



Earl W. Miller

September 25, 1941 - February 1, 2024

IN MEMORY OF:

Earl W. Miller

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – ANNA

135 West Vienna Street, Anna, Illinois

Earl W. Miller, 82, of Anna, passed away on Thursday, February 1, 2024 at his home.

Earl was born on September 25, 1941 in Desoto to Clifton Edward and Ruth Aline (Walker) Miller.

Earl was a graduate of Carbondale Community High School in 1959 and attended University High. He retired from Verizon on June 30, 2010, having worked in communications from 1959-2010; 36 years of those was for General Telephone/Verizon. Earl then worked at Wal-Mart and Rural King.

He was the Illinois State Champion in the Coca-Cola Basketball shootout in 1988. Earl enjoyed tennis. He worshiped at large and was a trustee at the Anna United Methodist Church, and was a member of the Friends of Stinson Library Board. Earl traveled to all 48 contiguous states and Mexico and

Canada.

Survivors include his sons, Carl Miller and Brian Miller both of Anna; five grandchildren; half-sister, Vicky Lenz; many cousins and other loved ones.

He was preceded in death by his parents; grandparents; and grandson, Blake Miller.

Crain Funeral Home, Anna, Illinois is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ Condolences to Carl ,Brian Miller n family in the passing of their father last Feb. 2024.
Earl was my husband's (Charley Brown,) of DeSoto, Illinois half brother.
None of his Mothers side of the family was contacted. Just learning of this today, I felt like we still needed to post our condolences.
Berta Brown

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“ My sincere sympathy to Earl's family at this time of sorrow. Earl was a dear friend and classmate and will be missed by many.

Lois (Joiner) Kuehl

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