



Morris Milnes

June 2, 1953 - February 4, 2008

Morris Milnes -- Bourbonnais Visitation for Morris W. Milnes, 54, of Bourbonnais, will be from noon Saturday until the 2 p.m. celebration of life service at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. The Revs. Wright Eavenson and Larry Garcia will officiate. Memorials may be made to Autoimmunity Research Inc., 3423 Hill Canyon Ave., Thousand Oaks, CA 91360. He died Monday (Feb. 4, 2008) at Kindred Lakeshore Hospital in Chicago. Mr. Milnes was a lab technician at CSL Behring. He was born June 2, 1953, in Columbus, Ind., the son of Clarence and Irene Taylor Milnes. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church and enjoyed bicycle racing, animals, camping, fishing, walking and traveling, and was a computer genius. Surviving are his wife, the former Sharon Roehn, whom he married June 16, 1973, in Clarksville, Ind.; one son, Edward W. Milnes of Bourbonnais; one daughter, Lynn Milnes and her fianc , Tim Cahan of Bourbonnais; and one sister, Rebecca Conrad of Columbus, Ind. Deceased are his parents and one brother, Chuck Milnes.

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“ *Dearest Sharon and Family: I pray for strength for you and your family in this time of sorrow. I am sending the biggest hug I have available to enfold you all. Blessings, in God's love, Flypal Faye*##imported-begin##*Faye Hoffman*##imported-end##

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“ *My deepest condolences to the Milnes family. i ½ Morris was a gentle and kind-hearted man who will be missed. i ½*

##imported-begin##*Donna Howell*##imported-end##

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“ *My sincere condonlences to you and your family. I have been praying for you all.*##imported-begin##*Joyce*##imported-end##

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“ Morris was a great encourager for me and I enjoyed his friendship. I look forward to meeting him face to face in heaven. I am praying for our glorious Saviour to give the family peace that passes all understanding.##imported-begin##Rev. Dennis J. Hankins##imported-end##

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“ Hi Sharon...I want you to know you and your daughter are in my prayers during this time. i½I didn't know Morris..but I've known you a short period of time, and have been so inspired by you. i½

I love you, Sharon!

Hugs

Lane##imported-begin##Lane Flowers##imported-end##

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“ You are all in my thoughts and prayers as you travel this road. i½Morris will forever be watching and his hand will guide you when possible. i½Keep your heads high and your heart open and he will always be here.

Love N Huggles

Amy##imported-begin##Amy Orr##imported-end##

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“ Morris was a great friend and roommate. i½I will cherish the many wonderful memories of our college days and will miss him very much. i½Sharon and the family are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Larry Melton##imported-end##

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“ May you find comfort in the arms of Jesus

...my prayers and thoughts are with you.##imported-begin##Dorene Kleba##imported-end##

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“ I had the pleasure of working with Morris for many years. ĩ½In my time that I knew him, he was always a gentle and compassionate individual. ĩ½We shared a mutual love for birds and I will always cherish our time together at Centeon. ĩ½He will be missed!##imported-begin##Kinnari (Shah) Saraiya##imported-end##

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“ Although it's been 4 years since working at Centeon, Aventis, ZLB/ZLB Behring, Morris and I spent many a late night and early morning working together in the lab. ĩ½He was quite a character and one of the most memorable people I've ever worked with. ĩ½I'm sure he's making someone upstairs laugh right now. ĩ½It was a privilege to know you Morris.##imported-begin##Frank Romano##imported-end##

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“ MY SWEET, SWEET SHARON. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOU FAMILIES AT THIS TERRIBLE TIME.

BUT MORRIS HURTS NO MORE AND CAN EAT AND BREATHE GREAT WHERE HE IS.

I WISH I COULD BE THERE AT THE SERVICE JUST TO HUG YOU AND SAY GOODBYE TO A SWEET MAN I NEVER GOT TO MEET.

MAIL ME ANYTIME...EVEN IF YOU JUST NEED TO VENT OR CALL ME. I'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU.

LOVE IN THE LORD.

CHAR###imported-begin###CHAR NEACE###imported-end##

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“ Sharon:

Even though I don't personally know you or Morris, I feel that I do just through the Nascar Group. ĩ½My thoughts and prayers are with You and Your Family during this difficult time. ĩ½Even though you will miss Morris terribly, know that he is in a much, much better place and will suffer no more.

Hugs,

Sue###imported-begin###Susan Amoruso###imported-end##

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. ĩ½We are here to support you whenever you need a shoulder. ĩ½((((HUGS))))###imported-begin###Jennifer Tapp###imported-end##

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“ Sharon

I know you throw the group

I'm so sorry Take care

Charlene

###imported-begin###Charlene Griffith###imported-end##

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“ I didn't know Morris only through Sharon. But I know what she felt for him and that meant he must have been a wonderful person. My prayers are with hime and his family##imported-begin##Cheryle Switzer##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to your family, though there has been a few miles and some time put between us. i¿½Their are so many great memories and stories that come to mind as I sit here wondering what to say in remembrance of this man. i¿½I have to giggle under my heavy heart with alot of the stories that come flashing through my mind. Ed and I were quite adventureous and Morris had to come to the rescue on many occasion. i¿½Between ferrets, parrots, stuck accelerators, blown engines, camp grounds, moving oversized arcade games, out of undersized apartments, and long talks he and I shared when the rest of the family was fast asleep. i¿½He will be missed. i¿½My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Jim Africano

