



Marjorie E. McFarland

November 23, 1924 - October 3, 2016

Marjorie E. McFarland,

91, of Richmond, passed away peacefully Monday, October 3, 2016. She was born November 23, 1924 in St. Louis, MO to the late Walter Samuel and Stella Marie Frazier Guinn. Marjorie attended Apostolic Bible Institute in St. Paul, MN and married Rev. Robert L. McFarland, June 11, 1944. He preceded her in death July 22, 2002. A stalwart believer in her Apostolic faith, Marjorie assisted her husband in ministry both as a pastor's wife and as a missionary for many years.

Visitation will be Friday, October 7, 2016 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and Saturday from 12:00 p.m. until time of services at 1:00 p.m. at Oak Park Church, 1920 N. Chester Blvd., Richmond., IN

Marjorie is survived by her loving children, Rev. Robert L. McFarland (Beth), Lois M. Truman (Rev. Gerald L.), Rev. Edward R. McFarland (Donna); eight grandchildren, Jeanette McFarland, Edward Ray "Jose" McFarland II (Jennifer), Jane Truman Torres, Christopher McFarland, Marjorie Truman, Matthew McFarland (Sharon), Robert Truman, Amanda McFarland Hix (Simon); nine great-grandchildren; brother, David S. Guinn (Wendy); sisters-in-law, Alice Guinn, Faith Spears White, Lane Scott, Betty McFarland, and Martie Jones (Jerald); and a brother-in-law, Charles McClain.

A brother, Rev. Eddie Guinn and a sister, Jane McClain, preceded her in death.

Memorial contributions may be made to AseraCare Hospice, 4427 Garwood

Pl., Richmond, IN 47374 and/or Global Missions, UPCI, 8855 Dunn Rd.,
Hazelwood, MO 63042.

Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Thompson Rd.
Chapel, Indianapolis.

Cemetery Details

Glen Haven Memorial Gardens Cemetery

4623 Indiana 227
Richmond, IN 47374

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Oak Park Church
1920 Chester Blvd
Richmond, IN 47374

Funeral Service

OCT 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

Oak Park Church
1920 Chester Blvd
Richmond, IN 47374

Tribute Wall

SB

“ Our sincere condolences to the family of Sister McFarland. Vivid memories far surpass the ability to put them into words. She and her husband inspired us as our leaders, encouraged us as our friends, and comforted us as our "father/mother" figure. She will be missed, but never forgotten.
Sam & Pat (Michael & Tanya) Balca

Samuel Balca - October 09, 2016 at 12:45 PM

MT

“ How we remember Brother and Sister McFarland's visits in our home. First as AIM workers in Germany and then as Missionaries in The Netherlands. Sister McFarland always came bearing gifts. She was so genuine and full of love and joy. Our times together were always so special. We laughed, cried and were encouraged. Her smile was contagious and we had good times shopping together for bargains too. She also enjoyed the Dutch language and had fun trying to pronounce a few of the words. More than anything I think she loved others having a good time while she did. We loved her more than words can express. A true Christian lady who wanted everyone to know the Lord.
Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. May the Lord wrap His arms around you and comfort you, now and in the days to come. She will be missed but we can just see her rejoicing in heaven.
Mike and Dianna Tuttle and Family

Mike & Dianna Tuttle - October 07, 2016 at 08:35 PM

EB

“ Dear Bobby and Beth, Gary and Lois, Ed and Donna,
We are filled with wonderful memories of your precious mother. Her strong example of a Godly life and a submissive wife and mother will always stand as a model to follow.
During the time that your dad was Indiana District Superintendent and they lived in the brick house at the Campgrounds, I would often go with David to deliver Frito-Lay products for use during the various Camps. Your mom always had whatever keys were needed, so I would stay at the house and visit with her while David unloaded the products that had been ordered. It was then that she took to calling us "Bro. and Sis. Frito", she never called us David and Elaine or Bro. and Sis. Burlash after that. We always laughed and enjoyed her humor.
With love and prayers,
David and Elaine Burlash aka Bro and Sis. Frito

Elaine Burlash - October 07, 2016 at 03:09 PM

TS

“ Among the many items Sis. McFarland brought to us in Egypt is a favorite recipe book of Indiana recipes. It now lives in a plastic bag because the pages have all separated, but I use it often and think of her every time. We pray that the Lord will comfort all of the family.

Teresa Sedra - October 07, 2016 at 04:34 AM

HK

“ *It was always a joy to have the McFarlands in our home. She always had something for the missionaries. We will always remember the joy, happiness that they brought with them. We will always remember her booth at General Conference. To you that have lost a wonderful mother you are in our prayers. God is a wonderful strength and refuge.*

Brother & Sister Harold Kinney

Harold Kinney - October 06, 2016 at 08:02 PM

MM

“ *It was always a good occasion when Br. & Sis. McFarland showed up @ the Wiesbaden Schloss Freudenberg in Germany! They brought encouragement & strengthened the missionaries there. Much appreciated and always welcomed. Sister McFarland will be missed, so cheerful and now cheering with her loved ones gone on before to heaven. So sorry you lost your Mom, Grandma, Aunt etc. My condolences, Monika C. Maes*

Monika C. Maes - October 06, 2016 at 09:17 AM

TM

“ *The family of Ray & Betty McFarland purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.*



The family of Ray & Betty McFarland - October 05, 2016 at 06:36 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.*



October 05, 2016 at 04:37 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.*



October 05, 2016 at 03:42 PM



“ *Bro. & Sis. Tuttle & the EME Missionary Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.*



Bro. & Sis. Tuttle & the EME Missionary Family - October 05, 2016 at 01:11 PM

JK

“*Bro. and Sis. McFarland were so special to us. We shared the same wedding anniversary and, in fact, they had a shower for us in their home on Trinity Lane in Hazelwood right before our wedding in 1977.*

It was always a joy to have them in our home in Scotland. Of course, Bro. McFarland felt he should drive when they came to the UK and it would make her so nervous. I can still hear her saying, "Robert" in her own unique tone.

