



John R. Miller

October 19, 1944 - October 19, 2014

John R. Miller, 70, of Lancaster passed away Sunday morning, October 19, 2014 at Lancaster General Hospital. Born in Lancaster on November 12, 1943, he was the son of the late Ralph L. and Dorothy K. Fitzgerald Miller, Sr. He was married to Jo Ann Bryson Miller with whom he celebrated 50 years of marriage to this past September 12th.

John graduated from JP McCaskey High School in 1961. He had worked as a plant manager and in sales for the former Sci-O-Tech in Lancaster. He had enjoyed part time employment with the American Music Theatre in the Box Office and most recently was employed by Raubenstine Insurance Agency, Lancaster.

John loved serving the Lord and was gracious to everyone he met up until the end. He served as Pastor for Highville United Methodist Church, Conestoga for the past 17 years. He was a long time member of Grandview United Methodist Church, Lancaster.

Being the gentle and loving husband, father, and grandfather that John was, he leaves behind his wife Jo; daughters, Charity A., wife of Felix Cruz of Lancaster, Christina N., wife of David Grebinger of Willow Street and grandchildren, Noel Cruz, Madison and David Grebinger. He is survived also by a brother Ralph L., husband of Margaret Miller, Jr. of Lancaster.

The family would like to thank the attending physicians and caring ICU staff at LGH for their care of John over the past few days.

Family and friends are respectfully invited to attend John's Funeral Service on

Saturday, October 25, 2014 at 11AM from the Highville UM Church, 3327 River Rd., Conestoga, PA with Pastor Don Sweimler officiating. Friends will be received at the church from 10AM until 11AM Saturday. Please omit flowers, memorial remembrances may be made in John's memory to Highville UM Church, c/o Beatrice B. Troup, 1790 Water St., Washington Boro, PA 17582. For other information please call 717-872-1779 or to submit online condolences visit www.thegundelchapel.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *John R. Miller*

October 22, 2023 at 10:35 PM



“ *John R. Miller*

October 06, 2023 at 08:29 AM



“ *John R. Miller*

October 05, 2023 at 11:43 PM



“ *Dear JoAnn, Despite that many years have passed since we last enjoyed time together in Lancaster, please know that I'm saddened to discover John has passed away. I remember him as being warm-hearted, welcoming, and kind. I'm sending hugs for you and wishes for peace and good memories to keep you healthy and safe. Warmest regards, Karen (CVHS '63)*

Karen Hudgins (Ferguson) - Jacksonville, FL - Friend - June 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have fond memories of John and the family when Kevin and I first joined Grandview back in 1992. John was always very friendly and welcoming and we appreciated that. So sorry to hear of his passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. With Love, Linda McCandless*

Linda McCandless - Lancaster, PA - October 27, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was his District Superintendent when John was first appointed to Highville UMC. I was always impressed with his passion for ministry and his compassion for people. I know the congregation has been blessed by his ministry. Now he is a recipient of the Resurrection hope in Christ he so loved to share with others. I pray that his family will be kept in that hope too as they grieve their loss.

Rev. Larry D. Leister - Lititz, PA - ministerial colleague - October 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ So sorry to read of John's passing. I worked for him at Sciotech for many years...I have memories of him dressing as Santa Clause and still have the picture of him. He was a role model for me in those years and I have thought of him many times over the years. He will be missed...

Donna Shue - Sadsburyville, PA - ft I end - October 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM