



Dick McCartney

August 18, 1927 - March 9, 2009

Richard Thomas McCartney, 81 year-old resident of Gentry, Arkansas, died March 9, 2009 at Siloam Springs Memorial Hospital. Born August 18, 1927 in Altus, Arkansas, he was the son of Herbert and Carrie Adcock McCartney. Richard married Barbara Anne Treadwell on October, 1, 1947 in Westfork, Arkansas. He worked with the Oklahoma and Texas Baptist Conventions and was president of Arthur Davenport & Assoc, Inc. in Oklahoma City. He was a member of the John Brown University Board of Trustees. Richard was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his wife, Barbara; two daughters, Judy McCullough and husband John of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Kathy Hancock and husband John of Albuquerque, New Mexico; one son, Michael McCartney and wife Joyce of Edmond, Oklahoma; two brothers, Earl McCartney of Sarasota, Florida, Al McCartney of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; one sister Betsy Hicklin of Chilicothe, Missouri; seven grandchildren and one great grandchild. A memorial service will be held 10:00 am, Friday, March 13, 2009 at First Baptist Church, Siloam Springs, Arkansas with Dr. Steve Abbott officiating. Visitation will be 4:00 to 7:00 pm, Wednesday, March 11, 2009 at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. In honor of his remembrance, a memorial scholarship has been established at John Brown University. Gifts may be made to the "McCartney Scholarship Fund" and mailed in care of John McCullough, John Brown University, Siloam Springs, AR 72761.

Tribute Wall

LC

“ Barbara, Judy, & John --

My memories of the McCartney family go back to the early days of my childhood. I have fond memories of seeing and being with Judy & her family yearly at Homecoming events on campus. Along with my Dad, Heaven now has another broadcaster to its claim. What a reunion that must have been -- our Dads and Jesus!!

Treasuring my memories --

Lucy

Lucy (Kennedy) Cundiff - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

GW

“ We are praying for you.

Greg and Gail Walters - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JG

“ Dear Barbara, Judy, John, & other family members,

This is to let you know how much I valued Dick's friendship through our mutual connections with JBU.

I appreciated his many talents and his overall approach to life. He was definitely a "touch of class."

And Barbara, what a beautiful tribute you wrote about Dick. What a blessing it was to read your thoughts.

Know that we're praying for all of you and we are asking that the God of all comfort will be with all of you in the days ahead.

In His abiding love...Jan Goring

Jan Lancaster Goring - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JM

“ *Judy and John,
We are sorry to hear of your father's passing-Judy- our prayers will be with you and your family through this tough time. It is wonderful to hear that he is now with his Savior- can you imagine who all he has seen by now? We've been there and so we will keep you in our prayers. We love you all! In Him, Carol and Jess*

Jess and Carol Moorman - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

DC

“ *Dear Friends,
I served as Trustee Chairman of the Southern Baptist Radio & Television Commission when Dr. McCartney was on Staff there. He was a great Christian gentleman and I will always cherish the warmth of his personality and the wisdom of his leadership. May God's grace surround you in these days. Dr. Mickey Castleberry*

Dr. Mickey Castleberry - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

PW

“ *Dick must have been a very great man. His daughter, Kathy Hancock, and her family are the "salt of the earth". Children grow this way when they are raised by parents who Jesus and follow His ways. I am so sorry for your loss, but I know your memories are sweet and you will be joined again in heaven!*

Pat Willis - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

GM

“ On behalf of the Albuquerque 99s, I would like to send our condolences to Kathy and her extended family. We know how important family is to Kathy so we know how hard it is for her to loose someone who holds a piece of her heart. Just be comforted by the fact that he is at the feet of the Master now. God Bless and Keep you all.

Greta Moore
Chapter Chair
Albuquerque 99s

Greta Moore - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

DP

“ We're so sorry for your loss. We've admired Dick for many years and are saddened by his loss. He was a large part of the FBC Family. Love and condolences to Barbara and the rest of the family.

