller*



Elder Charles Woods - January 05, 2022 at 06:27 PM

CC

“ Robert Miller was truly always happy go lucky 24/7! He was a extremely dedicated husband father grandfather friend uncle and just a good well rounded person! We will miss his laughter and kindness! May God please bless and comfort each family member who is hurt and devastated over his passing! 🙏🙏🙏

Charlene Crowley - January 05, 2022 at 05:23 PM

DB

Kitlee, was a very kind person, funny, kept u laughing, I never saw him angry. We played scrabble for hours. He kept u cracking up laughing, he was that kind of guy. he was a happy person and it definitely showed. I will truly miss him.

Diana Bell - January 11, 2022 at 06:22 AM

DW

Robert (Kitlee) Miller, I've know him for over 51 years and never once saw him mad or upset. We attended Adelphian Academy and Andrews University together and where ever Kitlee was there was always endless fun and laughter. Kitlee we have that blessed hope that we'll meet again soon when Jesus returns to harvest his faithful that keep the commandments of God and have the Faith of Jesus. I already miss you!

Dwayne Wilhite -January 1 at 0123

Dwayne B. Wilhite - January 13, 2022 at 01:25 AM

JA

A terrible loss! We will meet again under the tree of life. Prayers for the family.

Joyce Jeanean Anderson - January 15, 2022 at 03:00 PM

AN

What can I say? That was my guy! He was my friend. My Dear, Dear Friend that I have known for nearly my entire life. I loved him so much. How can life ever be the same without his big, warm-loving smile and laughter that was "Always" there. Such a kind giving soul, such a beautiful person with a wonderful spirit. I am so thankful and grateful that he was a part of my life. He touched it in many ways and just made it "Better". What a blessing he was to me and a joy! He was my skating partner, my going out to dinner and watching movies at home buddy. Once he tried to teach me how to drive his car with a stick shift which was very terrifying for me and he could not stop laughing. Years of endless fun, good moments and memories once shared will be treasured, remembered, cherished and held close in heart. My prayers are with you Barry and the family. May God grant you all the peace, all the comfort and all the strength that you need during this time and in the days ahead.

Always remember, If we live our lives for God accordingly, we will indeed be together with loved ones and friends "Forever" in The Presence of Christ Our Savior. May we all continue to press on and forward, standing firm in the faith, holding onto God's words and promises because that Glorious Day of The Lord's Coming is soon, and very soon!!!

May God's Everyday Blessings Be With You. Much Love, Angela

Angela Norton-Gomez - January 16, 2022 at 01:43 AM

CW

Robert, you were one of the good guys—kind and compassionate. You were always willing to help others. Your Fairhaven family will miss you.

Clara Williams - January 16, 2022 at 03:01 PM

CH

Condolences, hugs and prayers to the entire Miller family. Kitlee was ALWAYS kind to me and treated me like family. Never saw him without a smile on his face. He always greeted me with a big hug and always had a funny story to share. Such a great guy who will be sorely missed. Love to you all, family.

Carmen D. Hunt - January 18, 2022 at 12:48 PM