



## Mr. Bobby Lee Miller

March 10, 1963 - August 1, 2023

1963 a year like no other — especially for the Miller family. You see that was the year that Bobby Lee "Whala" Miller and his twin sister, Barbara Ann Miller were born in Fayetteville, North Carolina to the parents to the late John Andrew Miller and the late Louise McArthur. Bobby and Barbara Ann along with big brother Johnny would be raised by his Aunt Evelena Wright due to the loss of their parents John Miller in 1963 and Louis McArthur in 1968. Bobby is the little brother to the late Arthur Lee Kemp, the late Vivian McArthur, and his big sister, Dorothy Robinson. Bobby was raised alongside of his cousins, Milton and Charles better known as the original dirt road boys. He would attend Terry Sanford High School, where he played linebacker and was known as a hard hitter, he would graduate in 1982. Bobby worked a few jobs starting out as a meat cutter and a bagger at Sam's Supermarket. Then he would go on to be a sereed operator as well as a jackman with Highland Paving for over 20 years. In 1982, Bobby would be blessed by entering fatherhood with his first baby girl, Jodielle Baptiste followed by Covaris Hepburn in 1984 and Deon Miller in 1988. Bobby was the grandfather of 11 grandchildren, Jasmin (19), Hilary (18), Amiyah (17), Franklin (17), Davion (16), Malik (15), Covaris Jr. (14), Ariel (12), Justise (9), Oniya (S) and Desiree (18). Bonus children from the late Ms. Doris (Ann) are Walter, Virginia, Michael, and Angela. Bonus grandchildren are Brittany, William, J'kyvious, Dillion, Niko and Lyric. In hindsight, who would have known that he would love and deposit gifts to several generations - - gifts of determination, tenacity, strength, wisdom, and

humor. Bobby, better known as Whala or Uncle Bobby to his Haymount Hill family, is survived by siblings, Dorothy, Mae, Milton, Johnny, Charles, and Barbara Ann; three children and eleven grandchildren, four bonus children, six bonus grandchildren, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and countless

# Previous Events

## Viewing

AUG 11. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Colvin Funeral Home Chapel  
2010 Murchison Road  
Fayetteville, NC 28301

## Funeral

AUG 11. 12:00 PM (ET)

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2010 Murchison Road  
Fayetteville, NC 28301

## Burial

AUG 11 (ET)

Rockfish Memorial Park  
4017 Gillespie Street  
Fayetteville, NC

# Tribute Wall



“ Colvin Funeral Homes & Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Bobby Lee Miller



H. M. Colvin Funeral Home - August 09, 2023 at 02:57 PM

EC

*RIP BOBBY . AWESOME MEMORIES.*

ENOS M COOK - August 10, 2023 at 05:03 PM

TW

*Family functions will never be the same. Thank God for the memories & the time we got to spend together. I miss you Unc!*

Tee Wright - August 10, 2023 at 06:55 PM

DM

*Awesome video I love you dad ik you making sure we good a perfect angel*

Deon Miller - August 10, 2023 at 09:10 PM

JS

*Hight School Friend*

Julius Swinson - August 10, 2023 at 10:50 PM



*I will Miss You*

Debora Norris - August 11, 2023 at 06:52 AM

MG

*Rest well childhood friend! We'll see you in in the Great Morning! ☀️*

**Marilyn Graham** - August 11, 2023 at 09:32 AM

SA

“ *You will truly be Missed Bobby! Love Candie!*



**Sibyl Ackin** - August 11, 2023 at 11:47 AM

MG

“ *Goodnight Bobby...until the Great Morning comes.*



**Marilyn Graham** - August 11, 2023 at 09:35 AM



“ *Debora Norris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Lee Miller*



**Debora Norris** - August 11, 2023 at 09:16 AM



“ *You was my first love you was a great father. Rest in Peace to a great person. Debora bethea Norris (Miller) I will miss our little talks*

**Debora Norris** - August 11, 2023 at 06:45 AM

FW

“ Rest on my Terry Sanford brother.



Frank Whitted - August 10, 2023 at 10:35 PM

QL

“ Besides knowing his son Corvaris..we use to work at the same place and didn't even know it to a week later..he would be lol how I was talking junk and joking .the very last time I saw him didn't know it would be my last hug to my friend..R.W.G...my friend 🙄🙏🙏🙏💔



Quenny Lett - August 08, 2023 at 12:00 PM

DM

“ I love you dad thank you for everything there will definitely never ever be another you

Deon Miller - August 05, 2023 at 05:25 PM

RB

“ Sending condolences, Bobby was a great friend.



Robert Burton - August 04, 2023 at 10:00 PM

BP

“ Beverly Pegram lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Beverly Pegram - August 04, 2023 at 07:55 PM

GB

“ Bobby was like a brother to me always kind and thinking of others this really saddens me I love you and miss you brother



Godfrey Baker - August 04, 2023 at 06:27 PM

MG

Hi Godfrey, it's been a while. Your post really took me way back to our childhood days. Hope all is well. Remain Blessed. ❤️🌸

Marilyn Graham - August 11, 2023 at 09:19 AM

SB

“ Shirley Braxton lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Shirley Braxton - August 04, 2023 at 04:21 PM

YF

“ Yvette and Family lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Yvette Bullard and Family - August 04, 2023 at 12:48 PM

GM

“ Grace Melvin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Bobby Lee Miller



Grace melvin - August 03, 2023 at 12:15 PM

WK

“ Willie Kirby lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Willie Kirby - August 03, 2023 at 08:56 AM

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“ Bobby was a great guy. He had a heart of gold and was a great help to me. I will miss his smile and sense of humor. RIP Bobby 🙏

Elizabeth Derrick Highland Paving (132) - August 03, 2023 at 08:06 AM

CC

“ Bobby was always a kind hearted young man. I'm so sorry for your loss. May he rest in peace. Cynthia Crosby

Cynthia Crosby - August 02, 2023 at 11:32 PM

TS

“ Bobby you will be missed all the jokes we made with each other and the football jokes. I will cherish those memories. You had one of the biggest hearts.

Telissa Nikki Spell - August 02, 2023 at 09:30 PM

T"

“ Tony "tree"Steele lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Tony "tree"Steele - August 02, 2023 at 05:27 PM

PL

“ Pierre Levy lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller



Pierre Levy - August 02, 2023 at 05:20 PM

KP

“ *In Memory of Mr. Bobby Miller I will always remember the fun times we had Alexander Graham and Terry Sanford. Rest in peace my friend.*



Kenneth Pittman - August 02, 2023 at 04:27 PM

LS

“ *Larry Simmons lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller*



Larry "Catfish" Simmons - August 02, 2023 at 11:21 AM

AD

“ *Angela Davis lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller*



Angela Davis - August 02, 2023 at 11:19 AM

FW

“ *Frank Whitted lit a candle in memory of Bobby Miller*



Frank Whitted - August 01, 2023 at 09:29 PM

TH

“ Bobby standing in the back.



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**Teena Hines-Cook** - August 01, 2023 at 06:54 PM

TH

“ Bobby, was a good friend, a great friend. We shared alot of laughs together in highschool. He was kinda my protector and whispering secrets about what was going on, off Branson street. Bobby and Angelina and I would walk home from school together. He will be missed. My sweet childhood friend. My sincere condolences to the family. Teena Crystal Hines-Cook

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**Teena Hines-Cook** - August 01, 2023 at 06:51 PM