



## David MacFadden

October 28, 1945 - August 25, 2011

David Jayson MacFadden, 65, of Rogers, Arkansas, died August 25, 2011, at Mercy Medical Center, Rogers, Arkansas. Born October 28, 1945 in Quincy, Illinois, he was the son of Merven Jayson MacFadden and Christina Jessup MacFadden. He grew up in Siloam Springs and moved back to the area 35 years ago, after living in Jacksonville, Florida. He was a sheetrock hanger. David was a Cub Scout and Boy Scout leader for 8 years. He married Connie Young on May 29, 1965 at the Highfill Baptist Church, Highfill, Arkansas. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church in Rogers, Arkansas. He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Jerry MacFadden and one sister, Betty Neeley. Survivors include his wife Connie of the home; one daughter, Betty MacFadden and husband Shawn Szekely of Springdale, Arkansas; two sons, David Jayson MacFadden II of Siloam Springs, and Aaron Jay MacFadden of Rogers; five grandchildren, Keziah DeVore, Nalani Szekely, Zara Wright, Michael Wright and Celes Fleischer; nephews and nieces, Patrick, Mary, Kathleen, Stephen and Matthew. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Monday, August 29, 2011, at Wasson Memorial Chapel, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs. Visitation will be 4:00 to 6:00 p.m., Sunday, August 28, 2011, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs.

# Tribute Wall

RO

“ David McFadden was always good to me as a kid growing up.He was kind and tolerant of all the younger kids.He was a talented athlete as a football player and a swimmer.He had broad shoulders and a hugh chest.Eveytime David's name comes up in a conversation,my brother Bob always brings up the time David fasinated us at the City Pool.Bob and I were setting on the south end of the pool.Dave swam up to us to visit awhile and during our conversation it came up that he could swim the length of the pool and back "underwater".Dave was probably 16 then.Sure enough he pushed of the wall and swam to the north end and back,all the way underwater.That was just one example of his athleticism that I'll never forget.Dave came by my store a few months back.That was the last time I saw him alive.He said,"I want you to do me a favor.Be a pallbearer at my funeral".I was caught of guard but ofcourse I agreed to his request.It has been a honor and a blessing to have David as a friend.Even though we haven't spent much time together these later years,I never failed to tell him know how much he meant to my brother and me as we were growing up in Siloam Springs.I will miss my FRIEND.

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**Roger Osbourn** - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

BV

“ i remember david as a nice guy with a silent and unique sense of humor. my thoughts and prayers are with him and his family.

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**buddy villines** - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

JG

“ We only knew David from brief encounters, but he was the love of Connie's life. His loss will undoubtedly be felt by the family and his friends. Our sincere condolences to everyone in David's life. We know he is in a better place, free of the frustrations and discomfort this life brought him lately. He will live on in the hearts and memories of his beloved family. May his family gain strength from life to carry them forward as David would want.

*Joe and Marsha Ganem*

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**Joe and Marsha Ganem** - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

CS

“ My condolences to the family. David was a good friend and classmate. All of you are in my thoughts at this time.

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**Conrad Sawyer** - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM

JH

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of my SSHS65 classmate David . . . My prayers and thoughts are with you, Connie, and with your family.

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**jim huskins** - September 19, 2012 at 11:24 AM