



## Dr. Charles L. Miller

October 22, 2015

Dr. Charles L. Miller, age 91 of Benwood, WV died Thursday, October 22, 2015 in Liza's Place, Wheeling, WV.

He was born in Gassaway, WV, the son of the late Thomas and Hester Moyer Miller.

He was a WWII Army Air Force Veteran; a 60 year member of the Moundsville Rotary Club, where he was past president and Assistant District Governor.

Dr. Miller graduated from The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine and started his practice in Marshall County in 1951, at his home on Clinton Ave., Moundsville. He later moved his practice to Glen Dale, opening the Glendale Animal Hospital, where he continued to work until his retirement in 2004; and was awarded the West Virginia Veterinary of the Year Award in 2005.

He was a veterinarian with both the Marshall and Ohio County Animal Shelters, as well as assisting with the start up of the Marshall County Shelter. Charles enjoyed hunting, skiing, gardening; reading, running, beekeeping, and the outdoors.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, William Roy, Thomas E., and Robert Miller; and three sisters, Helen Thompson, Thelma Miller, and Maycel Skaggs.

Survivors include his wife, Roberta Miller; four children, Holly (Randy) Roshon of Columbus, OH, Paula (Paul) Duff of Cambridge, OH, Dr. Lee (Kig) Miller of Monmouth, IL, and Dr. Jennifer (Daniel) Burns of Wheeling; a sister, Avis

Nichols of Oregon; five grandsons, and a granddaughter on the way; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Sunday from 2-4 and 6-8pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville where funeral services will be held Monday at 1pm with Rev. John Lepp officiating and the Moundsville Honor Guard conducting Military Services.

Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

Memorial contributions may be made to Liza's Place, c/o 10686 State Route 150, Rayland, OH 43943.

# Cemetery Details

**Grisell Crematory**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

OCT **25**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville  
400 Jefferson Ave  
Moundsville, WV 26041  
(304) 845-0400  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

### Visitation

OCT **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville  
400 Jefferson Ave  
Moundsville, WV 26041  
(304) 845-0400  
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### Funeral Service

OCT **26**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville  
400 Jefferson Ave  
Moundsville, WV 26041  
(304) 845-0400  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>



# Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Dr. Charles L. Miller*



**Grisell Funeral Homes** - October 24, 2015 at 05:52 PM

SW

*I am so sorry that I couldn't get to the funeral home today. You are all in my prayers.*

**Sharon Welsch** - October 25, 2015 at 09:26 PM

GC

*Such a nice tribute to my friend Dr. Miller. I used to live four or five houses from him on the same street. He was such a kind and caring man and every time we ran into each other we always found something to talk about. Prayers and condolences are being sent to the family in this time of need. He will be sadly missed but will always be remembered for the good man he was.*

*Gary Church*

**Gary Church** - October 26, 2015 at 12:59 AM

BS

*I love that man like I love my own father. He made me part of his family for a long time and I will miss him so very much 🙏*

**Bill Seelbach** - August 22, 2022 at 11:50 AM

BS

*I dated Holly from sixth grade here through high school and beyond. Dr. Miller was like a call to me. I went on farm calls with him. We went hunting together, snowing together and he was my mentor I cannot say enough about Dr. Charles Miller 🙏🙏💕*

Bill Seelbach - March 31, 2024 at 10:21 AM

WS

“ Doc was like my second Father💕 He was a great man ❤️

william seelbach - March 16, 2023 at 11:44 PM

GM

“ To the family of Dr. Miller,  
I've been a practicing veterinarian in Florida for the past 33 years. As a pre veterinary and veterinary student, he was a great mentor and influence on my practice life. Over the years, I always tell younger people in the field about my Dr. Miller stories, all good, and all good learning experiences. He was a very kind, fair, intelligent, and generous man, and the world be less without him in it. Regardless, he will live on in the influence he has had on those in his life and the continued stories I share about him to those around me. I am sad in his passing, but what a great, lasting impression he leaves behind. My condolences to his entire family.  
Gus Mueller, DVM

Gus Mueller - January 12, 2016 at 03:41 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Dr. Charles L. Miller.



