



## Katelyn Elisabeth Miller

October 31, 1985 - August 11, 2010

“For beautiful eyes, look for the good in others; for beautiful lips, speak only words of kindness; and for poise, walk with the knowledge that you are never alone.” On Wednesday, August 11, 2010 the world lost a beautiful spirit. Katelyn Elisabeth Miller passed away at the young age of 24. She lived life with an unquenchable thirst for knowledge; her love for books was unmatched. She was a loving and compassionate person who was always willing to lend a helping hand. She touched the hearts of many people with her kindness, generosity and tender soul. She is survived by her father James Miller, mother Susan Calhoun, sisters Elaisa Trendelman and Rachel Miller, brother-in-law Trent Trendelman, nephew Tyler Trendelman, step mother Julie Miller, grandmother Ruth Calhoun, and countless other friends and family.

Visitation for Kate will be held from 1:00PM until 3:00PM on Saturday, August 14th at Allen Funeral Home, 4155 South Old State Road 37. Time will be set from 1:30-2:30 for friends and family to share their memories and thoughts of Kate. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Monroe County Public Library, one of Kate's favorite places in the world. Gonzo

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ I only worked with her for a short time, but she was definitely one of the sweetest people I've ever worked with. Even after she left the job, she was happy to see me whenever we ran into each other. She was one of those people who was always in a bright mood and could put others in the same mood.

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**Joy Martin** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

MA

“ I was so saddened to her of Katelyn's passing. I want you to know that our prayers are with you and all of the family.  
Much Love, Marcy

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**Marcy Wood-May** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

PX

“ Jimmy,Susie,Elaisa,Rachel&family,

We were deeply sadden to hear the loss of your beautiful daughter Katy. Our hearts and prayers goes out to you and may you truly experience God's peace and grace in this time of need. As we know what it is to loss one of your precious children. Our Jordan would have been 20yrs this year and we still miss him and his wonderful smile and joy, he change our lives forever. May God's peace be upon you each day and find joy in Katie's memory.

In his love, The Xanders Family

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**Paul and Verona Xanders** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

GD

“ How precious Katie had to be to your family and to you Jimmy & Suzie. Our prayers are for a peace never needed so much as now for your family and her close friends.

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**Gene & Leslie Doctor** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

AN

“ Dear Katy, you and your Dad helped me heal that summer, of 2003. You showed me how to live in simplicity, music, coffee and newspaper on the front porch mornings. Meals shared. My time with you was so healing, simple and satisfying. I will remember those months forever and ever. I love you, Jim, Katy, Rachel and Elaisa.

Love  
Andrea

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**Andrea Rodriguez** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

AL

“ Jimmy, Susan, Elaisa, and Rachel we were saddened to hear of Katie's passing. There have been so many years since we have been in touch with you; nevertheless, we are touched by your grief and loss. We pray comfort for you in the days to come.

Blessings,

Alvin & Linda

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**Alvin & Linda Moore** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

LE

“ Kate, you were always an inspiration to me. You always had a creative spirit and a wonderful soul, and I am grateful to have been able to call you my friend. You will be missed.

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**Lee** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

KH

“ Rachel and Family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Katy was am amazing woman! Always a bright smile on her face! She will be greatly missed. You all will be in my thoughts. Rachel, never hesitate to call if you need anything. Love, Katie O.

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**Katie O'Hara Hancock** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

JU

“ Dear Susy, Jim, Rachel and Elaisa, Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Katie is such a beautiful spirit. She brought so many smiles to all of us. May somehow you find comfort when there seems no way it can be found. Our deepest condolences, Judy and the Boys

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**Judy McNew** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

AL

“ Jim and Susie, Elaisa and Rachel,

*We were heart sick and deeply saddened when we heard about Katie. We immediately remembered the time when Katie babysat our boys and decided to make cookies. Unfortunately, she discovered we were out of chocolate chips. Not to be deterred, she packed up the boys and visited a couple of neighbors until she found one who could give her the chocolate chips. For us this memory captured Katie's spirit and our memory of her character. Our boys remember the babysitter who gave them an adventure. We truly appreciate and miss the time we shared with Katie and your family. You have our deepest condolences.*

*Love,  
Andy, Daphne, Jake, and Luke*

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**Andy, Daphne, Jake, and Luke Pell** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

PD

“ Dear Jimmy, Susy, Elaisa & Rachel,

*I was so saddened to hear about Katelyn today. My heart breaks for your family at this time of great sorrow. I remember her when she was very little at the Riveria Club where we would get together for reunions every summer. May you find peace at this very difficult time in your lives.*

*Thinking about your family,  
Patty*

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**Patty Miller Demaree** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

MA

“ Dear Katy's Family: My heart is breaking for you. Katy was such a comfort to us at the time of the loss of my son, Mikey, just a short time ago, on May 11. Please know, that for what it's worth, others do understand your pain and loss. Katy was a wonderful, sweet young woman. I hope you find, as I have, that your loss is only bearable because those near you surround you with extra love and compassion in the days, weeks and months to come. I am so sorry I couldn't be there at Allen to visit the family. My husband and Mikey's two brothers took a vacation to Maine to be out of town over what would have been his 25th birthday. Thinking about you, Mary McMullen

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**Mary McMullen** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

HI

“ To Katy's family:  
*My heartfelt sympathies to you all regarding the tremendous loss you are suffering. What a bright, creative and funny young lady Katy was.*

*SPECIAL MESSAGE TO RACHEL: I LOVE YOU DEAR! YOU KNOW YOUR SISTER WILL BE WITH YOU IN YOUR HEART FOREVER. I AM THINKING OF YOU!*

*All my love,  
Hilary Bartels, MD*

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**Hilary Bartels** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

SU

“ *I LOVE YALL*

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**Susy Wootton** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

LO

“ *Accept please this inadequate expression of the sorrow I feel at the loss of your beautiful Katelyn, whatever the cause. Hugs to all now suffering.*  
*Lon*

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**Lon Olsen** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

AM

“ *Susan,  
My prayers and condolences are with you and your family. I pray God will give you great strength and comfort during your time of loss.*

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**Artist Montgomery** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

CO

“ Dear Jim, Susy, Elaisa, and Rachel,

*Please accept my heartfelt condolences on Katy's passing. I am heartsick to hear about your great loss. Katy was a wonderful person whom I loved dearly.*

*I hope your memories of Katy's beautiful spirit will help sustain you in this time of grief.*

*In sympathy,  
Colin Fraizer*

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**Colin Fraizer** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

JE

“ Susan,

*What a beautiful young lady, you and your family will remain in my prayers.*

*Love You,*

*Jeannette Shaw*

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**Jeannette Shaw** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM

JB

“ I remember a very beautiful young Katie Miller that caught my Bouquet at my wedding 15 years ago , in Tennessee . I did not know her very well , and just re-connected with Kate on Facebook recently . I agree that she is a beautiful woman and always will be . She will be greatly missed . Myself , my husband and Grace Church of Temperance Michigan(Pastor Gary Singer) send our condolences to the Miller and Trendelman Families for their loss . God be with you all in this terrible loss of your loved one . I wish I could have known her better . We all should smile , because she is looking down upon us , and she is with our Lord and Savior . She is now your Guardian Angel ? God Bless you All.

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**Jamie Smalling Babcock** - October 26, 2015 at 04:30 PM