



Kevyn Miller

February 28, 1956 - April 28, 2018

Kevyn Miller, 62, of Thorntown, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, April 28, 2018, at Community East Hospital in Indianapolis. He was born in Lebanon, on February 28, 1956, a son of R. Karl Miller and Alyce (Thrasher) Miller.

Kevyn was a lifelong resident of Boone County and was a 1974 graduate of Thorntown High School. He later graduated from Purdue University, studying animal science. He married René (Rynearson) Miller in 1978; she survives.

Kevyn raised cattle his entire life. He was the livestock manager at Conner Prairie. Previously, he worked for McIntyre and Wiley in Boone County with livestock auctions and owned his own business as a hoof trimmer.

Kevyn was past president of the Indiana Simmental Association, past president of the Boone County Beef Producers and a Boone County 4-H beef project leader.

Survivors:

Parents: R. Karl and Alyce Miller of Lebanon

Wife: René Miller of Thorntown

Two Daughters:

Jessica (Jason) Adams of Abilene, Texas

Kasey (Jared) Brown of St. Joseph, Missouri

Grandson: Jackson Brown of Missouri

Brother: Kyle (Kim) Miller of Thorntown

Sister: Kristyn (Steve) Pittman of Thorntown

Memorial Services will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 3, 2018, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, Lebanon.

Visitation is planned for 4:00-7:00 p.m. on Thursday at the funeral home in Lebanon. Myers Mortuary and Boone County Crematory are entrusted with his arrangements.

Memorials may be made in Kevyn's memory to Boone County Beef Producers c/o Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, Lebanon, IN 46052

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 3. 3:00 PM (ET)

Myers Mortuary
1502 North Lebanon Street
Lebanon, IN 46052
(765) 482-0620
office@myersmortuary.com
<https://myersmortuary.com/>

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kevyn Miller*

November 27, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ *Just saw this online. He had a great impact on my life! He was a real caring guy.*

Michael Budd - October 25, 2018 at 02:30 PM



“ *We are so very sorry to hear of Kevyn's passing, Kevyn grew up down the road from my Grandparents (Devon & Pearl McDonald). We have always thought very highly of the Miller family, please know that we are praying for peace and comfort for your entire family.*

Love ~ Judy McDonald, Kim Warren & Family, Patrick McDonald & Family ~

Kim Warren - May 07, 2018 at 11:25 AM



“ *We are so sad to hear of your loss! I always loved Kevin's smile! He was a wonderful man! Prayers for God's peace and comfort during this difficult time. Lean on Him.*

Bob and Cindy Keyes - May 04, 2018 at 02:41 PM

AC

“ We loved Kevyn's visits to Centenary United Methodist Church in Cape Girardeau, MO. His visits will be missed. Please accept our sincerest sympathy for your loss. Know that we are remembering you in prayer. Avon and Linn Crocker

Avon and Linn Crocker - May 04, 2018 at 06:57 AM

DH

“ Caring, patient and kind, with a generous dose of humor and expertise, Kevyn was a genuine gem of a human and a friend. Sincerest condolences to the family - he will be sorely missed.
Dave & Lorraine Haxton
Thorntown

Dave Haxton - May 03, 2018 at 07:50 PM

JH

“ Kevin was a perfect gentleman always. My condolences to the Miller family who has lost their son, brother and dad. My prayers are for your comfort at this time.

Jeanie Owens Harding - May 03, 2018 at 05:05 PM

JH

“ Jeff Hunter purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Kevyn Miller.



Jeff Hunter - May 03, 2018 at 11:24 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 02, 2018 at 08:35 PM



“ *Angel Wind Chime - Silver was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 02, 2018 at 08:20 PM



“ *Karl and Alyce - I was so sorry to hear of Kevyn's passing. Thinking of you and your family with love and prayers.
Sincerely, Margaret Grimes*

margaret grimes - May 02, 2018 at 08:17 PM



“ *Amazing Arboricola was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 02, 2018 at 04:08 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 02, 2018 at 06:30 AM



“ *Jessica Medlen purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



Jessica Medlen - May 01, 2018 at 11:39 PM



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



May 01, 2018 at 06:20 PM



“ *Kevyn's presence at Conner Prairie was always a blessing to the staff, volunteers, and visitors. He shared his knowledge freely and poured his life into helping the other Ag staff and the youth volunteers become the best versions of themselves. He will be greatly missed.*