November 29, 2015 at 05:36 PM

NE

“ *The Children of Nick Endrizzi would like to offer our sincere condolences on your loss of Dr. Miller.*

*Respectfully,  
Mike, Kathy, Nancy, Mary and Emma*

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**Nancy Endrizzi** - October 29, 2015 at 02:04 PM

JM

“ *So sorry Roberta.....Seems like yesterday at your Grandparents farm and my home on Roberts Ridge we played ... wondering what lies ahead for us. We all end up in God's hands .... but the trip there was a blast wasn't it. ... Take care and many prayers for you and the family.*

*Judy (Darrow) McCheskey*

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**Judy McCheskey** - October 28, 2015 at 05:44 PM

LR

“ *Roberta, and family, Doc was a wonderful person, my mentor, my teacher, my friend. I learned more than I ever thought possible about animals, and their care. He helped at Ohio County Animal Shelter, when I needed advise, always there for me. Every time I saw you and him, first question was always, how many? Then just shake his finger at me. Doc you will be greatly missed by this family, and especially me. Roberta, sorry I didn't make it to the funeral, but wanted to remember him as I do, now. Thank you, and may you find peace in knowing he is now longer in pain. Love you and your family*

*Lynell Rine*

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**Lynell Rine** - October 28, 2015 at 12:59 PM

LC

“ *Roberta, Jennifer and Family*  
*Please know how sorry we are for your loss. The entire community has lost an unbelievable caring person. Dr Miller was so generous with his time and support to the Ohio Valley. We will miss his great sense of humor also. May God's calming hand help you through these difficult times.*  
*Lou and Jane Costanzo*



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**Lou Costanzo** - October 26, 2015 at 10:05 AM

LS

“ *Roberta, Jenn and family,*  
*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Jenn, your Dad was a great man. I have so many great childhood memories with your family. He will be greatly missed.*  
*Love to you and your Mom.*



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**Lori Shipley** - October 26, 2015 at 08:12 AM

BB

“ *With deepest sympathy from The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine family.*

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**Bonnie Bates** - October 26, 2015 at 08:08 AM

DB

“ Charles was always educating you with his stories. He was so varied in his interests that he had a lot of knowledge to impart. He was interested in your life and your pursuits. He adored his family and shared his time and interests with me and I am sure many many people. I remember going to Seven Springs to learn to ski with Charles and Roberta and Charles' best friend Howard. Charles and Roberta went on vacation to Kings Dominion with my family when my daughter Deanna was only about 4 years old and my sister Pam went too. The trip was fun and wet as I remember. We camped, road Motor bikes, went to steak fries, dinners and dances. We shared some great times times together as friends and family togetherness. He talked about Bob Evans biscuits and gravy when he was so sick and in pain and brought about a breakfast meeting that was a memory I will always remember.

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**Debra Bayles** - October 25, 2015 at 10:12 PM

AV

“ To the family of Dr. Charles Miller - Please accept my deepest condolences for your loss. I know at times like this it is hard to see past the sorrow, but I hope that reflecting on wonderful memories will help you get through this difficult time.

*Annette Vidis*

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**Annette Vidis** - October 25, 2015 at 03:58 PM

MY

“ I took all my animals to dr. miller, beginning in the sixties. he took such good care of them. I remember the old hospital that was torn down, and Dr. cooper and nancy jackson,too. he was such a kind person. the animals in heaven just got a new friend.

*margaret yocke*

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**margaret yocke** - October 25, 2015 at 03:32 PM

DA

“ Dr Shondrick and Drs and Staff of OVACC & AUC purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dr. Charles L. Miller.



