



Jeffrey Landreth Miller

December 15, 1959 - December 29, 2017

Jeffrey Landreth Miller, 58 of Springdale passed away Friday, December 29, 2017 at his home. He was born December 15, 1959 in Springdale to Guy Landreth and JoAnna Houston Miller.

Jeffrey worked at J.B. Hunt Transport in Lowell. He was a member of New Day Fellowship Church in Eureka Springs. He was a member of the Cast of the Passion Play for over twenty years and he loved to minister in church music and children's programs. He was a very creative person who was full of love.

He is preceded in death by his father, Guy L. Miller.

Survivors include his wife, Vickie Miller of the home; two daughters, Elizabeth Miller and Kynzee Miller both of the home; his mother, JoAnna Miller of Springdale; two sisters, Amanda Miller of Springdale and Samantha Hein and husband Carl of Catoosa, Oklahoma, and many nieces, nephews, friends and extended family members.

Funeral services will be Thursday, January 4, 2018 at 2pm at Sisco Funeral Chapel of Springdale with Pastor Darryl Harris and Pastor Carl Hein officiating. Burial will follow in Oakland Cemetery.

Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 to 8pm at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the New Day Fellowship Church, 440 Passion Play Road, Eureka Springs, Arkansas 72632.

Online condolences may be left at www.siscofuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

4091 N. Old Wire Road
Fayetteville, AR 72703

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Sisco Funeral Chapel
705 West Meadow
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Jeffrey Landreth Miller

January 21, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Jeffrey Miller Tribute Video



Sisco Funeral Chapel - February 03, 2018 at 01:51 PM



“ I'm sorry I was unable to make it to the viewing and service for Jeff. I'm praying for you all today. He will be greatly missed! Love you all. Karen Ferrell also sends a hug for Samantha and says she is praying for you all. Cyndie Lyon

JimCyndie Lyon - January 04, 2018 at 01:09 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Landreth Miller.



January 03, 2018 at 09:23 PM

LM

“ Jeff you will be missed and my Heart and Prayers are with Vickie, and the girls. My best memories of you were that you could always make us laugh and your bear hugs was the best. God sure must have needed you in Heaven but here on earth you will always be in our hearts. Thank You JEFF for always teaching me about the Lord and showing everyone what he could do.. Love always your sister in Law, Linda Kaye

LINDA MARS - January 03, 2018 at 06:03 PM

EJ

My thoughts and prayers are with all Jeff's family. He will always be in your heart and precious memories abound. He is celebrating salvation and is with his heavenly father, his earthly father and loved ones gone before to welcome him home. Blessed in the eyes of the Lord is the death of His saints. What a glorious reunion that will be.

Eloise Julian - January 03, 2018 at 08:37 PM

LM

“ LINDA MARS sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller



LINDA MARS - January 03, 2018 at 05:55 PM

LM

“ LINDA MARS lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller



LINDA MARS - January 03, 2018 at 05:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeffrey Landreth Miller.*



January 03, 2018 at 09:43 AM



“ *I'm so very sorry. Prayers.
Love,
Sherryl Mason*

Sherryl Mason - January 03, 2018 at 08:28 AM



“ *Was shocked and saddened to learn of Jeff's passing. I worked with him at J.B. Hunt for 14 years. He was always a source of wisdom and wit. We were just talking a couple of weeks ago about an IT system that we helped implement a little over 10 years ago and all that entailed. That conversation definitely included some laughs and I'm thankful that we had it. Thank you for all that you did. You will be missed. Praying for you and your family.*

Matthew Winters - January 02, 2018 at 08:51 PM



“ 113 files added to the album *Memories of Jeffrey Miller Album*



Sisco Funeral Chapel - January 02, 2018 at 06:59 PM

DV

“ *I have special memories of Jeff----one as the son of friend JoAnna, and brother to Amanda and Samantha---friend to many including myself. In the early years of teaching at Shiloh, Jeff drove the bus for us when we went on field trips. He was so helpful and supportive in keeping the children in line on the bus and wherever we were going. I so appreciated his help!
Prayers for all of the family---
Donna Vinson*

Donna Vinson - January 02, 2018 at 12:01 PM

MI

“ *Vickie, we are so very sorry for your sudden loss. Couldn't believe it when we read about Jeff passing away. Years ago we went to church with you and your family and for years we have known you through your work. We will keep all of you in our thoughts prayers in the days ahead. Your loved one may be gone but he will always be remembered by all of those whose life he has touched down through the years.
Mary and Dennis Isaac*

mary isaac - January 02, 2018 at 10:25 AM

RM

“ Randy Miller purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Jeffrey Landreth Miller.



Randy Miller - January 01, 2018 at 03:41 PM

DG

“ Damita Grigg lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller



Damita Grigg - January 01, 2018 at 02:44 PM



“ Prayers to Jeffs family. I have worked with Jeff for almost 7 years and it has been my pleasure! He was a wonderful man with a quick wit and always made me laugh! He will be missed by many including myself. You are with God and until we meet again in Heaven rest in peace dear friend.

