



Mr. Eugene Donald Miller Jr.

January 13, 1944 - October 31, 2021

Miller, Eugene Donald, Jr., passed away suddenly on October 31, 2021. He is survived by the love of his life, Sallie M. Patterson Miller (nee Patterson); cherished children, Jeanie Frantz (Robert), Anna Benkert (Bruce), Stacy Miller (Butch); ten adored grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren and his dear sister Pamela Simmons. Predeceased by his son Eugene Donald Miller, III, and his sister Jo Ann Mozdzen.

Friends may call at the family-owned Mitchell-Wiedefeld Funeral Home, Inc., 6500 York Rd (at Overbrook) on Friday November 5 from 2 PM to 4 PM and 7 PM to 9 PM. Funeral Service on Saturday, November 6, 10 AM at Second Presbyterian Church, 4200 St. Paul St., Baltimore, MD 21218. Interment to follow at Millers United Methodist Cemetery, 3435 Warehime Rd, Manchester, MD 21102.

Donations may be made in his memory to Tunnels to Towers Foundation at <https://t2t.org/>.

Gene followed in his father's footsteps and served for many years in the US Army and the Army Reserve. As a younger man, he was a volunteer fireman for the Woodlawn Volunteer Fire Department. He retired from C&P Telephone

Company and later in life he took on a part time job with Eddie's at Roland Park. This is where he met the love of his life, Sallie, and their love story began almost 12 years ago. He then left Eddie's and volunteered for the Baltimore City Public Schools and was recently hired on full time as an attendance monitor. He was thrilled because this allowed him to spend more time with Sallie who is a reading specialist for Baltimore City Schools. He loved his Maryland Crabs and the Baltimore Orioles. He was a huge fan of the Baltimore Ravens, the Alabama Crimson Tide college football team and dirt track racing. He enjoyed every holiday, traveling to different places , camping and spending valuable time with his wife and family. For many years he was an avid award winning crafter, alongside his parents, at the Maryland State Fair.

He will be deeply missed by his wife, his children, his family, and all who knew him.

Cemetery Details

Millers United Methodist Cemetery

3435 Warehime Rd.
Manchester, MD 21102

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Mitchell - Wiedefeld Funeral Home, Inc.
6500 York Road
Baltimore, MD 21212
(410) 377-8300
general@mwfuneralhome.com

Visitation

NOV 5. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Mitchell - Wiedefeld Funeral Home, Inc.
6500 York Road
Baltimore, MD 21212
(410) 377-8300
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Funeral Service

NOV 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

Second Presbyterian Church
4200 St. Paul Street
Baltimore, MD 21218

Interment

NOV 6 (ET)

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Manchester, MD 21102

Tribute Wall

AM

“ To my Poppy,

Thank you for everything that you did for me. You were truly helped to make me into the person I am today. You became a parental figure for me when I needed it the most. You always tried to make my childhood a happy one. I never thanked you enough for all that you did but I hope you knew how much I appreciate you. It means so much knowing how proud you were of me. I will keep working to make you proud. I love you Poppy forever ❤️



Ariana Meinster - November 03, 2021 at 08:27 PM

SM

I love this Ariana! He would have as well! Thanks dear!

Sallie Miller - November 04, 2021 at 10:45 AM

AM

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Ariana Meinster - November 03, 2021 at 08:26 PM

JK

“ Pop i wish we had more time to talk and say all the things each other needed to hear. But in the end we never know what will happen day to day. I know we didn't have a lot of time together but the time we did i have enjoyed very much just wished there could have been more but god only knows when its time. Till we meet again rest easy pop. Please remember that i love you and will always be there for sallie.



Jeffrey kern - November 03, 2021 at 03:51 PM

SM

That's a beautiful sentiment Jeff. Thanks so much. Your Pop was so glad to be with you all. He loved you!

Sallie Miller - November 03, 2021 at 06:54 PM

SM

“ 1 file added to the album *Tribute Wall*



Sallie Miller - November 03, 2021 at 09:43 AM

SA

My darling Gene on our honeymoon.

Sallie - November 03, 2021 at 09:49 AM

SM

My darling Gene! My heart breaks with your loss. I wish I was able to hold your hand and look at your beautiful blue eyes again.

I was lost my love and you found me and made me want to live again.