David and Donna Pickle - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JN

“ Our condolences to Judy, John and their family in this time of loss.
Jim & Karen Naramore

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BM

“ Working with Dick on the Baptist Messenger in the 1980s was a treat. He was an excellent journalism, skilled communicator and a credit to his profession.
My condolences to Barbara and the other family members.

Bob Mathews - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

DJ

“ Our very deepest sympathy for your loss. Dick was a long time loyal member of the JBU community.

Dr. John E. & Louise Brown, Jr - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

RC

“ My first contact with the JBU Board was a phone call from Dick asking me to consider joining the Board. That began my relationship with Dick McCartney, a man I looked up to and admired. Often, in our ongoing discussions, I would ask him to fill in the background when we as a Board were considering certain decisions. He was always a true gentleman and an upstanding follower of Christ. My sympathies go to the family in their time of loss. Peace, Robert Cupp

Robert V. Cupp - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

SR

“ One of the things I will miss about Mr. McCartney is his voice. When he speaks at church his voice is so powerful.

Sheila Reynolds - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BH

“ In addition to the many ways Dick made a difference at church, Bob and I enjoyed seeing you and Dick at Taco Bell for lunch. Dick was a fine man who will be missed. We will be praying for you and your family.

Bob and Rachel Haddon - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

LC

“ Barbara you are in our prays and our thoughts during this difficult time. Dick was a very special person. If you ever need anything we are here for you. Shad and Lesia Conrad

Lesia Conrad - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

LF

“ Dear Barbara,
I was so shocked to hear of Dick's passing.

Sunday morning before he read the scriptures in worship services, he came down and sit in the pew in front of me and turned around with that big smile and shook my hand and said "Hello, Lavada, how are you this morning" Then replied to me: "I am just fine, thank-you"

I know he is in heaven now with the one who he has served many years.

God bless you and keep you Barbara and family.

Lavada Ford - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JT

“ From JBU days until now, Dick has been an effective and faithful servant of the Lord. My best, John T,

John V. Terry - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

MO

“ Heaven has a new amazing person living in it. God bless Mr. McCartney's family, thank you for the wonderful father, he was to give us amazing people like Judy.

Mirna Ordonez - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

MJ

“ To the McCartney Family-
Mr. and Mrs. McCartney made us feel so welcomed when we moved here in 2005. Your father, Mr. McCartney has helped us with our yard work, visiting with us and sharing his christian spirit--We will miss him so much! May God Bless all of you at this time!
Sincerely,
Mike and Susan Juillerat

Mike and Susan Juillerat - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

NP

“ Dick was always an encouragement---someone I enjoyed being with.

Nick Petelski

Nick & Robyn Petelski - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

WB

“ Dr. McCartney was a wonderful example of a person dedicated to and used by the Lord. His life demonstrated the Lord's indwelling and guidance day by day.

His JBU Board of Trustee service revealed his gracious nature along with his intellectual discernment.

His passing is a great loss. He will be greatly missed!

Wm. J. (Bill) Berry - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

JL

“ *Judy and John-*

Judy-I am so sorry about your father's passing. But I know he is in a much better place in Glory with our Lord. I wish I were there to be with you. Just know that I love and care for you and am praying for you and your mom and your family. I know this is a really hard time for you. But I pray that you will feel the arms of Jesus surrounding your and feel His presence with you during this hard time. Many Blessings to you.

Joe and Marie LeGrand - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM

BJ

“ *I was sitting on the lake fishing when Marilyn called to tell me about Dick. My eyes filled with tears. He was there for me when I had my operations..encouraging me and praying for me. I hold to the promises of our Lord not to mourn as those who have no hope for I know that Brother Dick is with our Lord now.*

It reminds me how temporary this life on Earth is. It also reminds me of Jesus' words "I am the way the truth and the life". Dick has been a faithful servant and is now receiving his rewards.

I will miss Dick very much. We are praying for all the family.

Bill Jackson (and Marilyn)

Bill and Marilyn Jackson - September 19, 2012 at 11:28 AM