Richard Robinson - January 01, 2018 at 08:49 AM



“ Jeff and I did Theatre together at the U of A, I also work for Jeff in the family pest control business. We always had a good time working together. He was the "gentle giant". We had some interesting times doing the pest control side of our friendship. One day we were under a house digging out a foundation when all of the sudden he started hollering and slapping at his leg. I startled, started looking for what new animal we had happened on this time. Just as quickly as he started, he stopped. Jeff looked at me and gave me that big trademark grin and said "Nevermind it was just my pager" We laughed for about ten minutes. After that day if something gave us a start or frustrations we would remark "Nevermind it was just the pager". I will miss that smile and the calm he always embodied. God speed my friend. David Grant Walker

David Walker - January 01, 2018 at 03:39 AM



“ Shelly Harp Benson lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller



Shelly Harp Benson - December 31, 2017 at 09:10 PM



Great memories of youth group and the kind, joyful person Jeff was...until we meet again...sending the family love and prayers

Shelly Benson - December 31, 2017 at 09:18 PM

ZR

“ Vicki, I am so sorry to hear this. We have continued to think of you and other First Baptist friends since we left NW Arkansas so long ago. I always loved Jeff's big bear hugs. You and Jeff were huge inspirations to Jim and me. My son Patrick loved seeing him at church. I remember that he thought that Jeff was John Jacobs, of the Power Team that would visit FB...That always made Jeff laugh. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the girls. Zandra Reel



zandra Reel - December 31, 2017 at 10:08 AM

AD

“ Jeff was friends with my dad for many years and our families spent time together while I was growing up. Always smiling and helping others. To Vicki and the girls, my thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Arin (Redfield) Drake - December 31, 2017 at 09:43 AM

BI

“ Jeff taught me many things. He was a true friend and showed it all the time. He will be missed. We lost a great man and God has a good one now. Rest in piece Jeff

Bill - December 31, 2017 at 08:56 AM

JR

“ Sending thoughts and prayers to you all.

Janet Ramirez - December 31, 2017 at 12:20 AM

SE

“ I am so sorry for your loss! Fly homeward Jeff!

Shannon Donnell Eggleston - December 30, 2017 at 08:01 PM

DS

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers.*

Debby Sellers - December 30, 2017 at 07:53 PM



“ *Prayers of comfort, healing and strength to all of Jeff's family and friends. May God be with you all at this time of sorrow.*

Ramona Wolter - December 30, 2017 at 07:27 PM



“ *Ramona Wolter lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller*



Ramona Wolter - December 30, 2017 at 07:26 PM

SC

Worked with Jeff and his family for many years, great family and Jeff was a good Godly Man, R.I.P.

Scotty Collins - December 31, 2017 at 02:30 PM

SR

It was always a pleasure working with Jeff as a fellow associate during my 13 years at the JB Hunt Transport Lowell HO. Jeff was a true professional who could be consistently counted on for a smile and a usual witty comment. We are all better for having known Jeff!

Stephen Rostenberg - January 03, 2018 at 03:40 PM

FC

“ From Clay & Connie Cartwright purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jeffrey Landreth Miller.



From Clay & Connie Cartwright - December 30, 2017 at 07:08 PM

CC

“ Dear Amanda, Kynzee and all of Jeff's family and friends, please accept my deepest condolences on the passing of Jeff. I had not seen Jeff in many years, although I kept up with him on Facebook. My fondest memories of Jeff were our days at Arkansas while studying music. Jeff had a great sense of humor, and would have me laughing as soon as he walked in the door! But he was more than that. He was also a wonderful Christian brother. As a young babe in Christ, Jeff was a great friend and encouragement to me. There were only a handful of people who I considered my closest and most trustworthy friends in college. Jeff was definitely one of them. While I am very saddened to hear of his passing, I have perfect assurance of where Jeff is right now, with his savior in glory! My prayers will be with you during this time of grief.

Clay Cartwright - December 30, 2017 at 06:57 PM

JM

“ Bless you, Vickie and girls. We will miss him. He was always kind and joyful with a wicked good sense of humor.

Joan McDonald - December 30, 2017 at 06:47 PM

AN

“ Gary and I will never forget all that Jeff and his family did and meant to us over the past 45 years. He was an awesome guy, loved the Lord with all his heart, was a GREAT ENCOURAGER to all that knew him. Precious man, precious family. I know Jeff is standing in the presence of the Savior and I am so glad for the legacy he left to all that knew him. He was a fun guy, loved life, and taught us all a lot of things through the years. We will miss him down here, but see him some day, and just think, he will be coming back with Jesus very soon! Love you Jeff, Vicki, Elizabeth and Kyneeze. Let's all share his legacy and may God raise up more JEFF MILLERS!

