



Bill J. McCormick

August 20, 1923 - July 25, 2010

Bill J. McCormick, 86, of Wapakoneta, died 6:07 a.m., Sun. July 25, 2010, at St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. He was born Aug. 20, 1923, in Waynesfield, OH, the son of Robert Pearl & Lola Ann (Hutchison) McCormick, who preceded him in death. On June 19, 1923, he married Glenna M. Orphal, and she survives in Wapakoneta. Other survivors include, a daughter, Sandra (Thomas) Harrison, Wapakoneta, 3 grandchildren, Heather L. (Ramone) Pretelini, Chad (Stephanie) Harrison, Justin (Casey) Harrison, 2 great grandchildren, Analisa & Gianna Pretelini, 3 nephews, Graydon (Mary) McCormick, North Andover, ME, Clifford (June) McCormick, Milbridge, ME, Jeff (Judy) Orphal, Wapakoneta, a niece, Amy (Scott) Bailey, AL, brothers-in-law & sisters-in-law, John (Helen) Orphal, Ocala, FL, Doris (Ken) Weber, Wapakoneta, several cousins. He was preceded in death by a brother, Graydon Hugo McCormick. Bill was a member of First English Lutheran Church, Wapakoneta. He was a graduate of Waynesfield High School and attended the University of Chicago. A veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps, he served during W.W. II. He was a 50 year member of Hamer Lodge, #167, F. & A.M., and a member of the Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Aerie #691, and the former B.P.O.E., #1170, all of Wapakoneta. He was also a member of the American Legion, Post #96, Lima. He was a charter member of the Wapakoneta Country Club, and a founding member of the Auglaize Co. Humane Society, where he served as humane agent for 20 years starting in 1988. Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Thurs. July 29, 2010, at the Bayliff

& Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, Pastor Steven Nelson officiating. Burial is to follow in the St. Matthews Cemetery, near Cridersville. The family will receive friends 5-8 p.m., Wed. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Auglaize Co. Humane Society.

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Glenna and Sandy: Deepest sympathies. I enjoyed working with Bill and both of you at the furniture store many years ago. He was a lovely man.*

Denise McCullough Pondel - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

PM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Pellar Miller - Honda R&D*

Pellar Miller - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

TC

“ *Thank you Bill for helping all of us. We love you and will miss you*

The dogs and cats - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

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“ *Glenna & Family- Our condolences go out to you. Wayne & Cathy*

R. Wayne Gilroy & Cathy Ogden - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

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“ *Bill was such a pillar of the community, with that perennial smile and always ready handshake to everyone he met. How blessed we were to have someone as caring as Bill to champion the animals' cause and dedicate a lifetime to better their environment. I am proud to call him firend. I offer my deepest sympathy to Sandy and Glenna. He will most certainly be missed.*

Carolyn Harshbarger - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

RT

“ Bob and I are so sorry to hear about Bill, He did so much for the animals. We worked with Bill at Allen Co Humane society bingo for a lot of years and became good friends with him. He was a wonderful man and will be missed greatly. From Arizona with Love
Bob And Janie Taylor

Robert &Janie Taylor - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

TF

“ We are so sorry to hear about your loss. Grandpa was such a great person and we know he will be missed. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers. We love you. David, Amy, Tyler, Trevor, and Ava

The Shores Family - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

TT

“ Sandy, Tom & family, We are sorry to hear of your loss. Know he will be greatly missed. You and your family and your mother are all in our prayers and thoughts. God be with you all. Respectfully, Tom & Marge Tangeman

Tom & Marge Tangeman - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM

WN

“ Sandy ,Tom & Family So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Wac & Norma

Wac & Norma - July 10, 2015 at 03:59 PM