



## Kurt Michael Miller

July 2, 1997 - April 17, 2015

Kurt Michael Miller, 17, of Burket, died at 5:36 p.m. Friday, April 17, 2015, at his residence after a garden tractor accident.

On July 2, 1997, Kurt was born in Rochester to Kyle and Melinda (Rebman) Miller.

Kurt was a Tippecanoe Valley High School junior. He was very active in the First Baptist Church of Warsaw and had planned to play for the softball team and be a leader in children's church. He was a junior firefighter on the Burket Volunteer Fire Dept. He was involved in the Tippecanoe Valley FFA for three years and a nine-year member of Beaver Dam 4-H Club, where he was vice president this year. He showed dairy calf feeder steers for all nine years as well as completing American heritage project and farm toy scene. He loved Tippecanoe Valley sports, the TV shows "McHale's Navy" and the "Dukes of Hazzard," John Deere equipment, anything Ford, Notre Dame football, New York Giants, Indianapolis Colts, and Peyton Manning as well as Andrew Luck. He always had a smile on his face and enjoyed life. He accepted Jesus Christ into his heart last September.

His survivors include: parents Kyle and Melinda Miller, Burket; brother Kaleb and wife Kim Miller, Warsaw; paternal grandparents, Cecil and Bev Miller, Akron; maternal grandparents, Charles and Ada Rebman, South Whitley;

many aunts and uncles and several cousins.

His funeral service is 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 22, 2015, at First Baptist Church, 2819 Patterson Road, Warsaw, with Pastor Steve Rahn, Pastor Rob Seewald and Chaplain Jim Baughman officiating. Burial will follow in Palestine Cemetery.

Friends are invited to visit with the family from 2-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, 2015 at First Baptist Church, with a fireman's memorial service taking place at 8 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made in Kurt's memory to the Kurt Miller 4-H Scholarship made payable to the Beaver Dam 4-H Club.

Messages of condolence may be left online at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Palestine Cemetery

State Road 25 South  
Warsaw, IN 46580

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 21. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church  
2819 Patterson Road  
Warsaw,, IN 46582

## Memorial Service

APR 21. 8:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church  
2819 Patterson Road  
Warsaw,, IN 46582

## Funeral Service

APR 22. 10:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church  
2819 Patterson Road  
Warsaw,, IN 46582



# Tribute Wall



“ *Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



**Hartzler Funeral Services** - April 20, 2015 at 12:35 PM

MH

*What a beautiful & amazing tribute to such a wonderful young man. Thank you for doing this. Michelle Holloway*

**Michelle Holloway** - April 20, 2015 at 02:17 PM

MH

*I heard about your loss through my niece Sylvia (Swan). Please accept my sympathy on the homegoing of your precious son. Prayers for all the family. ((Hugs))*

**Marlene Heagle** - April 20, 2015 at 09:23 PM

JH

*CHARLES AND ADA,  
SO VERY SORRY TO HEAR THIS. KNOW ARE THOUGHTS AND  
PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU  
ROSE AND JANET HURD.*

**JANET HURD** - April 22, 2015 at 11:04 AM

HS

*Our hearts are heavy hearing about the loss of your son. You will be in our prayers. We are the grand parents of Ryan Shoemaker your neighbor.*

**Howard Berniece Shoemaker** - April 22, 2015 at 12:13 PM



*I wanted to keep this so I can see it again even after it's removed*

**Thomas Sharp** - April 22, 2015 at 07:54 PM

MB

“ *Melissa Bower sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



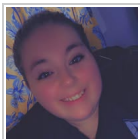
**Melissa Bower** - April 27, 2015 at 06:35 AM

Cara Hoffman

“ *May you find comfort in knowing that he is with the Lord. Our family is praying for you today and for the days ahead. Love and prayers, Todd, Lisa, Cara, Shayla and Seth Hoffman*



**Cara Hoffman** - April 22, 2015 at 11:23 AM



“ *Phoenix Frauhiger lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



**Phoenix Frauhiger** - April 21, 2015 at 03:50 PM



“ Peggy...I am so sorry for your loss. Am here if you need a shoulder.....? Tina



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**Tina Fenix** - April 21, 2015 at 12:02 PM