##imported-begin##Jim Africano##imported-end##

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“ NULL##imported-begin##Carrie Stone##imported-end##

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“ I know Morris was very dedicated to everyone. i¿½Praying for all.##imported-begin##Kathleen Liska##imported-end##

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“ Sharon,

I am vacationing in Florida, and just read the newspaper. I was shocked and very saddened to read about Morris. My thoughts and prayers are with you. With deepest sympathy,

Dianne
Dianne Nelson-Newberry

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“ I had the joy of working with Morris from 1988 to 2000. Anyone who had the pleasure of knowing him cannot help but smile when thinking of his kind nature. He was a treasure and a truly unique character.

Donna (Thorne) Lonesky

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“ I had the joy of working with Morris for many years. He was uniquely talented and passionate in so many areas. He was most passionate about his family, his animals, and his reading. Had he not been a chemist, he could have done stand-up comedy. He was quite the storyteller. He'll be missed.

Art Fox

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“ My thoughts and prayers continue to be with you during this time of grief.

Paula Bundy

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“ Sharon, Ed, and Lynn;

Our prayers are with you and your family right now in your time of greif. Words can not express how sorry we are for you loss.

Morris was a special person and he will be missed.

Rob and Tonya

Rob, Ryan, and Tyler###imported-begin###Rob and Tonya Garst (and family)###imported-end##

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“ Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Words are never enough at a time like this but I want you to know that I am thinking about you.

Hugs,
Dorothy###imported-begin###Dorothy & Dennis Petrie###imported-end##

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“ Morris, we never met but I read your MP postings regularly. It was the early MP pioneers like you that gave us late comers hope. Let us hope that one day folks won't have to suffer needlessly with these dreadful diseases.

You will be missed by all of us in the MP family.

Now, go rest high on that mountain ...

The_Seeker###imported-begin###Handle: The_Seeker###imported-end##

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“ Morris, You will be sorely missed by all of us on MP...but I know you are enjoying your time with Jesus. I'll see you there someday.

Sharon, Tracee and son....you all hang in there...I am there for you, if you need to talk or just to cry to.

I love you all.

Barney###imported-begin###Bonita (Barney) Neher###imported-end###

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“ Although I did not know Morris, my mother was very fond of him. i ½She always talked about him and jsut knew he and his wife, Sharon would come visit this summer.

Know that God is here to comfort and guide you during your time of mourning.

May He give you the strength and courage for everything that may come your way.

Again, my deepest sympathy.

###imported-begin###T. Morris###imported-end###

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“ I never met Morris in person; his family's love and caring for him through his illness and his hospitalization were deeply moving to me. I am sure he will be much missed and was deeply loved by all who knew him!###imported-begin###Laura B, Robinson###imported-end###

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“ When we think about Morris we can't help but smile. We enjoyed our times together, our Bible studies, and listening to Sharon and Morris' funny stories. Morris will truly be missed. Sharon, we pray that God gives you strength in the days ahead. ĩ½We love you, Kristi and Larry###imported-begin###Kristi and Larry Garcia###imported-end##

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“ Friend Morris, be at peace. ĩ½I will miss your wit and humor. ĩ½To the family, remember to breathe. ĩ½I am making an effort to breathe without tears. ĩ½

I will not be able to have a "wildlife" siting without thinking of Morris. He is now fighting for the rest of us from above.

Sandy in Oregon (MP)###imported-begin###Sandy###imported-end##

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“ It just doesn't seem the same without Morris on the MP site...He was always there cheering me on whether it was a suggestion or just a "cheering you on" if I made a wee bit of progress. ĩ½Both myself and Dr. Jay are deeply saddened by this loss. ĩ½Morris will be dearly remembered always on site and I hope that we will continue to make him proud as we all continue our battle against this very misunderstood disease! ĩ½My fondest thoughts to you all,

Deb Grabetz ĩ½Monroe, Michigan###imported-begin###Deb Grabetz###imported-end##

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“ Morris was a mighty fighter. And mighty fun man to get to i½know, albeit through a web site. Even there, his obviously strong personality shone through without any problem. So many folks, including me, followed his journey, his wise words, and his beloved observations of nature that spoke to the heart. I also read his other site and got to know his family some through that. Always written about with sincere love and a sense of humor.

Morris was missed already when he didn't write every day, so to say he is missed now is an aggregious understatement. I am so sorry and upset that the medical community let him down. That's just something that he himself would never do.

He went through far too much with his illness (as is so for chronically ill people), but he always had his loving family. In that, he was so fortunate.

I now weep for you the family and weep for the lost years of Morris. I know time will ease the pain, but my prayers are and will remain with you as you mourn and then readjust your lives.

We will remember Morris not as ill, but as a good, wise, funny, strong, sensitive, and generous soul. Loved by many.

God bless you and take care of you,

Alayne###imported-begin###Alayne###imported-end###

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“ Morris will be greatly missed.###imported-begin###Paula Goodwin###imported-end###

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“ Please accept my family's condolences during the loss of Morris. Please know that you are in our prayers and our thoughts. God Bless You###imported-begin###Meredith Anno###imported-end###

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