Anita & Gary Burney, Lifelong Friends

Anita - December 30, 2017 at 05:29 PM

DM

“ Jeff was one of the kindest man I have ever met always there to help. I will miss him greatly, will miss him always sneaking up and scaring me and putting spiders on my desk. Just can't believe he is gone. Miss u brother in Christ

Debbie Moppin - December 30, 2017 at 04:57 PM

TW

“ Jeff Miller is the reason I am an active Christian. Jeff is the reason that I am a pastor. In fact, if it hadn't been for him, I would never have gone back to church after having been terribly offended and hurt by a pastor in my hometown church in Okla. I headed off to the University of Arkansas to become a band director, vowing never to go to church again.

Jeff was a fellow freshman music student at the UofA, and our similar senses of humor drew us together. Soon, he was inviting me to go to church with him. After repeated refusals, Jeff just wouldn't give up. So, one day he said, "Robert Wagoner is going to be singing in our church this Sunday, and I'd really like for you to hear him." Well, I thought he was talking about Robert WAGNER, the actor, so, intrigued, I agreed to go.

"GREAT - I'll pick you up at your dorm at 10 Sunday! Then, you can eat lunch with it at my grandma's house!"

Jeff picked me up at 10 am that next Sunday morning and drove me the most circuitous route anyone has ever devised from Fayetteville to Springdale, and we arrived at the old downtown location of the church, and we went inside.

I sat in the back of the balcony, waiting to hear Robert WAGNER sing. After the offering, the Minister of Music, Robert WAGONER, stood up and began to sing a solo. I looked at Jeff and said, "You lied to me!", and he said, with his big full-faced grin, "No I didn't - that's Robert WAGONER right there, singing, just like I said!"

I said I was leaving, but Jeff informed me that he wouldn't take me back until after church and dinner, and, when I threatened to walk, he said I was 20 miles from Fayetteville, and there were no taxis in Springdale. So, there I was, STUCK in a place I vowed I would NEVER go into again - a church, and I was fit to be tied!

Well, after Robert WAGONER finished singing, CLIFF PALMER, the

pastor, got up and began to teach the Bible, verse-by-verse, from the pulpit. I didn't pay much attention, still miffed at Jeff, who was sitting there, Bible in hand, taking notes with his pen in the margin of his Bible as Cliff taught.

After lunch at Mrs. Houston's, Jeff drove me back to the UofA. We didn't say much. I thanked him, got out of the vehicle, and went to my dorm room.

That evening, I began to think about what I had observed at the First Baptist Church of Springdale - the music aside, which was good, I realized that something had happened that I had NEVER seen happen in a church service, even though I had been attending Baptist churches all of my life: the Pastor TAUGHT THE BIBLE! Cliff Palmer really didn't "preach" or deliver a "sermon" - HE TAUGHT DIRECTLY FROM THE BIBLE, and I had NEVER actually LEARNED something from the Bible listening to a pastor before!

"It must have been an accident", I thought, so, I asked Jeff if Cliff taught the Bible like that normally. "Oh yeah," Jeff said, "he teaches verse-by-verse through a different book of the Bible in every service!"

That next Sunday, I drove myself to the First Baptist Church of Springdale to see for myself, and, true to Jeff's word, Cliff Palmer taught directly from the Bible that morning, that night, the following Wednesday night, and in his Pastor's Class during Sunday School!

I was hooked, and I stayed hooked for 10 years there. I met my future wife there. I met and grew to know and love hundreds of wonderful Christian people at First Baptist, Springdale, and found nary a one who was like that former pastor from my hometown church in Oklahoma who was full of himself. Instead, I found the biggest country church you could ever find filled with people who, instead of being filled with themselves, were filled with JESUS CHRIST, the Living Word, because their pastor, Cliff Palmer, TAUGHT them the Word of God!

All because a young Christian named Jeff Miller invited someone he barely knew to go to church with him, and wouldn't take "no" for an answer.

I thank the Lord, for putting Jeff Miller in my life.

Todd W. White - December 30, 2017 at 04:08 PM

DD

“ *Debra Drymon lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller*



Debra Drymon - December 30, 2017 at 03:22 PM

DF

“ *Debbie Forkner lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey Landreth Miller*



debbie forkner - December 30, 2017 at 01:43 PM

DF

“ *when I moved to springdale in 1971.i met jeff and his family at the first Baptist church in springdale.he was always giving the women and girls a big bear hug.we became friends for life. I always called him my big brother.he was always there for me when I needed someone to lean on if I had a problem.we went to several choir trips together.i will never forget you.you were my best friend and I will always love you for that. we woeked together foe a while after high school.i love you.rest in peace.debbie forkner*

debbie forkner - December 30, 2017 at 01:41 PM

RH

“ IF I REMEMBER CORRECTLY, AFTER GRADUATING SHS, JEFFREY AND GUY HAD A PEST CONTROL SERVICE IN THE SPRINGDALE, AR ARENA. THEY SERVED THE COMMUNITY AS NEW CONSTRUCTION OF HOMES AND BUSINESSES WERE ABUNDANT...THE NEED FOR PRE-TREATMENT CREATED WORK FOR THEM. HE AND DAD WERE GOOD BUSINESSMEN...AND FRIENDS TO MANY.

RONDELL HARRISON - December 30, 2017 at 01:07 PM