“ Alfred & Sherri Conley lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



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**Alfred & Sherri Conley** - April 21, 2015 at 09:32 AM



“ Sorry about your loss. So young and I didn't know him but sounds as if he was a very nice young man. Remember all the good times you had together. Our sympathy goes out to all the family and prayers will be coming your way. May God be with you in the coming days and months . God bless all of you

*Jim and Jeanette Eberhart*

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**Jeanette Eberhart** - April 20, 2015 at 11:14 PM

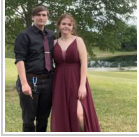


“ With deepest sympathy...Jon Tinkey, Jenny, Kaleigh and Owen



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**Jon Tinkey, Jenny, Kaleigh & Owen** - April 20, 2015 at 07:04 PM



“ *Breanna Kidd lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Breanna Kidd** - April 20, 2015 at 06:59 PM

JB

“ *Jenny Brubaker lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Jenny Brubaker** - April 20, 2015 at 06:43 PM

TF

“ *You're in our prayers. Kurt was a wonderful person and I am very blessed to have had him as a student! May God be with you and your family.*



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**The Early Family** - April 20, 2015 at 06:39 PM

TM

“ *The Mikel's lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**The Mikel's** - April 20, 2015 at 05:37 PM

CB

“ *Cheyenne Burns lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



**cheyenne burns** - April 20, 2015 at 04:09 PM

JR

“ *Jim, Brenda, Allyson & Tyler Ross lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



**Jim, Brenda, Allyson & Tyler Ross** - April 20, 2015 at 01:45 PM

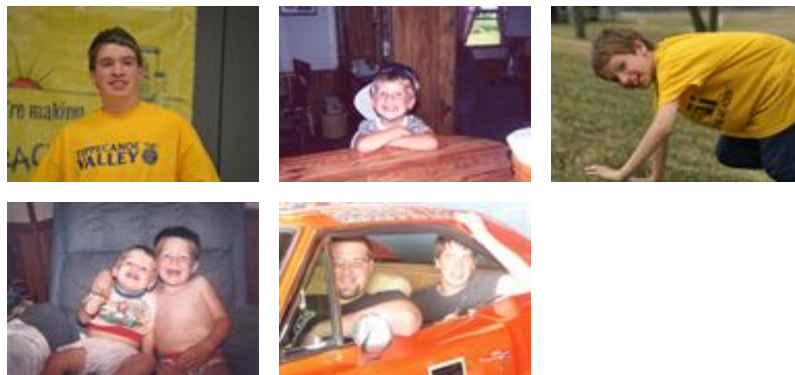
BC

“ *We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Gary and Becky "Weaver" Cline*

**Becky "Weaver" Cline** - April 20, 2015 at 11:40 AM



“ *46 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**Hartzler Funeral Services** - April 20, 2015 at 11:22 AM

JM

“ Kurt's love of tractors, especially John Deere, and the Colts will always be treasured memories to me. Having a father who loved those green tractors as much as Kurt always made me smile when he talked about them and farming! But, the thing I will miss most is my husbands banter with Kurt about the Bears and the Colts EVERY Sunday!! I was always on your side Kurt! We will miss you tremendously! Kyle & Melinda... You are wonderful parents & raised 2 amazing boys. So generous & loving to all. We love the Miller's!

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**Jenni Miller** - April 20, 2015 at 09:23 AM

NB

“ My heart goes out to the family of Kurt Miller. Precious life was cut short way to soon. Melinda and Kyle, you are in my prayers in this time of need. I know you have a great group of family and friends to help you get through this horrible tragedy. May god bless.

