



## Miles Yancey Stegman

December 24, 1990 - April 1, 2022

### MILES STEGMAN

Miles Stegman was 31 years old when he passed away on April 1st, 2022. He is survived by his mother Lisa Stegman, father Jeffrey Stegman (Audrey Causilla), his sister Madeleine Stegman, his grandparents Thomas and Delores Stegman, Jerry and Rose Collins as well as his extended family on the Collins and Stegman sides, and his dearest friends.

Born December 24th, 1990 on Christmas Eve in Cincinnati, Ohio. He attended Indian Hill High School, then went on to graduate from University of Colorado Boulder with a degree in Sociology.

His love of wine took him to work and study in Australia and New Zealand. He studied viticulture at the University of California, Davis. He was a budding winemaker and hoped to start his own vineyard. He was most recently managing the family farm in Indiana, spending time with his father and his loving dog Tazzy on the land. He wished to plant a lavender field and raise alpacas.

Miles was a lover of nature and animals all his life. He was a forever student of horticulture and loved to research, propagate, and grow new plants.

He had an incredible ear and impeccable taste in music. He played guitar and was exploratory and experimental in music listening and creation.

He was deeply knowledgeable and passionate about food and wine. He loved

the grape.

He has many loving friends who would often refer to him as a ‘gentle giant’ or “Baby Smiles”.

His spirit will live on through all the people who adored him, as well as through the plants and animals of this earth.

Services Weil Kahn Funeral Home, 8350 Cornell Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45249 on Friday, April 8, 1:00 P.M. The visitation will begin at 12:00 Noon EST. The service will be LIVE STREAMED on the Weil Kahn website. [https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed\\_viewer/71927](https://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/embed_viewer/71927)

There will be a procession to the natural burial ground following the service, located at Heritage Acres Memorial Sanctuary (796 Locust Corner Road Cincinnati, Ohio 45245).

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Nature Conservancy, Save the Music Foundation, or The Natural Resources Defense Council.

Nature Conservancy:

<https://preserve.nature.org/page/80429/donate/1>

Save the Music:

<https://www.savethemusic.org/>

The Natural Resources Defense Council:

<https://www.nrdc.org/>

# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Acres Memorial Sanctuary

796 Locust Corner Road  
Pierce Township, OH 45245

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

APR 8. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Weil Kahn Funeral Home  
8350 Cornell Road  
Cincinnati, OH 45249

# Tribute Wall



“ Weil Kahn Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Miles Yancey Stegman



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**Weil Kahn Funeral Home** - April 05, 2022 at 10:55 AM

EK

*Sending love, thoughts and prayers to your entire family during this difficult time. Love, Evelyn & Gary Kirschner*

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**Evelyn Kirschner** - April 07, 2022 at 10:13 AM

WM

*Miles - I'll never forget you and the impact you had on everybody you came in contact with. I'll cherish the times we had together and will try to teach my son to be as compassionate of a human being as you were. Travel well my friend and I look forward to the next time we see each other.*

*Love,  
William Montgomery*

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**William Montgomery** - April 08, 2022 at 01:29 PM

MK

“ Dear Jeff and Lisa and Maddy and Tom and Dee and the Collins family,  
we send our love and hope and effort to share what is the deepest sadness one can know when we lose someone way too soon. While we hadn't been part of Miles' life in the past several years, he is an indelible part of our early years as young families sharing the wonder of raising children together, like the baby pool at Clifton Meadows and the ways the boys could spend days together doing who knows what. We didn't learn of his death and the service and burial until too late to participate, but very much hope to have a chance to visit the family soon.  
Much love and much regret,  
Marcia Kaplan and Michael Privitera

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**Marcia Kaplan** - April 09, 2022 at 09:59 AM

SF

“ Our family is heartbroken to hear the news of Miles' death. Ben and Miles grew up together, knowing each other since grade school. They both only had sisters, so they were like "brothers" to each other. We remember Miles as an incredibly polite and kind person, to Ben he was a very loyal friend. Ben so looked forward to seeing Miles more, since he had moved back to the area. It will take him a long time to process this incredible loss.

Our hearts are with you, the family.

Sincerely,

Ruthie, Chris and Ben Sweeney

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**Sweeney family** - April 07, 2022 at 11:56 AM



“ *We are so sorry to hear of Miles passing. Our thoughts are with your entire family. Tom and Alison Youkilis*

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**Tom Youkilis** - April 05, 2022 at 09:05 PM