



Kenneth Young Miller

December 13, 1947 - January 9, 2019

Kenneth Young Miller, 71, of Clemmons, formerly of Salisbury went to be with his Lord peacefully surrounded by his family on Wednesday, January 9, 2019 at Kate B. Reynolds Hospice House in Winston Salem.

Born on December 13, 1947, he was a son of the late John Albert Miller and Isabelle Young Miller. Ken is survived by his wife of 46 years, Linda Valerie Crowe Miller; son, Andrew Alan Miller and wife Grete of Granville, NY and a daughter, Valerie Lynn Miller Murphy and husband Brian of Clemmons; three grandchildren, Dylan Miller, Katelyn Murphy and Greyson Murphy; brother Charles David Miller and wife Bonnie of Advance, brother-in-law, Howard Crowe and wife Linda of Albemarle.

Ken loved his Lord and was an avid reader of the Bible. He was a member of the Gold Hill United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Jerry W. Miller and John A. Miller, III.

Ken loved and adored his family, especially his grandchildren. He enjoyed hiking trails on the family farm in Davie County where he grew up. He also enjoyed playing golf and made a hole-in-one at Pudding Ridge Golf Course in Mocksville in 2005.

Ken graduated from Davie High School in 1966 and was an honor graduate of N.C. State University in Raleigh, receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering. In addition, he also studied Engineering Management at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana and Wake Forest University.

He worked at Ingersoll Rand's Portable Air Compressor Division in Mocksville as an Engineering Consultant for the Air Solutions Group. His profession took him all over the United States and abroad including Europe, the Czech Republic and China. In addition, he was able to work with the military and government on numerous projects. Ken was granted 4 U.S. Patents for his innovative designs in the field of Mechanical Engineering. Later, he accepted a position at Doosan Infracore International in Statesville as an Engineering Consultant where he stayed until his retirement in 2014.

Ken was a life member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, International Society of Automation, American Society of Quality Control and a Senior Member of the Institute of Industrial Engineers.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Thursday, January 17, 2019 at Summersett Funeral Home.

A Celebration of Life Service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday, January 18, 2019 at Summersett Memorial Chapel with Chaplain Rennie Adcock officiating. A private burial will be held Saturday.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to The Alzheimer's Association, Western Carolina Chapter, 4600 Park Rd, Suite 250, Charlotte, NC 28209.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Miller family. Online condolences

may be made at www.summersettfuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144
(704) 633-2111
<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

Service

JAN 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall

KM

“ *I'm granddaughter (Loved the service) And he would have ivy in the backyard of his home. I remember him always saying "Gotta go home and trim that ivy!"*

Katelyn Murphy - January 19, 2019 at 08:43 PM

GM

“ *Kenneth welcomed me with open arms to his family 20 years ago when I married his son. His kindness and love will never be forgotten.*

Grete Miller - January 11, 2019 at 07:01 PM

BT

“ *As a newbie to airnd design, Ken was always patient and helpful with my questions. He had a positive impact on me when working with him. He will be missed.*

Brett Thomas

Brett Thomas - January 11, 2019 at 11:24 AM

VB

May almighty rest the holly soul in eternal peace 🙏🏻

Vinod Bhatt - January 13, 2019 at 08:24 AM

KM

Thank you for your care! (Granddaughter)

Katelyn Murphy - January 19, 2019 at 08:44 PM