



## Mr. Tommy McNair

April 18, 1953 - December 23, 2014

Memorial services for Mr. Tommy McNair, 61, of Carthage, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, December 27, 2014 at the First Baptist Church in Carthage with Dr. Allen Tilley and Rev. Buddy Briggs officiating. Visitation will be prior to the services from 9-10:00 a.m. Services are under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Mr. McNair passed away December 23, 2014 at his home in Carthage.

Mr. Tommy Garvin McNair was born April 18, 1953 in Carthage, Texas to the marriage of Hugh Garvin and Maudie Roarke McNair. Tommy was raised and schooled in Carthage and attended Panola College. Mr. McNair worked for many years as an oil and gas technician for Southern Petroleum, was a member of Southside Baptist Church, loved reading and was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan. He is preceded in death by his parents and his three siblings, Norman Ray, L.D. and Vernon Nichols.

Mr. McNair is survived by his children, Lindsey Jackson and husband Jay of Katy, Ryan McNair and fiancé Nicollette of New Caney and Colton McNair of Carthage; grandchild, Autumn Jackson; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of friends.

If desired, memorials may be made in Mr. McNair's name to HeartsWay Hospice, 437 W. Panola, Carthage, Texas 75633.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Carthage  
256 S Market St.  
Carthage, TX

## Service

DEC 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

KW

“ *T-Mac was such a great person to be around and it was a privilege to have known him. He will be missed. God bless his family during this time in their lives. Prayers will be with them.* ”

Kevin Waldrop - January 01, 2015 at 10:15 PM

RH

“ *I will miss T-Mac. He was a good man with a huge heart.* ”

Robert Hunter - December 26, 2014 at 06:28 PM

JD

“ *Lindsey, Ryan and Colton,  
You are in our thoughts and prayers. Your Dad was a very special man to all who knew him. He always had a sweet smile and spirit about him. You cherish his memory. May God be with you today and in the days to come.  
With love,  
Jerry and Pat (Edens) Dorman  
Proverbs 17:17* ”



Jerry Dorman - December 26, 2014 at 01:48 PM

DG

“ *Debbie Gruver lit a candle in memory of Mr. Tommy McNair* ”



Debbie Gruver - December 25, 2014 at 09:51 PM

DG

*I would sincerely like to pay my condolences to the McNair family and let them know how sorry I am for their loss. I had know idea and I know it's hard at any time, but especially at Christmas. I do know how proud your Mother is of you Colton, the same as I hear everyone else speak. You honored your father the way a son should, and he will always be with you an just as proud of you in death and he was in life. Tommy was a gentle soul and a kind, considerate man and would do anything for anyone if it were possible. Rest In Peace Tommy.  
"Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, Love leaves a memory no on can steal."*

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**Debbie Gruver** - December 25, 2014 at 10:09 PM

JM

*“ Words cannot express the amount of joy that Tommy brought into my life. He was a caring man who always put the needs of his kids over his own. He was a warrior. A kindred spirit who served mightily in the name of our lord and savior. He always had a smile on his face and was always humble. Tommy, taught me a lot about being an adult. He taught me how to be humble, to care for others needs and to always keep my head up. He was a soft spoken man... However, when he spoke, we listened. We always would talk about wrestling and football. Current events too! He was an awesome father figure who I admired deeply. He embraced me as one of his own and the amount of love he shared with me is something that I will always cherish.*

*On behalf of the McCauley family, I want to send my thoughts and prayers to my best friend's family and fellow friends. Tommy is the epitome of a wonderful human. If I grow up to be half the man he was, I know I will make him proud!*

*I love you guys!*

*- Jonathan McCauley*

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**Jonathan McCauley** - December 25, 2014 at 12:52 AM

MM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family. I pray for comfort for you all through these holidays. Colton is such an incredible young man, and I pray that he knows how special a gift that he gave to his Daddy. Peace to your hearts.*

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**Mari Miller** - December 24, 2014 at 05:46 PM

LB

“ *Spending the last few weeks with Tommy is something that Carl and I will treasure. Tommy was such a gentle soul and someone who fought with such Grace and Dignity and who never once complained. We will forever remember the special times that we shared years ago at family Thanksgivings and Christmas's. Tommy always was and always will be remembered as a very special Brother-n-Law. This man was always worried about how everyone else was doing and not so much about what the future held for him. We never left his hospital room or his home when he didn't reach out for our hand and tell us how very much he loved us. As I close I would like to tell Colton what an incredible job he has done for his daddy. Colton you have had to indure so much as a 21 year old and you are to be commended for taking care of your daddy the way you have. Tommy had the very best son in the world to take care of him. I know he was so very proud of you and I also know you will miss him dearly. Please know that you are very special to us and that we will always be here for you. In closing I ask each one of you to lift this family up at this very difficult time in their lives particularly during this Holiday Season. Tommy thanks for the memories !!! With All Our Love Carl & Lori Bardwell and Families ...*

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**Lori Bardwell** - December 24, 2014 at 09:38 AM