



## Helen F. Miles

March 4, 1935 - April 22, 2024

Helen F. Miles of Willcox passed away in Douglas on Monday morning, April 22, 2024, at the age of 89. She was born in Medford, Texas on March 4, 1935, to Fred Brown and Ruby E. (Medford) Brown. Helen was a devoted homemaker and was a decorated Avon Sales Representative, she also was very involved with her husband Billy in their custom harvesting business. Helen was a devoted Christian and had been a pianist at numerous churches in Willcox. She was a member of Harvest Ministries. Survivors include her children Sandra (Donald) Peterson of Phoenix, Wendell (Lisa) Miles of Elfrida and Marshall (Melissa) Miles of Whetstone along with eight grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister Shirley Kimzey. Preceding her in death was her husband Billy on December 8, 2023, and her siblings Wesley Brown, Harold Brown, Lorne Brown and Sharon Buckner Masters. Funeral Services will be at 10:30 am on Saturday, May 4, 2024, at Westlawn Chapel. Burial will follow in Sunset Cemetery. A memorialization of Billy's life will also be held in conjunction with Helen's service.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Cemetery

N. Sunset Strip Road  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Funeral

MAY 4. 10:30 AM (MT)

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.  
105 S Arizona Avenue  
Willcox, AZ 85643  
(520) 384-2413  
westwx@vtc.net  
<https://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com>

# Tribute Wall

CB

“ Our sincere condolences to the Miles Family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

*Marty and Cheryl Bowlby*

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**Cheryl Bowlby** - May 05, 2024 at 01:20 AM

PA

“ The Asbury family would like to pass on our sympathies to Helen's family. The Paul Asbury family lived on the same property as Helen in 1955, where the Regal Cafe was later built and operated for many years. Helen's children were limited to only her oldest daughter at that time. We were friends from that time on, with many of our opportunities to fellowship related to church events. She has taken her "wings of the morning" and is having a great time with her Savior now; All praise to Him for that privilege! May all of her family be comforted by her wonderful situation now!

*Phillip Asbury*

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**Phillip Asbury** - May 04, 2024 at 03:16 AM

CF

“ I have precious memories of visiting Aunt Helen, when I was much younger. She would give us girls special gifts from her Avon pantry. It made us feel so special. Cousins, I am so sorry for your loss of your mother and father. Take comfort in knowing they are with Jesus and all is glorious.

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**Cindy Fink** - May 03, 2024 at 02:05 PM

AT

“ Anselmo Bertha Torres lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles



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**Anselmo & Bertha Torres** - May 02, 2024 at 04:41 PM

MW

“ Mike, Heidi and Collin Winklepleck purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Helen F. Miles.



Mike, Heidi and Collin Winklepleck - May 02, 2024 at 01:15 PM

CC

“ Both Billy and Helen were wonderful people! They both would go out if there way to help anyone. They will be missed by many. Condolences to the family, Sandra, Wendell and Marshall.  
Chad,Carol and Dylan Case



Carol Case - May 01, 2024 at 09:23 PM

TB

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Terri Buckner-Guice - May 01, 2024 at 09:02 PM

TB

“ What a beautiful blessing to be a part of the Miles family. I have so many cherished memories of Aunt Helen and Uncle Billy! We all know “Helen Faye” loved her “Billy Ray” and vice versa. Such a beautiful unconditional love they had in their unity that did not waiver through thick and thin. If Aunt Helen wasn’t cooking, she was running the streets of Willcox serving others and visiting or at church. Uncle Billy was always working or at home and then they both loved fishing and camping and always seemed to have a balance between them and that speaks so many volumes to me and many others.

When my sweet Uncle Billy graduated to Heaven, we all knew Aunt Helen would be right behind him. Though we are sad they left this world, we do rejoice they are both back together and now in the arms of Jesus and with my parents and all of our loved ones. I can see Aunt Helen all over Heaven and Uncle Billy visiting and laughing as he sees all the sights in the beautiful city of God!

Precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his saints! Until we meet again, I love you both dearly and I know Aunt Helen will be waiting for me at the piano to sing with her! Uncle Billy Will just be grinning 😊

Much love and prayers to Sandra, Wendell and Marshall and families. We know your parents loved y’all dearly and I speak peace and comfort and the contagious joy your parents possessed over all of you ❤️❤️❤️

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**Terri Buckner-Guice** - May 01, 2024 at 08:53 PM

LB

“ My thoughts and special memories of your parents/grandparents/friends and neighbors to the Miles Family! They left this world a better place!

