



Johnny Max McKain

July 12, 1949 - January 24, 2021

Johnny Max McKain, 71 year old resident of Gentry, Arkansas, died on January 24, 2021 at Washington Regional Medical Center in Fayetteville, Arkansas. He was born on July 12, 1949 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma to Roy V. McKain and Wanza Vogelmuth McKain. Johnny graduated from Gentry High School. He joined the United States Army and was stationed in Korea during the Vietnam War. Johnny married Carolyn Sullivan on July 26, 1968 in Gentry, Arkansas. He worked at a coal handler at SWEPCO. Johnny loved to work on, ride, and drive, trucks and motorcycles. He was a member of Orchard View Church in Colcord, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother.

He is survived by his wife, Carolyn of the home; son, Jon McKain of Gentry; daughter, Jodee McKain of Gentry; and four grandchildren.

Memorial services will be 2:00 p.m., Friday, January 29, 2021 at Gentry Cemetery with Pastor Greg Baskin officiating. His pallbearer for the service will be his ride, "Clyde." Memorial contributions may be made to Orchard View Church, 433 S. Larmon, Colcord, OK 74338.

Cemetery Details

Gentry Cemetery

Gentry Cemetery
Gentry, AR 72734

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN **29**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Gentry Cemetery
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Tribute Wall

DS

“ *What a great family to be neighbors with all the years growing up in Gentry. Johnny was always there close by working on a home project or one of the neat old trucks he had down thru the years. He raised a fine family. He helped make our neighborhood feel like home. He will be missed. Dale&Nancy Shafer.*

Dale Shafer - January 30, 2021 at 09:12 PM

SC

“ *John was an incredible friend to our family, he spent many years keeping my dad occupied after his retirement and helping him so many times in his shop, riding with him to keep him company on several trips, being by his side when my family was ill, and when we lost family, and just being a positive and loving friend of my dad and our entire family. Our family was blessed by his fellowship, and kindness during many great and hard times. We will forever be grateful for his presence in our lives, and his families. Our deepest condolences and prayers for such a beautiful family and friends. Praying for your strength in this difficult time.*



Sheryl Powell Culpepper - January 29, 2021 at 03:27 PM

LH

“ *So very sorry for your loss, a very nice man. Prayers for family and friends .*



Linda Holt - January 28, 2021 at 09:28 PM

MH

“ I grew up in Elm Springs with Johnny. Hard working family . When they moved we didn't stay in touch much. He would stop by WSE shop in Elm Springs when he was over that way. We were talking one day and he shared with me he had accepted Jesus as his Saviour and Lord. Johnny my friend I will see you in heaven one day. Mike Hale

Michael Hale - January 28, 2021 at 01:57 PM

BS

“ Beverly Saunders lit a candle in memory of Johnny Max McKain



Beverly Saunders - January 28, 2021 at 01:45 PM

DO

“ Dorene lit a candle in memory of Johnny Max McKain



Dorene - January 28, 2021 at 01:15 AM

MC

“ Members of IBEW Local 386 Flint Creek purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Basket for the family of Johnny Max McKain.



Members of IBEW Local 386 Flint Creek - January 27, 2021 at 12:05 PM

JH

“ Johnny was one of the finest men I ever knew. A guy you wanted to spend a lot more time with than time allowed. He was always willing to help with anything he could. His shop was a man's hang out where you could learn a little about working on motorcycles or trucks or whatever else, and he always had a cold soda in the fridge. He even came to my house to help work on my car one time.

When Johnny ask Jesus to be his Lord and Savior we all got to watch a man fall in love with God and do anything he could to serve others. His homegoing we celebrate but there will be an empty spot in our lives that Johnny used to fill. Welcome home Johnny McKain to your heavenly father. All of the Holmes family will be remembering friends and family in our prayers in the coming days, weeks, and months ahead.

Jimmy Holmes - January 27, 2021 at 11:57 AM

BS

“ Brooke Shelley lit a candle in memory of Johnny Max McKain



Brooke Shelley - January 27, 2021 at 11:22 AM

FA

“ Flint Creek Power Plant - Gentry, AR purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Johnny Max McKain.



Flint Creek Power Plant - Gentry, AR - January 27, 2021 at 08:40 AM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 27, 2021 at 07:59 AM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 27, 2021 at 07:55 AM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 26, 2021 at 08:11 PM



“ *Dearest Kate and family, my heart is breaking for you 💔. Johnny was one terrific guy and we will miss him at our reunions. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm sure he and Steve are together talking about pretty much everything. My love to you all.*

Tracey Williams - January 26, 2021 at 07:59 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 26, 2021 at 05:33 PM



“ *Butch and Brenda Wilkerson purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



Butch and Brenda Wilkerson - January 26, 2021 at 12:04 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 26, 2021 at 09:08 AM



“ *Renea Ellis lit a candle in memory of Johnny Max McKain*



Renea Ellis - January 26, 2021 at 09:01 AM

LG

“ *Lynne Glass lit a candle in memory of Johnny Max McKain*



Lynne Glass - January 26, 2021 at 08:56 AM

BS

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of John's passing. So many great and happy memories of being with him and the rest of the family when Ben and I lived in Gentry. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

Betty Southerland - January 26, 2021 at 08:21 AM

LH

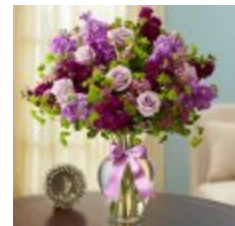
“ *Jodee & family....I am so sorry for your loss. May your memories & God's love bring you peace, comfort & strength at this difficult time. Death takes the body. God takes the soul. Our mind holds the memories. Our heart keeps the love. Our faith lets us know we will meet again.*



Lana Hurt - January 26, 2021 at 07:11 AM



“ *Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of Johnny Max McKain.*



January 25, 2021 at 08:03 PM