



Herb McCandless

July 9, 1928 - July 9, 2013

Herb McCandless , 85, of Ashdown, AR died Tuesday July 9, 2013.

Mr. McCandless was born April 3, 1928 in Wallace, AR to Grover and Pearl McCandless. He opened Herbs Creamland in 1954, and he was a member of Central Baptist Church in Ashdown, AR. He is preceded in death by his parents, and one great-granddaughter, Macy Matkoff.

He is survived by his wife, Helen McCandless of Ashdown, AR; three sons and daughters-in-law, Lance and Rhodora McCandless of Ashdown, AR, Greg and Vickie McCandless of Dallas, TX, and Bruce McCandless; one brother, Elton McCandless of Ashdown, AR; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be Thursday July 11, 2013 from 6 pm to 8 pm at Madden Funeral Home in Ashdown, AR in the Chapel.

Funeral Services will be Friday July 12, 2013 at 10:00 am at Central Baptist Church in Ashdown, AR with Rev. Ron Chesser officiating. Burial will follow at Ashdown, Cemetery in Ashdown, AR.

Arrangements are under the direction of Madden Funeral Home in Ashdown, AR.

Tribute Wall



“ *Herb McCandless*

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“ *Very sorry about your loss. Herb's was a big part of my life growing up. Thanks for the memories.*

Melinda Fawcett Collins - Perryville, AR - Friend - July 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Herb was one of a kind they just didnt make many like this MAN he cared about everybody he will be missed by all who new him we had a few fishing stories together glad I got to know MR Herb God Bless Bruce n the family .*

Rick n Daphne Carter - Lake Fork TX, TX - family friend - July 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Much love and prayers for Miss Helen, the boys and the family. Herb was a local icon to anyone who was raised in Ashdown. Every one of us has taken this loss as OUR loss. We love you.*

Fabienne Thrash - Texarkana, TX - friend - July 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *What a joy it was to know and love you. Remember the last visit I had with you was regarding aladdin lamps. Thought and prayers are with Helen and family.*

Carroll Jones, son of J.P. Jones - Willisville, AR - Dear Friend - July 14, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“*Herb was more than a kind hearted, friendly person. He exemplified the word hero to all fortunate enough to meet him, especially our youth. Ashdown was blessed with the presence of a man who set an example of how to live nobly. That lesson will live on in those who chose to watch and learn from him. Thank you Herb! My sympathy to family and friends.*

Debbie Richardson Byrd - Vienna, MO - July 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“*Herb was a great relative. Always friendly and hospitable. We used to go see Aunt Pearl and we eventually wound up at Herb's creamland. He would feed us hamburgers or whatever we wanted and would never take a dime. Always bothered me that I never paid. A few years ago we had the opportunity to come to Lake Milwood and fish. Of course we had to eat at Herb's a few times. I tried my best to pay for all of our meals, but if I didn't sneak in ahead a order he would never let me pay. We have lost a great friend and cousin in Herb. Our prayers go out to Helen and family, and also to Elton and Mary as I know they will miss him tremendously.*

Travis Calicott - Buchanan Dam, TX - Fisrt cousin - July 13, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“*Helen and family, I was so sorry to hear about Herb. I have you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. He was a one of a kind man and never hesitated to speak every time he saw you. He will be missed by many. Donna*

Donna Kidd Jackson - Ashdown, AR - July 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ *Helen and Family,
We share your sorrow in the loss of our good friend. We pray that
God will comfort you and be your friend during this time of need.
Words seem so empty, but please know that you have friends and a
God that love you very much.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Buddy and Ruby Hinton

Buddy and Ruby Hinton - Ashdown, AR - July 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sorry to hear of your loss. He was a great man.*

Truman, Anne and Steve Hedgecock - July 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

FF

“ *I met Herb @ Century Bank as one of my customers, 2004. When
he would come into the bank the first thing he would always say
was, "How's everything on the hill?" That turned into a friendship.
Even though I didn't know Herb but for a very short time I will
always have great memories of our visits. My prayers are with the
family today and in the coming days. May GOD Bless you ALL!!*

Fran Williams - Lockesburg, AR - Friend - July 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM