



DeLora R. Miles

August 2, 1941 - October 27, 2021

Selkirk-DeLora R. Miles, 80, entered Eternal Life Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at home surrounded by her beloved family and dear friend Dodie Rohloff. Born in Port Henry, NY she was the daughter of Lester and Jane Forgette Joiner.

DeLora graduated from the Crown Point High School. She spent over 30 years as the house manager for Blessed Sacrament Church Rectory in Albany, serving her beloved pastor Rev. John Bradley and the many clergy assigned or in residence at the parish. DeLora was a consummate cook, baker and house manager and loved by all those she cared for in the Rectory.

She was a skilled quilter and seamstress, and she enjoyed reading and music. But family was most important in her life. Spending time with them, caring for them, cooking for holidays and special occasions gave DeLora great joy. Her family will cherish their memories of DeLora's love as a wife, mother, and grandmother.

She was the beloved wife for 56 years of the late Robert W. Miles; loving mother of Tammy Seabridge (Wayne), Robert L. Miles, Jennifer Kerbein (Frank), and Elinor McDermott (Thomas); cherished grandmother of Keith W. Seabridge, Gwen M. Harding (Vincent), Robert Miles, Ryan Miles, and Miles Kerbein (Amanda); great grandmother of John-Wesley Harding and Theo

Kerbein; sister of Jeff Joiner (Kathy), Sally Joiner (Paul), and the late William Tucker, Gary Joiner, Judson Joiner, Kim Joiner, and Judy Joiner; many nieces and nephews also survive.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with DeLora's family Monday, November 1, 2021 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm at the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206. Please only enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot doorway. Unvaccinated individuals must wear a mask and practice social distancing.

Funeral services Tuesday, November 2, 2021 at 9:00 am at Blessed Sacrament Church, 607 Central Ave. (Father John Bradley Way), Albany, NY 12206 where her Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

Interment will be held privately.

Those wishing to remember DeLora in a special way may send a contribution to the Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry, 607 Central Ave., Albany, NY 12206. To leave a message for the family please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
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Service

NOV 2. 9:00 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)
Albany, NY 12206
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Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of DeLora R. Miles*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - November 01, 2021 at 12:17 PM

TW

I didn't get to meet your mom but I heard alot of good things from her son Robert I no she was the best she loved her children and grandkids god be with you all in Jesus name amen

Tina whatley - November 01, 2021 at 11:39 PM

JE

I'm so sorry Robert she looked precious praying for u

Jessie - November 02, 2021 at 09:34 AM

SG

Bob, your mom was the sweetest soul.. Awesome cook.. always all about family.. my prayers go out to you and your family.. she'll be missed.

Sandra Grady-Kuhn - November 02, 2021 at 10:46 PM

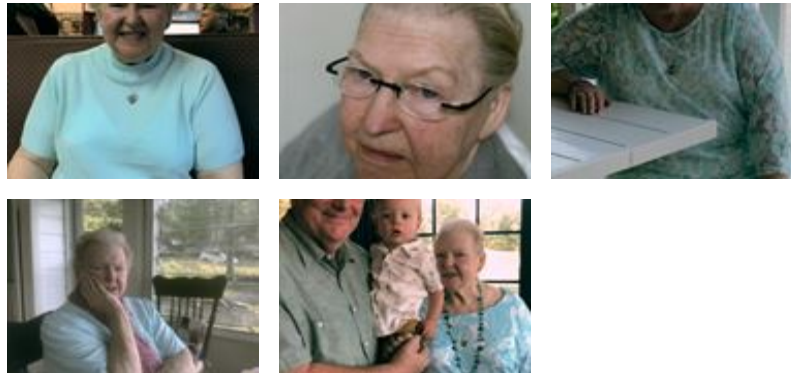


“ *DeLora R. Miles*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



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McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - November 01, 2021 at 12:15 PM

MB

“ DeLora was such a kind, generous, caring person. I will certainly miss her. I loved seeing her at church and at our book group. She took special care to learn the names of our Sunday School children and speak with them. She always asked about my daughter's work in Ghana and was very supportive of all that she did. I treasure the phone conversations we had during this time of COVID when I never saw her in person. She missed Bob terribly, and, if there is any condolence, it is that they are together again. My sympathy to all her family and friends. Mary Jane

Mary Jane Brown - October 31, 2021 at 09:48 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of DeLora R. Miles.



October 31, 2021 at 09:12 PM

RC

“ I wanted to express my sorrow to the family for the loss of your beautiful mom. I live in California and will not be able to be there with all of you. That I am so sorry about. Your mom was not only beautiful on the outside but also on the inside. I do not ever remember your mom yelling. She always had a peaceful personality that glowed with light and love. When I was a little girl she would always be there for me when I was scared, confused and lost. I remember having conversations with her and she always went out of her way to make me happy, it mattered to her. She taught me so many wonderful lessons to learn about life. I was always invited to hang out with the beautiful family on there excursions to crown point. I loved going on those trips, it was so much fun. I have so many great great memories of those trips of singing and laughing that I will always treasure. Delora loved life with her family and the more the merrier that is for sure. Hey anyone that would bring me my own bottle of ketchup for the trips was pretty darn special in my books. I loved both Bob and Delora very much. When I look back the many memories are starting to flood my mind and brings tears. I can hear her voice and will never forget what a great a soul she was. Her and Bob can finally reunite.

I want all of you to know I am with you in spirit. Sending love to all of you from Jeannie

Regina Catalfamo - October 31, 2021 at 09:02 PM

BL

“ Sincere condolences to all family and friends of DeLora Miles. She was a wonderful person and friend. We only met DeLora and Bob after they moved to Selkirk, but they quickly became dear friends. Chuck especially loved the food DeLora made and shared with us. Bea and DeLora enjoyed movies together, discussing books, going for ice cream, eating out (before Covid), going to the concerts at FUMC Schenectady, celebrating each other's birthday, just hanging out together, and more. She was a very dear friend and a true blessing in my life. I will cherish her memory and our friendship, as well as miss her terribly. But I look forward to seeing her again someday in God's eternal kingdom. Rest in peace, dear friend. -
Chuck & Bea Legere

Beatrice Legere - October 31, 2021 at 03:22 PM

DG

“ My deepest sympathy to DeLora's family. For 35 years I had the privilege of calling DeLora a dear friend. Her strength, faith, courage, determination, humor, love of family and dedication to her friends set a wonderful example for all who knew her. She will be greatly missed.

Dominick Giaquinto - October 31, 2021 at 11:56 AM