

Basic Instructions for Using the Find-A-Grave Web Site

Below is the home page for the pre-eminent web site for gravestone memorials. Most memorials at this site are tied to actual cemeteries, although this site allows for the creation of memorials for loved ones whose remains are not actually buried at an official cemetery location (e.g., cremains that were scattered or held by family members). Memorials at this site are created and managed by thousands of volunteers who are members of the Find-A-Grave Community.

FIND A GRAVE

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Find Graves

Find the graves of ancestors, create virtual memorials, add 'virtual flowers' and a note to a loved one's grave, etc.

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Basic search for James Patton Miller

Find A Grave Search Form

Name:
First Middle Last (required)
☐ Include maiden name(s) in my search
☐ Do partial name search on surname

Born: Year:
Died: Year:

Cemetery in:

Memorial #:



Date filter:

Order by:

Initial Search Result:

Grave Search Results

Records 1 to 2 (of 2 total matches)

Name	All Names	Cemetery
→ Search for "james miller" at GenealogyBank ←		
Miller, James Patton  b. Apr. 29, 1862 d. May 11, 1932		Pleasant View Baptist Chu... Hamblen County Tennessee, USA
Miller, James Patton  b. May 12, 1913 d. Feb. 1, 1959		Saint James of My Ladys M... Monkton Baltimore County Maryland, USA
→ Search for "james miller" at GenealogyBank ←		

Clicking on the top one above gives the following page:

James Patton Miller

Memorial
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Birth: Apr. 29, 1862
Death: May 11, 1932

Family links:
Parents:
[Andrew B Miller \(1830 - 1891\)](#)
[Minerva Parham Miller \(1836 - 1872\)](#)


Spouse:
[Candy Plemmons Miller \(1867 - 1931\)](#)

Children:
[Harley A. Miller \(1886 - 1967\)*](#)
[Wiley Herman Miller \(1888 - 1974\)*](#)
[George B Miller \(1890 - 1979\)*](#)
[William B. Miller \(1892 - 1964\)*](#)
[Roy Miller \(1893 - 1962\)*](#)
[Walter McKinley Miller \(1896 - 1967\)*](#)
[Lucy M Miller Barnett \(1898 - 1989\)*](#)
[Troy Miller \(1900 - 1982\)*](#)
[Nettie Dora Miller Styles \(1903 - 1991\)*](#)
[Nellie Mae Miller TeVogt \(1906 - 1993\)*](#)


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Burial:
[Pleasant View Baptist Church Cemetery](#)
Hamblen County
Tennessee, USA

Maintained by: [Richard Daake](#)
Originally Created by: [gabbybug](#)
Record added: Mar 14, 2006
Find A Grave Memorial# 13618516



Added by: [Richard Daake](#)



Cemetery Photo
Added by: [Lynda \(Colbaugh\) Raitala](#)

Next, clicking on any of the names in colored text will then take you to that person's page. For example, clicking on the name of Andrew B. Miller produces the following result:

Andrew B Miller

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Birth: 1830
Leicester
Buncombe County
North Carolina, USA

Death: Nov. 12, 1891
Madison County
North Carolina, USA

A Civil War soldier with a large family who lived and farmed near Srping Creek most of his life. The first requeust in his last will and testament (created in 1880) was that his body "be buried in a Christian manner near my wives at the Methodist Church in the Gap of the Mountain."


Family links:
Spouses:
[Minerva Parham Miller \(1836 - 1872\)*](#)
[Kiziah Jane Webb Miller \(1847 - 1899\)*](#)

Children:
[James Patton Miller \(1862 - 1932\)*](#)


[*Calculated relationship](#)

Burial:
[Gap of the Mountain](#)
Marshall
Madison County
North Carolina, USA

Created by: [Richard Daake](#)
Record added: Dec 06, 2012
Find A Grave Memorial# 101823957



Added by: [Richard Daake](#)



Cemetery Photo
Added by: [Helen Cameron](#)

You'll notice that Andrew had two wives. This page was only recently created. So far, only one of Andrew's 14 children has been linked to him, but additional links will no doubt be added in the future by members of the Find-A-Grave community.

Every memorial at the Find-A-Grave web site has a memorial number. These numbers are generated by the site software at the time a memorial is created and are used by members of the Find-A-Grave community to create links to family members. Once a memorial number is assigned, it remains the same until the memorial is removed. Although rare, removal of memorials at this site can occur because of incorrect identification or duplication when two or more volunteers inadvertently create different memorials for the same person.

You'll notice that the search form (see page 2) includes a place to enter a person's memorial number. If known, this is the only information required in order to go to the memorial page for the individual.

The Find-A-Grave site has been in operation for about 10 years and the database continues to grow but presently includes less than 20% of known graves in the United States. So there remains much work to be done.