Our kids loved the McFarlands and they were adopted grandparents for our kids during their years as Regional Field Supervisors for Europe.

We all knew Sis. McFarland was a great bargain hunter. Her booth at General Conference was FULL, to say the least. One time I remember Bro. Judd coming by and telling her that the booths were NOT to look like a flea market. This didn't phase Sis. McFarland in the least. What was so touching was that she would use her booth profits to buy such practical things for the missionaries AND the nationals.

Each time the McFarlands would come for a visit, you dare not even casually mention that there was something you needed. We would forget all about it, but the next year on her annual visit she would show up with the item you mentioned. This even happened for one of our nationals who innocently mentioned they were needing a rice cooker.

jerolyn kelley - October 05, 2016 at 11:39 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.



October 05, 2016 at 11:36 AM



“ Loved Aunt Margie so much! She was always smiling & joyful! Glad she is out of pain & with Uncle Bob! Sorry I can't be there for the funeral but just know that my thoughts, prayers & love are with you all!

Starr Letner - October 05, 2016 at 10:32 AM



“ Sis McFarland was always a lady that had a kind word and advice to me as a young convert. Our friendship carried on through the years as we ministered and they always came by to preach and visit with us when they were on furlough or just visiting in St. Louis. One thing I will miss is her family letters at Christmas when she would let everyone know all that they had been doing that year. Rest in Peace dear lady!

Shirley Smith - October 05, 2016 at 09:58 AM



“ She was an awesome godly woman. I remembered her when I was a little girl when she comes with brother McFarland to visit Egypt. She baptized my mother and my grandmother in Jesus name in Egypt. I loved her smile and her kind spirit. She will be greatly missed. I love you sister "Robert" as my mom used to call her. Rest in peace with Jesus.

Mona Guirguis - October 05, 2016 at 09:20 AM

WJ

“ I have so many memories of sis McFarland when I was a missionary kid in Norway. Such a sweet lady. I always looked forward to their visits.

Wenda (Tilley) Johnson - October 05, 2016 at 06:50 AM

VW

“ We have sweet memories of Bro. and Sis. McFarland. Always a beautiful example of Godliness! Sis. McFarland always had a smile and love for everyone she met. We were privileged to know this family for many years. Unselfishly giving their lives to missions and ministry. Heaven was her goal! She has won her race!
Vernon and Peggy (Harris) Wagoner

Vernon and Peggy Wagoner - October 05, 2016 at 12:19 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.



October 04, 2016 at 11:26 PM

MT

“ I will never forget what a perfect match was made on the campground when our then 4 year old Bethani went to visit Sis. Marjorie. They both loved to talk and talk and talk...They entertained each other for hours. Sis. McFarland loved our Bethani in the yellow bumblebee dress. What a faithful soldier she was. We all loved her.

Melissa Treadwell - October 04, 2016 at 10:37 PM

KC

“ A lovely lady and she always had a kind word and something to make you smile!

Jim and Karen Crumpacker

Karen Crumpacker - October 04, 2016 at 08:37 PM

JP

“ So many precious memories of your family when we were all teenagers in the Marion church. We are grieving with you and rejoicing too. Hugs to you all!

John & Jean Peters - October 04, 2016 at 07:52 PM

LC

“ What an awesome legacy. We absolutely loved Bro. Bob and Sister Margie. They instilled the love and faithfulness that both Keith and I have had, for 56 years. Their absolute dedication to the Lord and His work, is just phenomenal. Sister Margie has run the course and finished her race, that she had pursued all of her life. She will definitely be missed, but so grateful she is now with her loved ones, and her Lord. What an awesome. 😊 comfort ❤️

Lois castillo - October 04, 2016 at 06:28 PM



“ Bob and I send our sincere sympathy to the entire McFarland family. Sis. Marjorie was such an inspiration during our time in the Marion church. It was a very special time for us to be pastored by Bro. & Sis. McFarland. Our prayers are with all of you, Bob & Kathryn Dorontich.

Kathryn Dorontich - October 04, 2016 at 05:22 PM

PM

“ *Dear sweet Sister. A joy to us in Europe. We salute you, dear lady of the Lord. Pasteur Paul and Melissa (Hardin) Majdling, Bordeaux, France*

Paul & Melissa (Hardin) Majdling - October 04, 2016 at 05:12 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Marjorie E. McFarland.*



October 04, 2016 at 05:08 PM

WF

“ *Our loss is surely heaven's gain. What a wonderful lady! We are praying for your entire family and grieve with you. We have so many fond memories of both Bro. and Sis. McFarland. Sending our love!*

*Jim and Wanda Fielder
Portage, IN*

Wanda Fielder - October 04, 2016 at 04:50 PM

BH

“ *Heaven is filled with rejoicing. Sister McFarland is home at last! What a wonderful life and legacy.*

Bill Henry - October 04, 2016 at 04:24 PM

PB

“ *Sis Marjorie McFarland was one of the most impactful people in my life. Her steadiness, her stories, her love and kindness will always be there. She loved Jesus and she loved people. Praying for all of her family.*

Pastor Marion (Butch) Bush - October 04, 2016 at 03:48 PM