Carol Emmert - May 01, 2018 at 01:44 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 01, 2018 at 12:59 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kevyn Miller.*



May 01, 2018 at 07:18 AM



“ *Sevral years ago our daughter had a large piece of art work that had to be transported from our home to the Stutz building in downtown Indianapolis. Our car was way too small for this job. Kevyn cheerfully offered his help and we got the job done. He gave the impression of being honored to be of service to us. I'm sure there are far more stories like this that could be shared. His mentoring of Youth Volunteers has had a positive impact on many young lives. His unfailing good nature was infectious. The work he has done to preserved rare and endangered breeds of livestock will always be remembered. Kevyn, may God rest your soul!*

Edward Grogan - May 01, 2018 at 07:17 AM

JW

“ Kevyn was s great help to us years ago when we bought out small farm. He continued to be available for help and advise whenever we need assistance. He helped us in learning about oxen when we bought our first pair. He will be missed.

JIM AND NANCY WHELAN
tHORNTOWN

JIM WHELAN - April 30, 2018 at 10:00 PM

ST

“ So Sorry to hear of Kevyn passing, thought and prayers for your family. Stan & Nancy Thayer

Stan Thayer - April 30, 2018 at 08:22 PM

DT

“ Di, Nooch, Mags, and Terr purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Kevyn Miller.



Di, Nooch, Mags, and Terr - April 30, 2018 at 03:35 PM

ND

“ When I was little, I remember sometimes Kevyn would brings baby sheep or chickens to various church events for the kids to look at and learn about. I'm so sorry to hear about his passing, he will be very deeply missed.

Nikole Darnell - April 30, 2018 at 01:20 PM

LT

“ My triplet grandsons very first outing was to Conner Prairie where they met "Mr. Kebyn". They bonded with him right away. I still have visions of three tiny boys surrounded by curly-horned sheep and Mr. Kebyn with a big smile on his face! Rest in peace, Mr. Kebyn, we will never forget you.

Lois Tschaepe - April 30, 2018 at 01:02 PM

NL

RIP Kevyn Ray Miller I love you very much. Wish I could be there but my thoughts and prayers are with you all. Happy 65th wedding Anniversay to his parents for such a sad day.

Nancy Lewis - April 30, 2018 at 01:50 PM

PS

Kevin with his infectious smile & personality will be greatly missed. As Kim Miller put it "God got a good one!"

Pam Swisher - April 30, 2018 at 02:17 PM

DV

Enjoyed working with Kevyn when he judged the Hancock Co. Fair. He truly enjoyed working with our 4-H'ers in the ring and had something positive to say to each one. So sorry to hear of his passing...Debbie Shoufler Vansickle

Debbie Shoufler Vansickle - April 30, 2018 at 02:22 PM

CW

Kevyn and his family have always been long time friends of the Walker Family through at least 3 generation if not more. Jefferson Twp Boone county Indiana. I can remember his grandparents on both sides, Miller and Thrashers. We grew up together and went to Dover School and then onto Thorntown, Our class of 1974 was the last graduating class of Thorntown.

Kevyn will be missed by many but our hearts know that he is peacefully tending to his wide range of animals, all of God's creatures. He is the Master's herdsman. Till we met again.

Connie L Walker

Connie Walker - May 01, 2018 at 12:35 PM

MP

Kevyn and I always had a great time exchanging stories. He always enjoyed my stories about my childhood in Arizona when I was a kid, he especially liked the one about me riding my horse through a plowed field, I should not have done it but I was a kid and did not know better, he always got a laugh about it. It was just last Wednesday when we were talking about it. I am glad we had a good time. I was glad to share to share it, Life is precious and we never know the time we have together. Kevyn will be missed but he is still with us in mind and spirit and the things he taught and shared will be carried with us.

Michael Pace - May 01, 2018 at 04:02 PM

MS

*Alyce, Karl, Kyle, Kristyn, Rene' and the girls.....
Tammy and I extend our sincere and deepest sympathies - Kevyn was a wonderful person, remembering his smile makes me smile. I was very saddened when Dick called and told me Kevyn had passed - but, I quickly found myself reminiscing about feeding the cattle, camping at Miller's Pond, being part of Kevyn's hay crew, the T-town Marching Band, and heading back to West Lafayette on a Sunday evening. I'm grateful for those memories.....thank you. You're in our thoughts and prayers.*

Mark Swisher

Mark Swisher - May 03, 2018 at 08:27 PM