*Neda Brown*

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**Neda Brown** - April 20, 2015 at 09:14 AM

KE

“ Karla Ellis lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



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**Karla Ellis** - April 20, 2015 at 08:43 AM

SF

“ *Shelly Fry lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Shelly Fry** - April 20, 2015 at 07:50 AM

NC

“ *Nikki Bays Cook lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Nikki Bays Cook** - April 20, 2015 at 07:33 AM

NC

*So sorry for your loss, prayers for your family.*

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**Nikki Bays Cook** - April 20, 2015 at 07:34 AM

 Laura Franklin

“ *Laura Franklin lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Laura Franklin** - April 20, 2015 at 07:15 AM

SS

“ *Shawnee Severns sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**shawnee severns** - April 20, 2015 at 06:05 AM

TR

“ *Terry And Cris Randall lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Terry And Cris Randall** - April 20, 2015 at 06:01 AM



“ *I'm going to miss teasing Kurt about taking after his Uncle Richard, my brother. I will remember you playing with your farm tractors in the dirt by the camper at the king campout. Love you Kurt Michael. Aunt Vickie*

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**Vickie Smith** - April 20, 2015 at 05:33 AM

KM

“ *To the best little brother in the world. So long for now, can't wait to see you again someday! We love you so much! Kaleb and Kim Miller*



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**kim miller** - April 19, 2015 at 10:53 PM

KM

“ *Best friend and little brother things won't be the same down here but I know you'll be watching over us and well see you again someday*



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**Kaleb Miller** - April 19, 2015 at 10:53 PM

KM

“ *For the best little brother in the world. So long for now, can't wait to see you again someday. We love you! Kaleb and Kim*

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**kim miller** - April 19, 2015 at 10:46 PM

SD

“ *Spencer, Sara, Mason and Carden Davis purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kurt Michael Miller.*



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**Spencer, Sara, Mason and Carden Davis** - April 19, 2015 at 09:58 PM

DM

“ *Thank you so much for raising such an amazing young man. I am so beyond thankful for the time I had to spend with Kurt & I will miss him dearly. The memory's we shared together I will cherish forever. I loved him so very much as did anyone else who met him. I pray that God surrounds you with grace and love during this hard time. Again, thank you for bringing someone so amazing into the world. I was honored to be a part of his life.*



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**Devyn Masterson** - April 19, 2015 at 09:45 PM

JR

“ Joe And Joann Rex lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Joe and Joann Rex - April 19, 2015 at 08:34 PM

WF

“ Wes Backus Family lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Wes Backus Family - April 19, 2015 at 06:40 PM

RM

“ Roland & Pam McFadden sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Roland & Pam McFadden - April 19, 2015 at 04:10 PM

RO

. You should be very proud of the great young man he was becoming. God has a plan for him and his legacy will live on.

Roland - April 19, 2015 at 04:15 PM

RM

“ Roland & Pam McFadden lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Roland & Pam McFadden - April 19, 2015 at 04:02 PM

CH

“ Crystal Helton sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Crystal Helton - April 19, 2015 at 03:11 PM

LP

“ Lisa Paxton lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



lisa paxton - April 19, 2015 at 02:17 PM

MH

“ Michelle Holloway lit a candle in memory of Kurt Michael Miller



Michelle Holloway - April 19, 2015 at 01:05 PM

MH

“ *Michelle Holloway sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**Michelle Holloway** - April 19, 2015 at 01:05 PM

SK

“ *You have our deepest sympathy and love in this time of tremendous loss. Our prayers are with you and your entire family. May the Lord wrap you in His loving embrace.*



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**Sherm and Diana Keirn** - April 19, 2015 at 12:16 PM

MT

“ *Martha Trier sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Michael Miller*



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**martha trier** - April 19, 2015 at 10:34 AM

CT

*Another hero in Heaven ..RIP Brother ...CTFD*

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**chris trier** - April 19, 2015 at 10:37 AM

MH

“ Kurt was a student of mine. His smile and laughter was infectious. You were instantly drawn to him whenever he came into a room. He had a heart and soul that touched everyone. I'll see you again Kurt. Save me a seat & I'll bring the popcorn! It was something always said between us in class. Remembering you always... Mrs. Holloway

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**Michelle Holloway** - April 19, 2015 at 09:50 AM



Roberta  
Miller

“ Sorry about your lose Kyle and Melinda, I just heard about Kurt. Prayers to you all.  
Roberta Miller

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**Roberta Miller** - April 18, 2015 at 10:10 PM