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**Dr Shondrick and Drs and Staff of OVACC & AUC** - October 25, 2015 at 03:10 PM

JK

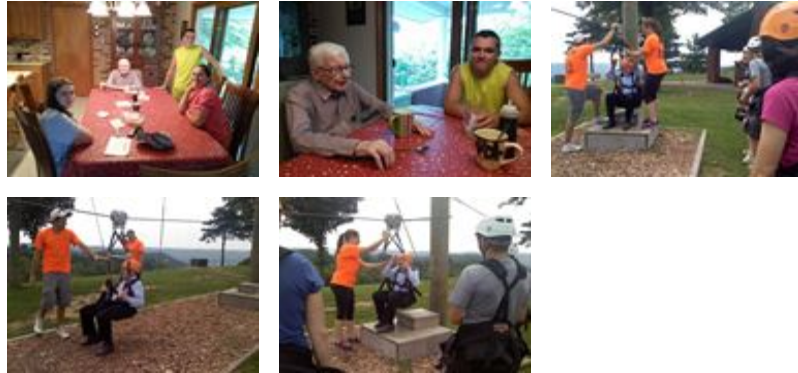
“ SORRY ABOUT DR. MILLER. MY THOUGHTS AND SYMPATHY GO OUT TO ALL OF HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

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**JAY KNAPP** - October 24, 2015 at 07:38 PM



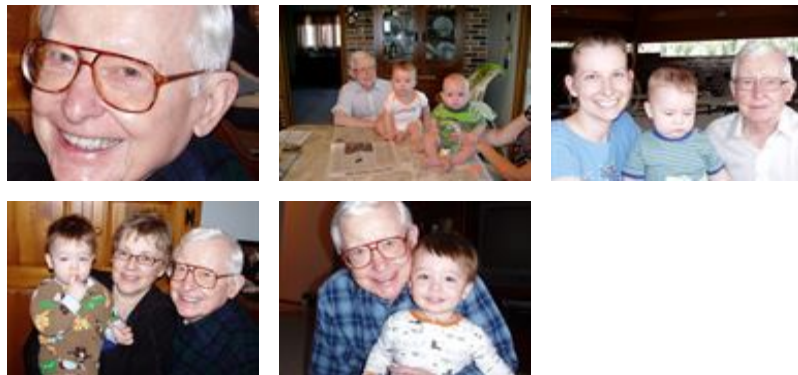
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Grisell Funeral Homes - October 24, 2015 at 05:41 PM



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Grisell Funeral Homes - October 24, 2015 at 01:42 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Dr. Charles L. Miller.



October 24, 2015 at 10:27 AM

BL

“ *Paula, Holly, Lee and family, I'm so sorry for you. I love you Paula and still think of you every day. God bless you all and give you peace at this most difficult time. All of my family sends love.*

*Bonnyrae Lemley. Xo*

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**Bonnyrae Lemley** - October 24, 2015 at 09:17 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time*

*May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Charles L. Miller, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete. I thank you for your service and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with the family of.....*

*US Air Force WW II Veteran, Charles L. Miller, “A True American Hero” God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*



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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - October 24, 2015 at 06:57 AM**

GC

“ Gary And Teresa Church lit a candle in memory of Dr. Charles L. Miller



Gary and Teresa Church - October 24, 2015 at 12:08 AM

JS

*I have lost a friend and mentor.*

Joe Starcher - October 24, 2015 at 05:00 PM

SA

*Dr. Miller was our veterinarian until he retired. My sympathy goes to all his family and friends.*

Sara Jo Anderson - October 25, 2015 at 02:09 PM

SL

*Dr. Miller took care of our family's pets, as I was young. Once I had my own 'family' of the four legged type, Dr. Miller took care of them as well. He will be missed. I send my sympathy to his family, may God comfort you and hold you in his loving arms. God Bless*

Susan Ruckman Loy - October 31, 2015 at 10:38 PM