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**LaDonna Burgess** - April 29, 2024 at 09:18 PM

LA

“ Grandpa Billy was the kindest man I have ever known, he was full of wisdom, strength and honor, and he was the best husband to grandma. Grandpa had the best laugh on earth-he was exceptional in every possible way. I have so many wonderful memories of him that I will cherish in my heart forever. Grandma Helen was the best example of what a godly wife should be. She blessed grandpa and all of us with the best home cooked meals on the face of the earth, she was and is and forever will be the best cook/baker there ever was. She has passed down the goodness of God and I can't think of a better gift. Grandma never met a stranger and always left her door open to whomever needed a visit, meal, cup of coffee ...you name it. She truly was a social butterfly and I will cherish all my memories with her and of her forever. Grandpa and grandma were both hard workers and everything they did they did well. They loved each other with an unselfish, unending, unwavering and unconditional love. They were the best models of what the Lord intended a marriage to be, and it is such a blessing to know they are united in heaven with Jesus celebrating. I love you grandpa and grandma! Thank you for the time you spent with me and love you poured into me, I'm forever grateful.

Love,  
LaCretia



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LaCretia - April 29, 2024 at 05:47 PM

DC

“ Dr. Gary Newman Mrs. Tysi Newman, Crysta purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Helen F. Miles.



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Dr. Gary Newman Mrs. Tysi Newman, Crysta - April 29, 2024 at 03:51 PM

CG

“ Chad & LaCretia George purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Helen F. Miles.



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Chad & LaCretia George - April 29, 2024 at 03:24 PM

JC

“ *All our love and prayers  
Danny and Judy Chastain*



Judy Chastain - April 29, 2024 at 10:01 AM

JC

“ *She was a joyful person*



Jane cox - April 29, 2024 at 10:01 AM

CC

“ *Remembering my amazing and loving Uncle Billy, with the most unique laugh of anyone I ever met. And my precious Aunt Helen, who could make anyone laugh!! I miss them both, but I'm also very happy they're rejoicing in heaven, with each other!!*

Carla Cooke - April 28, 2024 at 11:39 PM

JB

“ *Johnny Brown lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Johnny Donna Brown - April 28, 2024 at 10:54 PM

GW

“ *Deepest condolences to the Miles family. She was a sweet lady always nice to talk to. She will be missed by many*



Gloria and Bill Wood - April 28, 2024 at 09:19 PM

GW

“ Deepest condolences to the Miles family, She was a sweet lady always nice to visit with. She will be missed by many. Rest in Peace



Gloria and Bill Wood - April 28, 2024 at 09:17 PM

JM

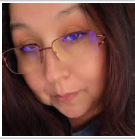
“ Our sincere condolences to all the family. What a special Lady. Rest in peace Helen.  
Rey And Jonnie Martinez

Jonnie Martinez - April 27, 2024 at 10:32 PM

BT

“ So sorry to hear this. I will miss Helen.

Ben J Travis - April 27, 2024 at 11:56 AM



“ Debbie Salas lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles



Debbie Salas - April 27, 2024 at 05:19 AM

DG

“ My condolences to the Miles family. I met Helen when we sold Avon back in the day at our monthly meeting in Willcox and she was such a loving caring woman and we became friends through Avon. Rest in peace Helen. 🙏

Delia Guzman - April 27, 2024 at 12:42 AM

KT

“ Kathy Thatcher lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles



Kathy Thatcher - April 26, 2024 at 02:52 PM



“ *Hector Salas lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



**Hector Salas** - April 25, 2024 at 04:25 AM

BD

“ *Sandy I am sorry for the loss of your mom. I will always remember her playing the piano. Her joy in the lord was contagious  
May God give you all peace and joy in the midst of your loss*

**Bonnie Diehl** - April 24, 2024 at 10:01 PM

CD

“ *Carol Dickson lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



**Carol Dickson** - April 24, 2024 at 05:28 PM

CD

“ *Carol Dunagan lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



**Carol Dunagan** - April 23, 2024 at 08:46 PM

SA

“ *Susan Arbuthnot lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



**Susan Arbuthnot** - April 23, 2024 at 08:11 PM

HC

“ *Hollie Corzilius lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Hollie Corzilius - April 23, 2024 at 08:01 PM

MV

“ *Michael Valenzuela lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Michael Valenzuela - April 23, 2024 at 04:52 PM

EH

“ *Ellen Hedges lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Ellen Hedges - April 23, 2024 at 12:17 PM

AF

“ *Annie & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Miles*



Annie Torres & Family - April 23, 2024 at 11:24 AM



“ *Betsy Ajeman lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Betsy Ajeman - April 23, 2024 at 07:19 AM

CM

“ *Candy morgan lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Candy morgan - April 22, 2024 at 10:14 PM

GA

“ *Gussie Sharon Arzberger lit a candle in memory of Helen Miles*



Gussie and Sharon Arzberger - April 22, 2024 at 09:20 PM

GM

“ *Gus Rita Morales sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Miles*



Gus & Rita Morales - April 22, 2024 at 07:25 PM