



Richard Harry McInvaill, Jr.

April 11, 1920 - July 17, 2010

Graveside services for Richard Harry McInvaill, Jr., 90, will be held at 11:00 p.m. Monday, July 19, 2010 at Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Fran Elrod will officiate with burial in Magnolia Cemetery directed by Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home. The family will receive friends Sunday, July 18, 2010 from 4-6 p.m. at the residence, 1529 Ousleydale Rd. Memorials may be made to the Wesley UMC Soup Kitchen, 145 E. College Ave., Hartsville, SC 29550 or Hartsville Interfaith Ministries Food Bank, 210 Swift Creek Rd., Hartsville, SC 29550.

Mr. McInvaill died Saturday, July 17, 2010. Born in Darlington Co., SC, he was a son of the late Richard Harry and Maude Gandy McInvaill. He was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church and previously was the Sunday School Superintendent. He served in World War II in the Army Medical Corps and was in the Pacific area on a hospital ship platoon. He received his B.A. and M.Ed at the University of South Carolina. He was a retired school teacher with 34 years of service, 18 of those were teaching geography and history and being a guidance counselor at the Hartsville Junior High School. He also taught at Winthrop University, Davidson College, University of North Carolina, Columbia College and Coker College.

Surviving are his wife, Helen Godfrey McInvaill of Hartsville, SC; son, Rick McInvaill of Hartsville, SC.

Tribute Wall



“ Robert Andrews lit a candle in memory of Richard Harry McInvaill, Jr.



Robert Andrews - June 29, 2025 at 01:57 AM



“ I always enjoyed seeing Mr. McInvail. We visited Ervin and Dot often. Then I taught at Hartsville Jr. High and saw him more. My prayers are with you, Becky, Durham,NC##imported-begin##Becky Wadsworth Walker##imported-end##

July 27, 2010 at 08:52 AM



“ Sorry to hear of the loss of Mr. McInvaill. I remember when I visited him at his home when I worked as a meteorologist in Florence. He gave me one of his text books and a sea shell which I still have today.

Monte Montello##imported-begin##Monte Montello##imported-end##

July 24, 2010 at 08:58 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. We admired Richard so much and he was a faithful member of Wesley Church. He will be missed.

Jim and Hilda Martin##imported-begin##*Jim and Hilda Martin*##imported-end##

July 21, 2010 at 10:58 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you during this sad time.##imported-begin##*Lesa Hodges Mulligan*##imported-end##

July 20, 2010 at 04:38 PM



“ Mr. McInville was our most faithful weather watchers for many, many years. It was a joy to talk to him on the phone each afternoon. I always loved hearing his stories about the hail cannons on a stormy afternoon up at McLeod. He will be missed at News 13.

Chris Still##imported-begin##*Chris Still (News 13 meteorologist)*##imported-end##

July 20, 2010 at 06:28 AM



“ We are sorry to hear of Mr. McInvaill's passing. He was a wonderful man and very sweet and kind to all of us at the IGA. He will truly be missed. We will all keep your family in our thoughts and prayers.

May God Bless You Both.##imported-begin##*Christine B. Wilson (IGA)*##imported-end##

July 19, 2010 at 07:45 PM



“ TO THE FAMILY OF MR. McINVAILL:
I HAD THE PRIVELEGE OF RECEIVING INSTRUCTION FROM
MR. McINVAILL AT HARTSVILLE HIGH MANY YEARS AGO. I'VE
NEVER FORGOTTEN HIS KIND AND GENTLE MANNER AND
LOVE FOR HIS STUDENTS. PLEASE KNOW YOU WILL BE IN
MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS DURING YOUR TIME OF
BEREAVEMENT.##imported-begin##FRED SHAW##imported-
end##

July 19, 2010 at 11:03 AM



“ McInvall Family, sorry to learn of the loss of Mr. McInvall, he was a
special monitor to many students. Our prayers are with you during
this time.##imported-begin##Wayne & Edna Sims##imported-end##

July 19, 2010 at 10:26 AM



“ Mr. McInvail was one of my favorites when I worked at Mutual
Savings Bank. He was such a friendly person; he and Mrs. McInvail
always did their business together-always smiling; seemingly to be
ever so happy. We would joke about the weather, since he was our
weatherman from Harsville. I would occasionally hear him on TV in
the mornings for the weather call ins.
I'm sure he will be greatly missed by many; I know I will.
Sincerely, Terri Woodham##imported-begin##Terri
Woodham##imported-end##

July 19, 2010 at 09:00 AM



“ i thought a lot of mr mcinvaill. he was my guidance counselor in jr high. he listened to me many a day.

my thoughts & prayers are w/ you.##imported-begin##sherry (gaine) lonewolf##imported-end##

July 18, 2010 at 02:57 PM



“ Helen and Family, So sorry to hear of your loss. I was friends with Richard for many years at Hartsville Junior High. You are in my prayers. May God bless you.##imported-begin##Bonnie Mathis##imported-end##

July 18, 2010 at 02:34 PM



“ to the Family, I am sorry to hear about the passing of your loved one. He was indeed a friend to all who knew him. at Hartsville Junior High and elsewhere. It is my thoughts and prayers that God will comfort you in the days ahead of you. Sincerely, Grady O'Neal##imported-begin##Grady O'Neal##imported-end##

July 18, 2010 at 01:40 PM



“ WE ARE SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS. WE HAVE YOU IN OUR PRAYERS.##imported-begin##TUB AND CAROL BEASLEY##imported-end##

July 17, 2010 at 07:38 PM



“ I knew Mr McInvaill very well & had many interesting conversations, all that knew him will miss him, He had a very modest way about him, we both liked to talk about making home made wine, we both grew Muscadine Grapes, & tried to make a little. Our sincere sympathy to his wife & thier many friends. Raphael & Audrey Price##imported-begin##William Raphael Price##imported-end##

July 17, 2010 at 05:26 PM