



James Justin Miller

January 22, 1932 - February 20, 2018

James "Justin" Miller age 86, of Silex passed away February 20, 2018 at the Silex Community Care Center in Silex.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m., Saturday February 24, 2018 at the St. Alphonsus Catholic Church in Millwood with Fr. Charles Tichacek officiating. Burial will be in the St. Alphonsus Cemetery with military rites being conducted by VFW Post #5553 and the MO Military Honors. Visitation will be held 4:00 – 7:00 p.m., Friday, February 23, 2018 at the St. Alphonsus Catholic Church.

Justin was born January 22, 1932 in Silex the son of Bernard John and Mabel Clara Myers Miller. On February 4, 1956 he married Rosalie Ruth Jackson. She survives. Other survivors include sons James Alan Miller (Cathy), Kenneth Wayne Miller (Mary), Dennis Lee Miller (Tammy), Donald Jeffrey Miller (Linda) all of Silex; daughter Nancy Jean Voss (John) of St. Peters; 19 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren on the way. He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers Jerry A. Miller, John B. Miller and Joseph C. Miller; sisters Elaine Gibbs, Clara Mae Wierschem, and Bonnie Lueck.

Justin went to Millwood grade school and Assumption High School in O'Fallon where he drove the school bus while attending. He served in the United

States Army. Justin was a member of the St. Alphonsus Catholic Church and was an honorary member of the Knights of Columbus. He farmed in Silex, delivered Meals on Wheels and drove the school bus for the Silex School. Justin enjoyed motorcycle riding, golf, and playing pinochle.

Memorials may be made to the St. Alphonsus School / preschool.

Pallbearers will be Mathew Miller, Michael Miller, Mark Miller, Adam Miller, Zack Miller, Levi Miller, Josh Miller, Jake Miller, James Miller, and Eric Miller.

Cemetery Details

St. Alphonsus Cemetery

Silex, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Alphonsus Catholic Church
Millwood, MO

Mass of Christian Burial

FEB **24**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Alphonsus Catholic Church
Millwood, MO

Tribute Wall

JV

“ *Rosie and family*
So sorry for the loss of Justin to you and the community. He was a great guy. He always was outgoing and happy. Always willing to help others.
Will always remember our many visits at the funeral home.
John Veach

john veach - March 08, 2018 at 12:51 AM

JM

“ *Wee just saw the post and are so very sorry for your loss. Justin and Rosie were much loved by both my parents, and later after my father passed, by my mom Florence Ratermann (who by the way, would kick my hiney for this late response). I learned to skate on their pond just off highway h, there on the corner, on skates i got from my cousin that were 3 sizes too big!! I think about that every time I drive by, which is now often. I also went to school with Dennis for 12 years and married Tammy first cousin. These are memories and facts I cherish.. I'm sorry I missed the fune eal, wake.. etc., please forgive me Dennis and Tammy. With much love and abundant respect. Judy Ratermann Murphy, and Steve Murphy (who unfortunately can't text)*

Judy murphy - February 28, 2018 at 11:21 PM

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“ *The Brooks/Metheny tribe purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of James Justin Miller.*



The Brooks/Metheny tribe - February 23, 2018 at 09:13 PM



“ I painted a building roof for Justin many years ago and I had some problems with application or something. It has been so long I can't remember but I do know it was either a paint problem or miscommunication between myself and the painting company. Anyway I had to repaint something and Justin paid me for the extra time and material. He surely didn't have to do that as I was going to make it right anyway and not charge him anymore but he insisted on paying me.
After that there were several times I drove by and would see him outside and I would stop in and talk with him. I always enjoyed speaking with him.

Edward Meuths - February 23, 2018 at 03:39 PM



“ Lezlie purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of James Justin Miller.



Lezlie - February 22, 2018 at 12:59 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to Rosie and all the kids. Justin was a classmate, at Silex, of my mother, Louise Gibson Colbert. I met Justin when I started work at Silex Bank in 1979. I always enjoyed seeing him come in the door.
Sharon Colbert Jepsen

Sharon Jepsen - February 22, 2018 at 12:11 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Justin Miller.*



February 22, 2018 at 11:47 AM



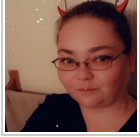
“ *So sorry to hear of Justin's passing. My sympathy to his family and many friends. He was a such a kind man, always with a big smile and a story to tell. RIP 🙏*

Debra Mudd - February 22, 2018 at 08:08 AM



“ *You meet so many amazing people and they become like family. This is by far the hardest part, saying goodbye to them until we meet again. Justin was the one of the neatest guys I ever met. He always put a smile on everyones face. I remember a couple years ago when i first met him, he would whistle the Andy Griffith theme song everytime someone walked past his room. He always had a good story to tell and made me laugh all the time. He called me honey buns and would say, "your such a sweet girl". I will miss him dearly. Sending prayers to the family. Heaven surely received an angel, R.I.P. Justin, fly high!*

Brandi Pezold - February 21, 2018 at 09:30 PM



“ Justin you will be missed. By family, friends or even those that cared for you. I am one of those. You made me smile most days with your friendly attitude and loving heart. You were stubborn and we ALL loved that about you. You touched so many hearts when you were with us. You were my "honey" and I yours, even though you called all the girls "honey".....Rest is peace my dear and fly with the angels and visit those you can with them new found wings.

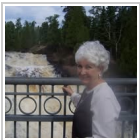
Tracy Divine - February 21, 2018 at 08:43 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James Justin Miller.



February 21, 2018 at 08:24 PM



“ Your in Gods garden. You left a lovely family that you loved and supported. What a great job you did. Your family and friends will miss you dearly.... You wear a great neighbors. Thanks for being my friend ...Love and prays for your family.

Jodie Baker - February 21, 2018 at 07:34 PM



“ Rest in peace Justin. So sorry to hear of your passing. I recall you pulling me out of the ditch in front of your house one snowy night on the way home from a dance in Millwood. Also remember chatting with you and Don at dad's Cuivre River bottom land or at Central Elevator from time to time.

Paul Kerpash - February 21, 2018 at 05:59 PM