



## Mr. Alan Lee Milliken

November 25, 1948 - July 13, 2023

Mr. Alan Lee Milliken, age 74, passed away, Thursday, July 13, 2023, in Pensacola, FL. He was born, November 25, 1948 in Steubenville, OH; and later in life moved to Stroudsburg, PA, and has resided the past 20 years in Cantonment, FL. He retired as an Independent Supply Chain Consultant with many years of service.

Mr. Milliken loved spending time with his family, friends and keeping in touch with his old classmates (ECHS Class of 66). He was a very well-traveled, with his job and pleasure. He loved going to the casino's and he liked dancing at William Station Day. Back in the day he would sneak out of the house to go watch others drag race. He was an avid Auburn Tiger Fan..." War Eagle."

He is preceded in death by his parents, Vincent (Miriam Luker) Milliken, one brother, Larry Milliken, Sr; and one sister, Rhonda Kinney.

He is survived by his loving wife of 46 years, Elizabeth Milliken, of Cantonment, FL; two sons, Mark Alan Milliken, of Riverview, FL; Roger Lee Milliken, of Cantonment, FL; other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 22, 2023, at 10:00 AM at Petty-Eastside Chapel Funeral Home, LLC. with Rev. Bill Stuckey officiating.

Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Saturday, July 22, 2023 from 9:00 AM until service time 10:00 AM at Petty-Eastside Chapel Funeral Home, LLC.

Pallbearers will be Hunter Milliken, Tyson Milliken, Nicholas Mascona, Jackson Mascona, Jimmy Everett, and Joe Mitchem.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made by mail to one of Alan's favorite social services organizations, the United Way of SW Ala 218 St. Francis St. Mobile, AL. 36602

Petty-Eastside Chapel Funeral Home, LLC. Atmore, AL. is in charge of all arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Hill Cemetery

1201 North Main Street  
Atmore, AL 36502

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 22. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Petty Funeral Homes LLC  
9260 US-31  
Atmore, AL 36502  
(251) 368-4540  
eastsidechapel@hotmail.com  
<http://www.pettyfuneralhomes.com>

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

MS

“ We are heartbroken to hear of Alan's passing and are so appreciative of how he put his heart and great expertise into creating impactful education curricula for students. God bless you and thank you for all that you have done, Alan.

- Monica Sadie

VEDP-International Trade

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**Monica Sadie** - August 04, 2023 at 10:41 AM

DH

“ Dear Alan,

*Thank you very much for the great time that we were able to spend with you as colleagues and as participants in your training sessions. Thank you for everything we learned from you and what we were able to experience with you! Thank you for the many fun evenings with stories about your muscle cars, road trips and your family! We'll never forget how you enjoyed entering the dance floor(s). We are very sad. Rest in peace! Our thoughts are with your family and friends.*

*Daniela & Stephan Hörsch (colleagues from BASF, Ludwigshafen, Germany)*

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**Daniela Hörsch** - July 28, 2023 at 10:07 AM

SL

“ This is such sad news and I wish the family all the support and strength to get through this difficult time. My sincere condolences. Alan, I will miss you too. I will always remember you as a very warm and happy person, with tons of experience both professional and personal. You were at your best when you combined theoretical knowledge with the many many practical examples and anecdotes from your personal (BASF) experience. Training was your passion and you were one of the best teachers I ever met. I learned so much from you. I will never forgot our last dinner together in a nice restaurant in Deidesheim, now already too long ago. We talked bout your time in Mexico for BASF, your passion for supply chain and APICS, the anecdotes about your muscle car(s), etc... I will always cherish these wonderful memories.

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**Sven Lucas** - July 27, 2023 at 07:25 AM

JT

“ This is a sad, sad loss.  
You were a fantastic teacher who loved both the topics and the people he taught so much that one simply couldn't resist the energy and just had to pay attention.

*And we are even more saddened to lose such a dear friend of many years (20 to be exact...July 2003 is when I moved in with you in Mexico City).*

*Rest in Peace, Alan!*

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**Janine and Sebastian Thelen** - July 27, 2023 at 03:07 AM

FR

“ Thanks Alan, for the good times we had and what we could achieve together. My thoughts are with your family. Rest in peace. I will remember your enthusiasm and dedication in what you did and your interest in people. I will miss you!

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**Frank** - July 25, 2023 at 05:42 AM

JZ

“ I am deeply saddened to hear about the passing of Alan. He was more than just a knowledgeable go-to person for supply chain discussions; he was warm-hearted and always ready to lend a helping hand. I fondly remember our talks about his time abroad, especially in Mexico, and his passion for muscle cars.

