



## George W. Miller

February 22, 1929 - June 8, 2020

George Washington Miller, age 91, of Greer, passed away on June 8, 2020. Born and raised in the Fairview Community, he was a son of the late James Mike and Sadie Taff Miller.

He was a graduate of Taylors High School, Class of 1946 and a member of Greer First Baptist Church where he was a former deacon and Sunday school teacher. He was a short term Veteran of the Korean War and an associate of Winn Dixie Warehouse for 38 years.

Surviving is his wife of 67 years, Joye Brown Miller; two sons, George Brown Miller of Greenville and James DeWitt Miller of Chapin; two granddaughters, Sarah Elizabeth Miller and Emily Joye Miller of Greenville; two special nieces and a nephew, Dr. Audrey Ammons, and Susie and Randy Grant of Beaufort. He was predeceased by four sisters and two brothers.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday, June 11, 2020 at The Wood Mortuary, conducted by Dr. Doug Mize and Rev. Lynne Robinson. Burial will be at Hillcrest Memory Gardens where the family will receive friends after the service.

Memorials may made to Greer First Baptist Church 2020 Vision Fund, 202 W. Poinsett St., Greer, SC 29650.

Online condolences may be made at [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL  
300 West Poinsett Street  
Greer, SC 29650  
(864) 877-3351  
[woodmortuary@bellsouth.net](mailto:woodmortuary@bellsouth.net)

# Tribute Wall



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Webcast in memory of George W. Miller*



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**The Wood Mortuary** - June 11, 2020 at 10:52 AM

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“ *To The Miller Family:  
Joye, Brown and Jim, I am sorry to hear about your husband and dad. He was an upstanding gentleman. He treated his lovely bride with respect and love when I would see them out together. Brown and Jim what an amazing example of what a father and a loving family you came from. There are not enough families like this anymore so carry on your traditions, relive your memories and never stop caring and loving your family. May you feel Gods peace and presence during this difficult time.  
Love, Angie Ashmore Kruse*



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**Angie Ashmore Kruse** - June 12, 2020 at 04:17 PM

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“ *Sending condolences to the family of George Miller, my good friend and associate at Winn Dixie for many years. God's blessing to Joye, Brown, James, the grandchildren and all members of his family.*

*Doug Campbell*

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**Doug Campbell** - June 11, 2020 at 12:54 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of George W. Miller.*



June 10, 2020 at 12:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George W. Miller.*



June 10, 2020 at 10:57 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of George W. Miller.*



June 10, 2020 at 09:20 AM



“ *Audrey A Ammons purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of George W. Miller.*



**Audrey A Ammons** - June 09, 2020 at 09:29 PM

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“ Judy and I send our most sincere condolences to the entire Miller family on the passing of their beloved husband, father, and grandfather, Mr. George Brown Miller. I had the pleasure of coming to know Mr. Miller in the fall of 1975, when I was a senior at Riverside High School and became fast friends with his eldest son, Brown. My many trips down the steps to Brown's super cool basement bedroom that year in their former house on Fairview Road were always prefaced with a warm greeting and light conversation with Mr. Miller. He and Mrs. Miller were always extremely kind and generous to me and all of Brown's friends, even though they probably had sufficient cause, every now and then, not to be (due to some shenanigan or another on our part!). I always found Mr. Miller to be the picture of patience and true southern gentlemanly demeanor. He offered wise counsel, and it was clear to the young man that I was then that he had learned a thing or two in his life. During Brown and my college years, when we started out as roommates at the University of South Carolina in Columbia, Mr. Miller and I enjoyed common work interest discussions, though my three summers working in the Winn Dixie warehouse bakery paled in comparison to his long and distinguished career with the company! Through the years, when we would see other less, it was wonderful to catch up when our paths did cross. He was always genuinely interested in what I was up to, and with the progress of my own family. I love the picture of Mr. Miller that accompanies his obituary. It captures perfectly his distinguished and kind nature. I was always immensely impressed, as well, with Mr. Miller's energy, even as he got older. It just wasn't in his nature not to work! It is quite a thing to live a long and fruitful life, to become a family patriarch who is universally loved and respected, and for no one to have cause to utter a negative word about how you went about it all. That was the George Miller I knew, and will miss.

*Chris and Judy Porter*

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**Chris Porter** - June 09, 2020 at 08:54 PM

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*My apologies for the mistake in typing Mr. Miller's middle name in my tribute.*

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**Chris Porter** - June 10, 2020 at 09:43 AM