You gave me a family that I didn't know could be possible.

I am so proud that I got to meet Donny before he died. I love my girls Jeanie, Anna, and Stacy so much. They are taking such loving care of me. I love Pam and miss dear JoAnn.

Ariana allowed me to come into your lives and accepted me as her Mema and I love her and am proud of her.

I now have step grandchildren and great grandchildren where none existed.

You and I had so much fun together and I want you to know you were the Love of My Life and Always will be! I cherish our memories and cherish our joined family.

Be at peace my love. Watch over me and let me feel your presence and see you in my dreams until I can join you again.

God bless you my darling Gene!

*Love, Your China Doll(As you always called me)
Sallie*

Sallie Miller - November 03, 2021 at 09:54 AM

MT

“ I met Mr Gene at our mutual Campground through his daughters Anna and Stacy. We would occasionally pass each other in the campground during events or on a golf cart he was always smiling and laughing and enjoying Ms Sallie and his girls. My last fondest memories of him was playing Bingo at camp and Sallie winning a good size pot and him smiling when someone said she needed to take him for a good breakfast in the morning! We all really enjoyed that evening very much! I will miss seeing him at camp very much. Much love to his family.

Michele Thurston - November 03, 2021 at 09:40 AM

PS

“ To my beloved Brother

It is hard to believe you have left us. You and I have shared a lifetime of joys and some sadness. You have seen me through some dark days and have brighten up the rest. You were my big brother growing up and I will always cherish the memories of me being your little sister. One of my greatest joys was seeing your love blossom when your beloved Sallie entered your life and the pride and joy in your voice and in your smile in having her and your beautiful daughters and your grandchildren and great grandchildren back in your life. Know this, my brother, I will be always try to do my best to be there for your Sallie and my beloved nieces. We are truly family and will watch over each other. I am very proud to call you my brother and feel bless that you have been apart of my life. You will be missed, but never forgotten. And I know most people called you Gene, but to me you will always be my Duffy. Until we meet again I love you.

Pam

Pam Simmons - November 02, 2021 at 07:21 PM

DL

“ *Mr. Eugene. I never got to meet you but I felt like I know you through your daughter Anna. Anna talked about you alot and told wonderful stories. All the fun at the campground with you and Sally. You have a wonderful family who love you and will miss you very much. You now have your wings fly high.. xoxo . Dawn Lilly*

Dawn Lilly - November 02, 2021 at 06:30 PM

AB

“ *Dad,
We are still trying to come to terms with the last few days. It's so hard to believe you have left us and that this all happened so fast. I truly thank God for the relationship and bond that grew between you, me, Jeanie and Stacy. I know that you left us knowing how much you were really loved buy your 3 girls, Sallie and the rest of your family. I am going to miss seeing you, talking to you, hearing the excitement in your voice when you answered the phone knowing it was one of your girls calling, our weekends camping, our dinners out and so so many other things. This was one of my favorite pictures of us so I wanted to share this. I'm thankful to God for not allowing you to suffer and be in pain. We know how much you loved Sallie and how much she loved you. Don't you ever worry about her because us girls will take very good care of her.*

Rest easy Dad, and please walk beside all of us for the reaming time we are here on earth. I will always love you Dad.



Anna Benkert - November 02, 2021 at 02:22 PM

SM

He did love you girls with all his heart! I love this picture too!❤️

sallie Miller - November 02, 2021 at 03:38 PM

JF

“ *Dad,
I can't find the words to express the loss we all feel. Its not fair that we didn't get more time together. Its certainly a regret we will all carry. Your daughters will be by Sallie's side and know we will always be there for her. Rest easy Dad...Smile down upon us this week as we lay you to rest and check in once in a while. We love and miss you! Hugs and Kisses!*



Jeanie Frantz - November 02, 2021 at 12:33 PM

BS

Yes we will miss you and all your good deeds!

bryan simmons - November 02, 2021 at 01:49 PM

SM

That's beautiful Jeanie!❤️

sallie Miller - November 02, 2021 at 02:29 PM

WS

Sally and I are sorry to hear of Duffy's passing. Made us think of our days on Thayer Terr. in our youth. He was well liked by all who knew him. RIP and thank you for your service.

Wayne Seidlich - November 02, 2021 at 04:06 PM