



## Genevieve Lavina Millican

April 12, 1938 - June 5, 2026

Genevieve Lavina Millican had her 88th birthday in April of this year. She was with us for her husband's 90th birthday in May and had been in her home throughout. Alzheimer's had been taking her away from us since December 2020. She passed away peacefully on June 5, 2026, surrounded by loved ones. She was born in Detroit on April 12, 1938, daughter of the late Alfred J. and Oriol L. (Rumohr) Rentz.

She graduated from Harper Woods High School in 1958 and went on to have a fulfilling marriage. Genevieve was passionate about her children and was a true homemaker for us. She was interested in genealogy, astrology, geology, stocks, art, antiques and finding treasures. According to her husband, the three things he wanted to point out about her was that she had a sweetness about her, was in love with her overall goodness, and loved her laugh. They had been married for 68 years, he stood by her through the illness and helped taking care of her and keeping her comfortable. Genevieve leaves us with memories of blueberry pancakes, baked apple pies, and her love going into every single bite.

Genevieve is survived by her husband, Edward B. Millican, Jr.; daughter, Heather Boehm; and son, Edward B. Millican, III; grandchildren, Alex and Patrick Walke of Ft. Meyers, FL, Robert Adams of Carsonville, Rachel McLaughlin of Lexington, Joshua Boehm of Marine City, Levi Boehm of Carsonville, and Marlena Hall of Webb City, MO; great grandchildren, Aurora Hall, Aalyiah Grosso, Dominic Boehm, Noah Boehm, Declan McLaughlin,

Corbin McLaughlin, and Gavin Winstead.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Alfred and Oriol Rentz, and daughter, Christel Walke.

A Visitation will be held from 6-8 PM Tuesday, June 9 at the Pomeroy Funeral Home.

A private funeral ceremony will be held.

### In The Fading Light Of Day

V1

My heart won't completely break  
When you're struggling to communicate,  
Trying to reclaim what life sometimes takes  
Your dignity slipping away

V2

My heart won't completely break  
When your staring off out into space  
You don't have to know my name  
But I need one thing to stay the same

Chorus

Tears fall down  
In the fading light of day  
You don't have to make a sound  
When you look at me that way  
I still see the memories  
Floating In your eyes  
So Relieved you still know me  
And you haven't said goodbye

V3

My heart won't completely break  
When I'm forced to feed you your eggs  
And your restless hands refuse to wait  
Grabbing anything that comes their way

V4

My heart won't completely break  
When I see the strength leaving your legs  
I refuse to believe it's too late  
Now I'm down on my knees, clinging to Faith

Chorus

Tears fall down  
In the fading light of day  
You don't have to make a sound  
When you look at me that way  
I still see the memories  
Floating In your eyes  
I thank God you still know me  
Don't ever say goodbye

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My heart won't completely break  
When your staring off out into space  
You don't have to say my name  
But I need one thing to stay the same

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I'll Always be Here for you  
(Rough Waters)

Rough waters outside the picture window  
Loving family, 1 daughter, a husband & a son  
You can't control the way life goes  
Accidents can't be undone  
And I can't ever stop the setting sun

There she lay upon the adjustable bed  
Touching my brother's and my Father's hand  
So many thoughts swirling through her head  
Please help me understand  
Why can't I turn the light back on in your mind

Chorus  
Mamma don't deny me  
Your hugs and kisses too  
Your hugs are made of sunshine  
And your kisses get me through  
You've come to rely on me  
I'll always be here for you

Some days your words salt an open wound  
When you point your finger & tell me to go  
And even worse when my "I love you"  
Is met with a very stern "NO"  
Hard to remember the truth  
It's not really you

Chorus

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You've come to rely on me

I'll always be here

Always be here for you

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 9. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pomeroy Funeral Home - Lexington

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Walke and VanOphem Families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Genevieve Lavina Millican.*



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**The Walke and VanOphem Families** - June 09 at 10:50 AM

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“ *The Walke and VanOphem Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Genevieve Lavina Millican.*

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**The Walke and VanOphem Families** - June 09 at 10:50 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Genevieve Lavina Millican.*



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June 08 at 02:36 PM



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