



Daniel James McCarthy

February 6, 1927 - September 29, 2014

Daniel James McCarthy, 87, of Prescott Valley, AZ, died Monday, September 29, 2014, surrounded by his family.

Born February 6, 1927, in Bettendorf, IA, Dan resided in Davenport, IA, where he graduated from St. Ambrose University with a B.S. in business.

He met and married Mary Lou Collins in 1951. Together, they raised seven children.

Dan worked for Kellogg's Sales Company for more than thirty years, until he retired in Huntington Beach, CA, at the age of 55. His career with Kellogg's made it necessary for their family to move from Iowa to Minnesota, Illinois, Georgia, Utah, and California.

Dan and Mary Lou fell in love with Prescott during one of their vacations and decided to spend their retirement years here.

Dan enjoyed golfing, but his main love was his wife and family. He is survived by his wife Mary Lou; his children: Pamela, Mike, Dan, Tim, and Teresa; four grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

A funeral Mass celebrating his life will be held Friday, October 3, 2014, at 11 a.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Prescott, AZ. Arrangements entrusted to Sunrise Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Daniel James McCarthy*

January 30, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Pam, Mike, Dan, Tim, Terri and Mary Lou,*

My heart is with you all, remembering all the great memories and all the fun we shared with Uncle Dan. Wish I could be there with all of you in person. Our lives truly were enriched for him being a part of them. May all the love, laughs and memories comfort you. He truly was a very kind, caring, special man, and oh so much fun. I look forward to seeing him again in heaven, and know he was welcomed there by so many- and they're having a ball!

*Big Hugs and Love to All from your Cuz,
Karen Muetzel-Frieden*

Karen Muetzel-Frieden - October 03, 2014 at 08:08 AM



“ *Dan Senior was a good man, earned an honest living, provided for his family until the end and had a great sense of humor to boot.*

They don't make them like that anymore.

We should all be happy and thankful to have had him in our lives.

Cheers To you Dan and safe journey home.

Jim Garibaldi - October 02, 2014 at 09:09 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Daniel James McCarthy.*



October 02, 2014 at 05:20 PM



“ *Pam,*

I am so sorry about the loss of your father and I know this is a very difficult time for you and your family.

You and your family are continually in our prayers. Please let me know if I can do anything to help you.

Dear Heavenly Father, please carry Pam and her family during this very difficult time with the loss of their Father. Bring comfort, strength and peace to their hearts. Amen

God's Blessings, Lisa Caine

Lisa Caine - October 02, 2014 at 12:22 PM



“ *Uncle Dan was a wonderful Uncle, family man, Loving, caring, and so much fun. My Dad and him were so great together and I think we all have wonderful memories of the two of them together, that we will always have, to make us laugh again. God be with You all, as You say your good buys, how lucky we were to have him in our lives and all the laughs we will always have in our Hearts. God Bless you all.*

Diane Muetzel Coons - October 02, 2014 at 06:35 AM

JF

“ I will never forget visiting California as a kid and all the good times i had when uncle dan came to Davenport. He was awesome!

jeremy frieden - October 01, 2014 at 11:48 PM

TE

“ To the McCarthy family, May your father rest in peace with the Lord. I had a great memory with your dad, Dan & Tim and myself at Joe Jost a few years ago. Four Irishmen enjoying a beer and your dad says his was in the mood to fight. We all had a good chuckle. That was a great craic. He was a character and for sure a great father to all of you. See you all Friday. I love you all. Terence Kiely.

TerenceKiely - October 01, 2014 at 05:43 PM

DA

“ Deborah A. purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Daniel James McCarthy.



Deborah A. - October 01, 2014 at 05:28 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Daniel James McCarthy.



October 01, 2014 at 03:13 PM

FM

“ I'm so sorry for your loss Mike. I see where you got your wonderful smile! My condolences to the family. Healing prayers for you and your family. <3

Frieda Murphy - October 01, 2014 at 02:10 PM

PM

“ My Dad was all about faith, family, and friends. He had his priorities in order, and that's what's carrying us during this difficult time.

Pamela McCarthy - October 01, 2014 at 02:02 PM

JM

What a JOYFUL and loving smile your Dad had. In that picture, he makes me know that all is right and that he is happy in Our Lord's gorgeous Heaven. You and your family are in my prayers, Pam. Judi MacLean

Judi MacLean - October 01, 2014 at 04:15 PM

MM

Pam I am so sorry for your loss and my heart goes out to your whole family. What a beautiful smile and a shining example to guide you. I can imagine the heavenly family reunion--and all those stories. Hugs to you and your family.

M. McCarthy - October 01, 2014 at 08:36 PM

CV

Pam- I am so very sorry for your loss. I am praying for you and for your family at this painful time. Thank God for the assurance that your father is in God's hands now and that you will see him again someday. Peace to you and your family.

Love,
Cela Varosy

Cela Varosy - October 02, 2014 at 11:45 AM

BS

*Pam, I am so sorry for the loss of your father. He was a good and giving man. I had so much fun on every visit at your Mom and Dads house. You and your family are in my prayers.
Love, Bonnie*

Bonnie Slakter - October 04, 2014 at 12:06 PM