



Barbara Ann Miller

February 3, 1963 - December 29, 2024

Barbara Ann Miller, age 61 passed away peacefully on Sunday, December 29, 2024, at home after a long courageous battle with cancer.

Barb was born to the late Fredric “Tom” and Virginia (Parks) Bowman on February 3, 1963, in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

She married Kent D. Miller on August 11, 2000, in Kalkaska, Michigan.

Barb loved to work in her garden, go camping, canning, and watching the deer and birds in the back yard. She was a hard worker and loved to spend time with her grandchildren. Barb was an active member of the Evergreen Bible Baptist Church.

She is survived by her loving husband of 25 years Kent Miller, two children; a son Dan (Angel) Rhoat, and daughter Sara Miller; grandchildren Hunter, Natalie, Fischer, Cadence, Madilyn, Reagan, Emma, Evelyn, Christopher, and Cooper; sisters Brenda (Kevin) Gould, Sandy (Tom Weideman) Baynham, Chris (Jason) Harlan; brother-in-law Michael (Crystal) Miller, sister-in-law Niki (Drew) Gillespie, and sister-in-law Heather Miller; father-in-law Elmer Ketchum, and step-mom Lori Miller; several nieces and nephews and great-nephews and nieces.

Barb was preceded in passing by her daughter, Shanda Rhoat; a grandson Neal Guss, Jr., mother-in-law Billie Ketchum, father-in-law Forrest Miller.

The family will receive friends on Friday, January 3, 2025, beginning at 3:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Wolfe-O’Neill Funeral Home.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, January 4, 2025, at Evergreen

Bible Baptist Church, at 12:00 p.m. with a visitation beginning at 11:00 a.m. at church. Pastor William Kuiper will be officiating.

Interment will take place in the spring at Excelsior Township Cemetery

Arrangements provided by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

Cemetery Details

Excelsior Twp. Cemetery

Hwy. 571, 1 1/4 miles North of M-72
Kalkaska, MI 49686

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home
106 S. Cherry
Kalkaska, MI 49646
(231) 258-5121
<https://www.wolfeoneill.com/>

Visitation

JAN 4. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Evergreen Bible Baptist Church
1972 Saunders Rd SE
Kalkaska, MI 49646-9367
(231) 258-9101

Service

JAN 4. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Evergreen Bible Baptist Church
1972 Saunders Rd SE
Kalkaska, MI 49646-9367
(231) 258-9101

Tribute Wall

SS

“ she will be missed we love you barb from steve and judy shewood

steve sherwood - March 06, 2025 at 06:31 PM

DF

“ Dale, Debi, Bill, Tracie Greg & Families purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Barbara Ann Miller.



Dale, Debi, Bill, Tracie Greg & Families - January 01, 2025 at 02:52 PM

DF

“ Dale, Debi, Bill, Tracie Greg & Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Barbara Ann Miller.

Dale, Debi, Bill, Tracie Greg & Families - January 01, 2025 at 02:52 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home - December 31, 2024 at 02:35 PM

MT

“ Mid-State Oil Tools purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Barbara Ann Miller.



Mid-State Oil Tools - December 31, 2024 at 10:44 AM

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Mid-State Oil Tools - December 31, 2024 at 10:44 AM

RK

“ Rick and Kim purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Barbara Ann Miller.



Rick and Kim - December 31, 2024 at 09:48 AM

SJ

“ Silver, James purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Barbara Ann Miller.



Silver, James - December 30, 2024 at 07:44 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Miller.*



December 30, 2024 at 06:02 PM



“ *I want to send my prayers and thoughts to the whole family. Barb will missed by all. Barb has been a good friend for a long time, she loved her flowers for sure always loved looking at them when I was there. And the good times we had camping, we will miss that. It was fun hanging out for years camping for nascar! We will miss you, hope everyone can find comfort that she is out of pain now and moved on to a better place, and I know she's probably hugged Shanda and baby Neil a hundred times already! Luv you Barb, Wendy and Del*

wendy carlson - December 30, 2024 at 04:52 PM