



Mr. Kenneth Richard Miller

February 24, 1918 - June 25, 2015

Kenneth Richard Miller, 97, of Weaverville died Thursday, June 25, 2015 at NC State Veterans Home in Black Mountain. A native of Hico, West Virginia, he was one of ten children of the late Isaac Clarence and Lena Garnet Walker Miller. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Madeline D'Alessandro Ventura Miller.

A US Army veteran of WWII, he earned his associate degree from Wharton School of Business and went on to retire as Treasurer of Delaware Importers in Wilmington, DE. Following the death of his wife, Madeline in 2006 Kenneth relocated to North Carolina. He was a Paul Harris Fellow of Rotary International.

Kenneth exemplified the "Greatest Generation" by his work ethic, love for the land and honesty. He had a gentle presence and fierce spirit.

He is survived by his children, Charles Ventura, Rita Lenderman and Anthony Ventura (Laura); eight grandchildren, Cynthia Ventura, Joyce Ventura, Michelle Files (Robert), Maxwell Ventura, Henry Ventura, Dr. Mark Lenderman (Christine), Michelle Lenderman McAdams (John); seven great-grandchildren, Abigail, Emma, Mark Jacob and Olivia Lenderman, Madeline and Harrison McAdams and Alexander Files; two sisters, Helen Winebrenner and Imogene Pierson and two brothers, Sam and Don Miller.

A mass of Christian burial will be held 11:00 AM, Monday, July 6, 2015 at St. Eugene's Catholic Church with Father Pat Cahill officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Care Partners Hospice, 68 Sweeten Creek Road, Asheville, NC 28803 or St. Eugene Catholic Church, Solar Panels, 72 Culvern Street, Asheville, NC 28801.

The Miller family would like to thank the Bravo health care staff at NCS Veterans Home and Care Partners Hospice for their compassionate care.

Previous Events

Requiem Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Eugene Catholic Church
72 Culvern Street
Asheville, NC 28801
<http://www.steugene.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Kenneth Richard Miller*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *Uncle Ken will be remembered as a vibrant man with a warm smile and a gracious heart. His life speaks for itself. We regret that we will not be able to attend the services. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with the family during this time.*

*Love,
Stephen & Lori Ewing*

Stephen & Lori Ewing - July 03, 2015 at 01:26 PM




“ *Ken was one of our special friends at Hamburg Crossing! He was an amazing man. I fondly remember joining him for walks on the treadmills in the HC clubhouse. Was a joy to have him join us for the monthly restaurant outings with other residents of Hamburg Crossing. He always ordered salmon. I think he has all that he wants in Heaven.*

Ken had a twinkle in his eye, and a keen sense of humor.

What a blessing to have crossed paths with Ken.

*Bob Webb
Hamburg Crossing*

Bob Webb - June 28, 2015 at 09:56 PM

 Peggy Swann

“ *Mr. Miller will be deeply missed, at the North Carolina State Veterans Home he was sweet loving man dear to my heart. Peggy Swann LPN night shift*



Peggy Swann - June 28, 2015 at 05:54 PM