

Miller, Robert W. d. 10-23-2000

Ames  
Tribune  
11-04-2000

## Robert William Miller

MARCH 20, 1950 - OCTOBER 23,  
2000

Robert William Miller (a.k.a. Byjoe C. Cookout), 50, of Nevada, died Oct. 23 at his home of a heart attack.

Robert William Miller was born March 20, 1950, in Albany, N.Y., the son of Esther Marchand and the late William Thomas Miller. He was a grad-

uate of the Colonie Central High School in Albany, N.Y., and Hartwick College in Oneonta, N.Y. He continued his education, earning a doctorate from Union College in Schenectady, N.Y. During his career he was employed by Sterling Winthrop Drug Company in Rensselaer, N.Y., Allied Chemical in Buffalo, N.Y., General Electric in Cincinnati and taught at various universities.

He is survived by his daughter, Lindsey of Erie, Pa.;

former wife, Karen Freeman Miller of Erie, Pa.; his mother, Esther Marchand of Colonie, N.Y.; two sisters, Nancy and Michael Serge of Colonie and Judith and James Feerst of Tucson, Ariz.; three nephews and one niece.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. today at St. John's Lutheran Chapel in Colonie, N.Y.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be sent to Byjoe (Bob) at the Nevada Public Library in Nevada.

MILLER, Robert W.  
AKA BYJOE COOKOUT

Des Moines  
Register  
11-04-2000

### BYJOE COOKOUT

Nevada

Byjoe C. Cookout, 50, of Nevada died of a heart attack at home. He was found Oct. 28. Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. today at St. John's Lutheran Chapel in Colonie, N.Y.

Mr. Cookout was born as William Thomas Miller in Albany, N.Y., and had lived in various locations before moving to Nevada. He had worked at Sterling Winthrop Drug Co. in Rensselaer, N.Y., Allied Chemical in Buffalo, N.Y., and General Electric in Cincinnati, Ohio, and had taught at various universities. He was an avid reader and enjoyed music, computers, bridge and bicycle riding.

He is survived by a daughter, Lindsey of Erie, Pa.; his mother, Esther Marchand of Colonie, N.Y.; and two sisters, Nancy Serge of Colonie and Judith Feerst of Tucson, Ariz.

Memorial contributions may be made to Nevada Public Library. Bacon Funeral Home in Nevada is handling local arrangements.