



Michael Vernon Millet

July 12, 2025

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1948 – 2025

Michael Vernon Millet, husband, father, proud veteran, and sportsman, passed away on July 12, 2025 in Rochester, NY at the age of 76 years old.

Michael is survived by his beloved wife, Debra (Dunbar) Millet; and seven children, Ryan, Michael Jr. (Holly), Jason, Ashley, Stephen, Erin, and Brian; granddaughter, Aurelia.

Born in Apalachicola, FL to Vernon and Jeanette Millet, Michael's life was marked by dedication and quiet strength. An accomplished athlete, Michael's passion for baseball led him to be drafted by the Philadelphia Phillies to play in the minor leagues — a dream he pursued with heart and determination. Before achieving this dream, Michael answered the call to serve his country with distinction, completing two tours of duty in Vietnam proudly as a Marine. Following his military service, Michael became a police officer for the Annapolis Police Department in Annapolis, MD.

During his retirement years, Michael enjoyed the company of friends and supporting the New York Mets and Buffalo Bills. He also enjoyed doting on his two dogs, Raina and Bowser.

Family and friends may call on Friday, July 18th from 3-5 PM at the Leo M. Bean and Sons Funeral Home. A funeral service will follow calling hours at 5 PM at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Operation Freedom

Ride to honor Michael's love of his dogs.

Michael will be deeply missed and forever remembered for his enduring love, quiet courage, and the deep pride he took in his family and country.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUL 18. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Leo M Bean and Sons Funeral Home
2771 Chili Avenue
Rochester, NY 14624
(585) 426-7830
beanfuneralhome@rochester.rr.com
<http://www.beanandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Michael M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael Vernon Millet.

Michael M. - July 23, 2025 at 01:46 PM



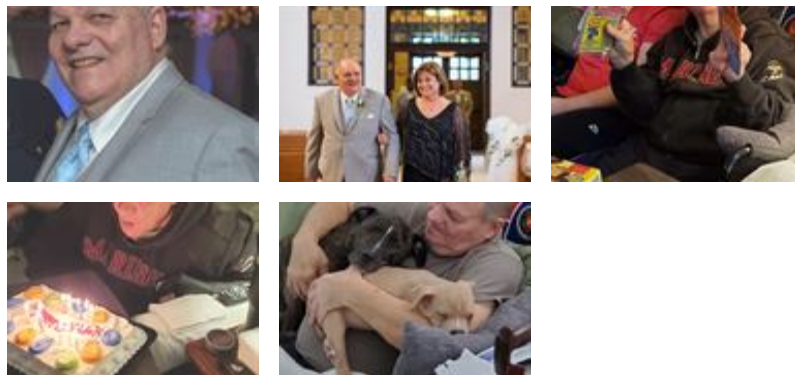
“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Michael Vernon Millet.



July 19, 2025 at 12:57 PM



“ 75 files added to the album Life Tributes



Leo M. Bean and Sons Funeral Home - July 18, 2025 at 02:34 PM

JC

“ My dear Debbie and family,
Please accept my condolences on the lost of your dear one. You will continue to be in my prayers that God will grant you peace and many blessings. I'm sorry that I will not be able to be with you at this time of sorrow for your family, but know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Jan Caretta

Janice T. Caretta - July 18, 2025 at 10:49 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael Vernon Millet.



July 18, 2025 at 10:10 AM

KM

“ You all did the best you could during this journey. May he be pain free now and may he rest in peace.



kim may - July 18, 2025 at 12:41 AM

DO

“ To Debra and family, a limb has fallen from our family tree. Remember Mike for his quiet strength in best times, laughter and song on his birthday when he sang 76 th trombones. Keep up with your traditions and know his soul is at peace. Love Dolores, Ernie and family

Dolores Ott - July 16, 2025 at 09:01 PM

DD

“ My sympathies to my beloved sister and her wonderful family. Mike is at peace now. He could not of asked for any better care than what he received from all of you. Please know in your hearts that he loved you all very much. Love, Aunt Di Di.

Diane Dunbar - July 16, 2025 at 08:44 AM

DF

“ Dolores, Bobby, Ray, Diane, and Families purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Michael Vernon Millet.



Dolores, Bobby, Ray, Diane, and Families - July 15, 2025 at 12:37 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael Vernon Millet.



July 15, 2025 at 10:46 AM