*His expertise in supply chain was undeniable, and he had a unique way of nurturing and supporting others, helping them grow both professionally and personally. He will be greatly missed, and his impact on those who knew him will never be forgotten. Jochen*

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**Jochen Zerm** - July 21, 2023 at 04:22 PM

DH

“ I am so sorry to hear about Alan's passing. I have very fond memories with him through APICS over the years across the globe. the highlight being a Safari trip after the SAPICS conference where we jointly conducted a workshop. the bush walks were unforgettable. His zest for travel, always telling a story, & trying new things will be remembered. He always beamed when he talked about the trips he had & was planning with his sons. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

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**Dave Hinchman** - July 20, 2023 at 05:30 PM

BC

“ My most sincere condolences to Alan's family. I knew Alan through APIS/ASCM for many years. He was a kind man, very intelligent, and a great communicator. He will be missed by the ASCM community, and I, personally, will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

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**Bob Collins** - July 20, 2023 at 10:39 AM

JF

“ *The last time I saw Alan was in Chicago at the ASCM Conference in 2018 - I was lucky enough to get him to myself and we had lunch together and it was so very good to be able to catch up with him. What an energetic force and so passionate about sharing his knowledge. One of the very best educators ever out there that's for sure. He was one of THE MOST popular speakers at the SAPICS Conference in South Africa where you could guarantee a full house and 5 out of 5 scores. Even in retirement he was still finding ways to get his message across and share his knowledge. At the ASCM conferences his sessions would often be early or late and always standing room only. What a Legend. Most importantly though was the pride he had for his family. He loved his family and was full of their news when we had lunch. What a special chap and I am so very grateful to have known him and to have introduced him to South Africa all those years ago. Thank you to his family for sharing him with us all.*

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**Jenny Froome** - July 20, 2023 at 08:46 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Alan Lee Milliken.*



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July 20, 2023 at 08:07 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Alan Lee Milliken.*

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July 20, 2023 at 08:07 AM

AN

“ I will always keep good memories of Alan's passion for his work and his students, his fun stories around Rock n' Roll, cars, travels and growing up in Alabama. You will be missed!

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**Anne** - July 20, 2023 at 03:40 AM

BM

“ This is very, very sad news. Alan was a great friend, outstanding BASF colleague and a special person. Always had a positive attitude, loved his international travel and was committed to promoting material management education. Most memorable are the many stories Alan would relive of his early years and his fast cars. We all will miss you my dear friend. Bill Munden.

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**Bill Munden** - July 19, 2023 at 08:08 PM

MR

“ I am so very sorry to hear this. I've known Alan for many years through APICS/ASCM. He was a delight to speak with and he will be greatly missed by the APICS/ASCM community.

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**Maryanne Ross** - July 19, 2023 at 02:40 PM

MS

“ I'm very saddened to hear about the passing of Alan. I had worked closely with Alan on several supply chain projects, here at BASF. My most memorable one was the Product Allocation tool we designed and supported together. I always appreciated Alan's knowledge, wit and humor. God speed on your continued journey!



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**Michael Silverstein** - July 19, 2023 at 12:28 PM

SL

“ I met Alan the first time in Germany in 2009 and since then we worked together for 10 years. He came over to Germany very often to teach the classes I organized for him. Everyone was amazed by the stories and anecdotes he was able to tell – not only his “pupils”, but his colleagues, too. I will always remember his great passion for cars, music, travelling and teaching, his kindness and his smile. Ciao, Alan, fai buon viaggio! Stefania

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**Stefania Lanfranchini** - July 19, 2023 at 03:04 AM

FL

“ Alan, you’re on the perpetual Pacific Coast Hwy in one of your favorite sports cars with the top-down listening to the Beach Boys’ “I Get Around.” I’ll miss our long talks about family, sports, and politics. I am blessed to have worked with you over the years and I’ll always treasure the times we had together. God bless you and your family my friend. Keep Cruising!

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**Frank Leggio** - July 18, 2023 at 06:08 PM

JA

“ Alan was a great and happy person! I will never forget our long discussions about Supply Chain, cars and family in Mexico City, NJ and even in Germany! Rest in peace my dear friend! You will be missed! Javier

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**Javier** - July 18, 2023 at 04:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Alan Lee Milliken.

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July 18, 2023 at 04:23 PM

BL

“ Alan loved his classmates — and he was loved in return. The quiet, smart boy we knew at ECHS absolutely blossomed as he went off to Auburn and then to Clemson for his Masters Degree. With two diplomas, he was ready to tackle the world with the education his mother thought was so important for him. She made sure that Allen didn't graduate with piles of student loans to pay off.

*She worked for Judge Rozelle, at aHolman Correctional Facility, where she was the first female Sargent, and she worked at Vanity Fair, I believe — all to ensure Alan's education would culminate debt free. Alan also worked everyday after school and on Saturdays.*

*I can't help but feel he is where he is happiest, reunited with his mother, brother, and younger sister, who died only five days before he did.*

*As we mourn for Alan, let us remember Alan's mother who helped give him the education that served him so well in life. He would be the first to say he led a life that was blessed. He worked hard, always was off to some new piece of the world and meeting the locals, and always, always looking for the best in people, no matter where he was.*

*May Alan Milliken rest in God's hand, always.*

*Bonnie Bartel Latino  
ECHS Class of 1966  
Atmore, AL*

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**Bonnie Latino** - July 18, 2023 at 03:46 PM

KM

“ Alan was a great colleague to work with. He was always excited to share his knowledge and pay it forward. He truly enjoyed life and made everyone around him happier for having known him! - Kim Monske

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**Kimberly Monske** - July 18, 2023 at 12:01 PM