



Dolores Miller

March 15, 2026

Dolores “Lois” Elizabeth Miller, 90, passed away surrounded by loved ones on March 15, 2026.

Lois was born on February 14, 1936, in Charlotte, NC. During her childhood, Lois and her family relocated to Harlem, NY, where she attended Washington Irving High School. While in high school, Lois met and fell in love with Raymond Miller. They were wed and married for 45 beautiful years. They shared two sons, Ray Jr. and Aaron Miller.

Lois worked as a secretary for the Long Island City Board of Education where she supported architects in ensuring that school buildings were safe for students until retiring.

It was fitting that Lois was born on Valentine’s Day, because she had the biggest heart and loved love. She never forgot a birthday or a holiday and went out of her way to make you feel special. Lois had an unforgettable presence and was quick-witted, always ready with a quip to make you laugh. She loved to dance, but the music had to have soul. She also enjoyed traveling, especially cruises to the Caribbean, and visiting Atlantic City with her girlfriends. Lois was devoted to her family and friends, often showing care through her phenomenal cooking. Arguments have broken out over her rum cake. Lois will be greatly missed, but we cherish her memory.

Lois is predeceased by her husband, Raymond Miller Sr. and brother William Pickett. She is survived by her sons, Ray Jr. (Beverly Miller) and Aaron Miller, granddaughters Satia and Shanise Miller, nieces Trinitius Pickett and Felicia

Johnson, grandnieces Ikea Johnson and Hania Ghaful, and great-grand nephew Aymen Ghaful Smith.

Family and friends are invited to join us on March 29, 2026 from 2:00pm to 3:00 for visitation and a funeral service from 3:00 to 5:00pm at the Volk Leber Funeral Home (789 Teaneck Road, Teaneck, NJ 0766). Mass will be held on March 30, 2026 from 10:00am to 11:00am at St. Cecilia's Church (55 W. Demarest Ave, Englewood, NJ 07631). Internment to follow at St. Raymond's Cemetery (2600 Lafayette Avenue, Bronx, New York 10465).

Cemetery Details

St. Raymond's Cemetery

2600 Lafayette Ave
Bronx, NY 10465

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home
789 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
info@volkleber.com
<http://www.volkleber.com>

Funeral Service

MAR 29. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Volk Leber Funeral Home
789 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
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Mass of Christian Burial

MAR **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Cecilia's Church
55 W. Demarest Ave
Englewood, NJ 07631

Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Dolores Miller*



Volk Leber Funeral Home - March 24 at 09:40 AM

FA

I'll praying with u and for u Faith 🙏

Faith - April 07 at 06:34 PM

AL

“ *I want to express my heartfelt condolences for the loss of your wonderful mother, aka Meme. She was such a warm and caring person who always thoughtfully asked about my children and how they were doing. It meant so much and truly showed genuine care.*

The kindness and the love Meme shared with everyone during our family get-togethers will always be remembered. I hope the beautiful memories you've shared bring you comfort and peace in the days to come.

Please know you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

*With all our heartfelt sympathy,
Aldith, Shona & Jerel*

ALDITH M V LEWIS - March 29 at 03:04 PM

HM

“ Mrs. Miller had many names. Dolores, Lois, and because I thought she looked like Natalie Cole and her speaking voice sounded like Tina Turner, Aaron and I started calling her Tina. But the name I mostly used for her was Mom. I lost my sweet Irish mother decades ago to a heart attack, but whenever I visited the Miller household Mrs. Miller was so warm and caring, offering me ginger ale, and snacks, always asking about my children and later my grand children. I got such a feeling of motherly love from her that I asked her if I could call her Mom. And so in my phone she is listed as Mom Miller. And I would always call her on Mother's Day. I am going to miss making those calls but I will always remember my Mom Miller.

Hugh James McNulty - March 28 at 01:32 PM

KW

“ Delores was such a wonderful person. She had a special way of making everyone around her feel valued and appreciated. Her warmth, kindness, and gentle spirit always made you feel welcome. She truly had a beautiful heart. I am praying for her family during this difficult time of loss. She will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered by all who knew her. 🌸



KAREN WHITE - March 24 at 09:06 PM

RN

“ Rose N. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Dolores Miller.



Rose N. - March 24 at 06:58 PM

CB

“ Aunt Lois was a dear friend to our family, always kind, gentle and helped me with my sons...she was my mothers best friend more like a sister...we send our deepest condolences, sympathies and prayers to the family and her friends. Love, from all of us!

Cheryl Mobley Brewington - March 23 at 02:36 PM

MD

“ I have so many good memories, will truly miss her. Love Mary DePass

Mary DePass - March 22 at 05:30 PM

AJ

“ In Loving Memory of Dolores “Meme”

There are some people whose presence speaks softly, yet leaves the deepest impression—and that was Meme.

She was the definition of quiet grace... soft-spoken, kind, and effortlessly elegant. Meme never needed to command a room; her gentle spirit did that all on its own. There was a calmness about her, a warmth that made you feel at ease just being in her presence.

And if you knew her, you knew this one thing for certain—you would never see Meme without her makeup. It wasn't about vanity; it was her signature, her way of showing up to the world with dignity, care, and pride. She carried herself with a timeless elegance that never went unnoticed.

In my younger years, I remember receiving Christmas gifts from Meme, but what stayed with me most were the beautiful scarves she would give me. They were always so elegant—just like her. Even then, she had a way of leaving a lasting impression, not just through what she gave, but through the grace and love behind it.

Meme was a truly gentle soul. The kind that loved quietly, gave freely, and left traces of kindness wherever she went. She didn't need loud words or grand gestures—her spirit spoke volumes in the most beautiful, understated way.

Her presence was a gift: her memory, a blessing.

She will be deeply missed, always remembered, and forever cherished. ☐ 🕊️

*Fondly,
Andrean ☐*

Andrean Johnson - March 20 at 02:20 PM

VI

True very elegant lady when I met her by her dear daughter in law Bev

Viv - March 20 at 02:40 PM

FJ

Words can't express or define the depths of my dearest aunt's kindness. She was a beacon of light whose brightness lit up any room with her graceful smile and joyous laugh. She lived life to the fullest. My sister and I were blessed to build so many beautiful memories with her. She will truly be missed. Her life lessons and triumphant spirit will never be forgotten.

*Lovingly,
Your niece Felicia*

Felicia Pickett Johnson - March 24 at 01:04 AM

MJ

I've known Dolores for many years--from our employed years and through our retirement years. After retirement, several of us ladies would meet in the city for lunch as often as we could, and just as important and fun as that was, we'd very often talk on the phone as well. Dolores was always so sweet and soft-spoken and thoughtful. She would always remember to call or send a card for birthdays and holidays. I will miss her so very much. May her memory always remain for a blessing.

Abiding love,

Myra Johnson

Myra Johnson - March 24 at 05:21 PM

RN

Delores was the best friend ever and will truly be missed.

rnewman - March 24 at 06:40 PM

AH

Ann Hansil

*I love Delores as a big sister and the best friend ever.
I always ended our goodbye By saying I LOVE YOU. And will miss our
conversation and laughter. I know she is with our Lord and Savior.
She one beautiful woman inside and out. Rest in peace my Friend
Forever.*

Annie Hansil - March 25 at 10:21 PM