



J. Don McClelland

December 14, 1929 - July 26, 2006

Jesus said “I am the Resurrection and the Life. He who believes in me will live, even though he dies” John 11:25. J. Don McClelland, age 76, was born on December 14, 1929, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, to Jack and Velma McClelland. Because he believed in Jesus Christ, Don’s death on July 26, 2006, was not the end. It was the beginning of his new life in heaven. Don had a heart for God and a heart for people. The most important thing in his life was his relationship with Jesus Christ. He lived out his faith as a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend. He embraced life and laughed often. Don served as a deacon at First Baptist Church of Boerne. He was also a member of the Board of Directors for the San Antonio Youth for Christ. He was a member of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists and the South Texas Geological Society. He is survived by his wife, Mary McClelland; son Mark D. McClelland and his wife Jan; daughter Marsha L. Cansler and her husband Craig; grandchildren, Mandy and John Mark McClelland and Macy Cansler; and other loving family and friends. Because Don lived, our lives are more full. He shaped us, blessed us, and even now inspires us to be everything God wants us to be. Our loss is great, but our hope is greater, because God promises that we’ll see him again.

Tribute Wall

BW

“ I deeply regret the passing of a friend I will never forget. May the remembering of his wonderful personality remain with all his loved ones.

Bob Wesley - August 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Our prayers are with you and the family. May the lord comfort you.

Tracy Winget - August 01, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Bets, Kelley Oster, Kyle Davis and I send our love and prayers to you, Marsha & Mark at this sad time. Don was like part of our family and we cherish the wonderful memories with him and your family. What a wonderful Godly man Don was and we praise the L

Cowboy & Bets, Kelley Oster & Kyle Davis - July 29, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Dear Mary, Mark & Marsha,
We are so sorry for your loss and wish we could have been with you over the last few days. We are in Colorado but did keep up with Don's situation.
Words can't convey our love for Don and for you also Mary. We have spent many

Bob & Juanell Caldwell - July 29, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your family's loss. I remember Don fondly at First Baptist as a godly man that truly loved the Lord and served him with all his heart. I know you'll be comforted knowing he's home with his best friend:

Lesley and Joe Mergele - July 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Dear McClelland Family:

I was saddened to hear of Don's homegoing. I want to assure you of my deepest feelings of sympathy and genuine concern for you on your loss. I know the Lord, through His abundant grace, will supply your every need in this extrem

Jason and Jamie Wiesepape - July 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ "Because Don lived, our lives are more full. He shaped us, blessed us, and even now inspires us to be everything God wants us to be. Our loss is great, but our hope is greater, because God promises that we'll see him again."

Amen on that.

Beautiful

Jody Eldred - July 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I am so sorry to hear about Don passing away. He will be missed very much.

Karen Wilhelm - July 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ Extending our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one. May God's peace be with you always.

Craig Salsbury

Director & Staff at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ J Don you were a true friend and you definitely helped me find the Lord in my life. You witnessed to me and I am truly grateful. I always considered you a Godly Man. I will miss you. ross

Ross Miller - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Don was my 1st cousin on my Mother's side. I always looked up to Don when we were growing up. He was one of my heroes! Don was a loyal, loving, encourager, and supporter in our family. He was always willing to share himself and be there if you needed h

Jan Mullinix - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Don was a great friend and lived life to the fullest. He was one of the first to welcome Beverly and me to Fair Oaks Ranch. He is in the care of the one he loved.

Dan and Beverly Kasprowicz - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Mary, Mark & Marsha,
Praising God that HE was merciful and the transition from this life to
the next was painless.*

*What a blessing Don and you were to me Mary and still are. Your
lives have remained an example to me and you have always held a
special*

Barbara Bell - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *I only met Don a few times when he came to visit my grandmother
Bess Malone His aunt back in the 1970's and early 80's. He and
Mary were always very friendly and full of energy and made an
impressiojn on me when I was young. My mother Don's 1st cousin
alw*

Gary Wilhelm - July 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM