



Roger Lee Miller

December 25, 1942 - March 29, 2025

Roger Lee Miller was born on Christmas day in 1942 to Floyd and Lydia (Thurovat) Miller. He graduated from Albion High School in 1960 and enlisted in the United States Air Force immediately after graduation. He worked for many years at the Lansing State Journal and retired as Manager of the Plate Making Department. A talented woodworker, he was a perfectionist and commonly gifted his creations to friends and family. With a need for speed, he was an avid car person, and his 1953 yellow Ford short box pick up was often recognized at car shows. A huge sports fan, Roger didn't miss many games of his favorite teams, The Tigers, The Lions and The Spartans. He was also a sports dad, coaching baseball for his boys and countless others, and he enjoyed attending his grandchildren's sporting events and challenging the refs on bad calls. Roger always spoke his mind and was independent and stubborn right up until the end of his life on March 29, 2025. He easily incorporated others into his extended family with his colorful banter and loved his people with all he had, as they did him.

Roger is survived by his children, Gregory (Maureen) Miller, Angela (Scott) Portt, six grandchildren, Stephanie, Joe, Brad, Madelyn, Patrick, and Abigail; four great-grandchildren, Macie, Presley, Parker and Ava; siblings, Ron (Sylvia) Miller and Marie Bush. He was predeceased by his 1st wife, Elizabeth (Betsy); 2nd wife, Elinor; son, Brent Miller; sister and brother-in-law, Pat (Ron) Elliot; and brother-in-law, Jack Bush.

Friends are encouraged to support Roger's family by attending services or sharing memories on his tribute page, www.PrayFuneral.com <<http://www.PrayFuneral.com>>. A memorial service is being planned for a later date. If desired, the family suggest memorial contributions to Make-A-Wish Foundation or Feed the Children charity. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **23**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Sycamore Creek Church (Potterville)
105 N Church Street
Potterville, MI 48876

Memorial

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Tribute Wall

FM

“ Fence Masters purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Roger Lee Miller.



Fence Masters - May 22, 2025 at 10:24 PM

LS

“ Love, Ryan & Andrea Siska purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Roger Lee Miller.



Love, Ryan & Andrea Siska - May 15, 2025 at 09:10 PM

BV

“ I lived next door to Roger and family in Potterville back in the 80's and 90's. They had this large pool and sat dish that was 10 feet tall, Brent was my baby sitter for some time back in those day, He could throw the football from his yard to my yard as He was the Qtr back for Potterville High school. The neighborhood kids would sled on the hill and have snowball fights from yard to yards. His wife Betsy would attend the local pig roast for many years. To the family of Roger Miller Angie and Greg and grand kids my thoughts and prayers are with you. Brandon V ps. I light this yellow candle in remembrance for Potterville schools mascot colors.



Brandon Voss - April 06, 2025 at 03:22 PM

NM

“ With great sorrow his new neighbors at Park Meadows wish the family much sympathy during this time. I often helped him carry his groceries in, he was such a sweet man, I didn't have much time to get to know him, but he sounded like an awesome person to be around. I briefly got to meet Angie & Greg and I truly am sorry for your loss.



Nancy M. - April 04, 2025 at 10:51 AM

BC

“ I remember how patient Roger was. He and Betsy made a great team. They had a lot of laughs together. When you kids were little I drove my car after I was in a 3 car accident, (back tire shredding) and parked behind your house. I can hear Betsy calmly on the phone telling someone, “Roger’s out there taking a sledgehammer to Becky’s car.” He knew what to do to get me back on the road. R.I.P., Roger. So sorry for your loss, Angie and Greg.

Becky Burdick Consonni - April 04, 2025 at 09:30 AM

NA

“ Roger was my neighbor at Park Meadows. He was the sweetest gentleman! Rest in peace Roger!

Nancy - April 04, 2025 at 09:13 AM

LR

“ Roger was a great guy, I helped him with his yellow hot rod truck as long as he owned it, he loved that truck, he was always at a car show with his wife and truck, I knew him about 20 years and in that time at he always spoke well about everyone, Roger will be greatly missed by everyone that knew him, he was a very good friend and he will be deeply missed.

Larry Russell - April 02, 2025 at 06:33 PM

RN

“ Roger and Betsy raised the greatest kids, our kids were friends and classmates with the Miller kids. Roger was always a great coach for the Pville Vikings. Love to set next to him at sporting events, never a dull moment. He was truly a great father and just an all around good guy. He will be missed but not forgotten. RIP

Ron and Pat Norman - April 02, 2025 at 03:11 PM

CB

“ Charmagne B lit a candle in memory of Roger Lee Miller



Charmagne B - April 02, 2025 at 11:37 AM