



Edgar McConnell

March 10, 1935 - April 20, 2013

Edgar Preston McConnell, age 78 of Manassas, VA passed away on Saturday, April 20, 2013. He was born on March 10, 1935 son of the late Carl Hiram McConnell and Reo Tucker McConnell.

Mr. McConnell taught chemistry at McLean High School for 22 years; was a member of REACT, Inc and the President of the local chapter for over 20 years; was a volunteer at the Manassas Museum and enjoyed model railroading.

He is survived by his loving wife Judith McConnell; his children James Carl McConnell, Laura Melinda McConnell and Matthew Scott McConnell and by one brother Adair McConnell and 5 grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA on Wednesday, April 24, 2013 from 2-4 PM. A graveside service will be held at Sunrise Burial Park in Fairlawn, VA on Friday, April 26, 2013 at 12:00 Noon.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggest that a donation be made to either the Manassas Museum or Parkinson's Association.

Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Judy, your sisters in Alpha Mu send our deepest sympathies for the loss of your dear husband. May God grant you the courage to bear your sorrow.*

Carol Blauvelt - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

LO

“ *May I express my deepest sympathy and sincere condolences to you at this very sad time. There may be little comfort in words but please know that my positive thoughts are with you.*

Lillian Orlich - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

AB

“ *Judy,
On behalf of the Alpha Mu chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, we are keeping you and the family in our thoughts and prayers during this time.*

*Let us know if you need anything.
Sincerely, Your 'sisters' of Alpha Mu*

Amber Bateman - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

CB

“ *Please accept my condolences in your loss. Knowing he is no longer in pain is our comfort. I will always remember Edgar as a bright man with a quick smile and a wonderful sense of humor. He will be missed.*

Carol Bock Brandt - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

KV

“*Mr. McConnell was a great teacher and a wonderful friend to his students. The memory of that marvelous smile of his has stayed with me ever since I was his student at James Madison. It always will.*”

Ken Vitucci - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

AN

“*Judy, I am so sorry for your loss. I know you were so devoted to your husband and your love and devotion were well known. Please take comfort in your friends, family and those who loved him.*”

Andrea - August 30, 2013 at 01:47 PM

NS

“*Dear Judy, I offer you my deepest sympathies. Although great distances separate us, know that you are always very close in my heart.*”

Nicol Simard - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

JM

“*Judy, I am so sorry for your loss. Edgar was an accomplished man who made his mark on many. I appreciate you opening your heart over the years and sharing your experiences, so I was able to know him from afar. From your Delta Gamma sister in Florida*”

Jan Mallett - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

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“*I have many fond memories of Mr. McConnell from McLean High School. He was an excellent teacher and mentor, who helped many, many students over the years.*”

Mary Schottler Knowles ('85) - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM

EC

“ *Mr. McConnell was one of a handful of teachers who had a lifelong on me. I am thankful for the lessons he taught me, both about science and about life in general. May he be in peace and may you all know that he impacted many students at McLean.*

Betsy Carswell McLean '81

Elizabeth Carswell - August 30, 2013 at 01:46 PM