



## Richard Allen Miller

June 8, 1964 - April 9, 2021

Richard Allen Miller, age 56 of Tyler, Texas, passed away on Friday, April 9, 2021 at his home in Tyler. He was born June 8, 1964 in Petaluma, California. The second of three children. Eight years later and with a new baby brother, the family moved to Tyler. There Richard lived until age 17 where he served his country and joined the United States Army. After getting out of the Army, Richard found a career in construction. This job led to meeting his future wife and the mother of his child Kathleen Miller. Soon love had taken hold, and Richard was moving back to Wisconsin, his future wife's home state. Here in Wisconsin, Richard and Kathy had their son Nick, and made hundreds of friends. Richard learned how to become a real pool shark, and became an avid poker player. When his son graduated high school in 2007, Richard stole his son's cat Chester, and moved down to be with his mother Janice for the next fourteen years. During this time, he was often in his shop working on this or that project. If you couldn't find him in the shop he was most likely on the porch loving on his kitty Chester. Richard was always one to put a smile on your face. Hopefully the memory of him will as well. Unfortunately, late 2020 Richard was diagnosed with Stage 4 stomach cancer, and after a hard-fought battle, Richard is now at peace. Richard is preceded in death by his ex-wife Kathleen Lyn Miller. Richard is survived by his son, Nick Miller of Madison, Wisconsin; mother, Janice Staples of Tyler; brother, Steven Miller of Tyler; sister, Michelle Campbell and husband, Jack of Lindale, Texas, brother, Robert Haight and wife, Jenni of Madison, Wisconsin.

# Comments

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“ Even though I was not mentioned in this obituary.  
I am Richards Aunt.  
I Loved and still Love him very much.  
He loved my enchiladas, and I keep them headed his way whenever he wanted them  
(usually once or sometimes twice a month.)  
Love and miss you.  
Family get togethers just wont be the same.

**Linda King** - April 12 at 01:13 PM



“ LINDA WAS ALSO THERE WHRN MY SON PASSED SHE HAS ALWAYS BEEN SUCH A  
WONDERFUL AUNT I SURE MISS YOU RICHARD LOVE MOM

**janice staples** - April 16 at 08:26 PM



“ sure do miss you my heart feels like it is broken but know you are in a better place and  
some day will be be joining you love your MOM

**janice** - April 24 at 11:49 PM