



J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr.

April 17, 1925 - January 31, 2018

Rev. John Nelson J.N. "Mac" McFadden, 92, widower of Doris Evelyn McFadden, passed away on January 31, 2018.

J.N. and Evelyn ministered and entertained together over 70 years. J.N. started music ministry in Foley, AL in 1943. His ministry included 19 area-wide evangelistic crusades and services at numerous churches in the Southeast, primarily in South Carolina. He sang about Heaven his whole life and now he is singing in Heaven.

A native of Chester County, son of the late J.N. McFadden, Sr. and Mamie Keasler McFadden, he was a Minister of Music for 70 years, a U.S. WWII Navy Veteran and a member of Fairview Baptist Church.

Surviving are three sons, Rev. Larry McFadden (Teresa) of Orlando, FL., Rev. John McFadden (Debbie) of Greenwood and David McFadden of Atlanta, GA; five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mr. McFadden was predeceased by one daughter, Dorinda Lou McFadden.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Sunday, February 4, 2018 at Fairview Baptist Church conducted by Dr. Eddie Leopard, Dr. Carlisle Driggers and Dr. Randall Pennell. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Memorial Park.

Honorary escort will be the J.N. McFadden Sunday School Class.

Visitation will be held 6:00-8:00 p.m. Saturday, February 3, 2018 at The Wood Mortuary.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Larry McFadden Ministries Inc., P.O. 568545, Orlando, FL, 32856 or Greer Community Ministries, P.O. 1373,

Greer, SC 29652.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary Chapel
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

FEB 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

Fairview Baptist Church
1300 Locust Hill Road
Greer, SC 29651

Tribute Wall

NH

“ I've known Mr.Mac since I was a small boy at Leawood Baptist Church...I loved him dearly and was heart broken when he left...Not only a Fine Man and wonderful Music director , but he stood in for our pastor , Dr B.F. Rogers at his passing...J.N. had a way with words and could make even little children know the Holy Spirit was present...Without a doubt , I know he is in Heaven singing to the Angels...and to Our Lord...Mr. Mac , You've made the grade !!! God loves you and so do I...
Nicky Howard (now 68)

Nick Howard - February 10, 2018 at 10:07 PM

TB

“ When I think of Fairview Baptist Church, thoughts of Mr. Mac are always forefront in my memories. He was the only minister of music I remember growing up and I am grateful for the influence his ministry had on my life. Thank you to his family for sharing him with so many of us.

*With love and heartfelt gratitude,
Trudy Talley Bennett*

Trudy Bennett - February 06, 2018 at 05:50 PM

GB

“ Mac and Evelyn were very special to me. We did lots of wonderful trips together over 12 years. We sure had good times together. There was nobody like them. I loved them very much. They were my family.

Gail Boswell - February 04, 2018 at 09:48 PM

CB

“ Caren Bell sent a virtual gift in memory of J.N.
"Mac" McFadden Jr.



Caren Bell - February 04, 2018 at 05:32 PM

ET

“ J.N. and Evelyn were a special couple. Their priorities in life were character, integrity, love of family and faith in God. I worked with Evelyn in banking in years past and knew J.N. well. They are sorely missed.

Ed Timmerman

Edward Timmerman - February 04, 2018 at 03:22 PM

JJ

“ Larry, I am sorry to hear of the death of your dad. He was a very good music man and he will be missed.

*Judy Brock Jennings
(J.F. Byrnes classmate)*

Judy Brock Jennings - February 03, 2018 at 10:21 PM

DW

“ Douglas Wilson lit a candle in memory of J.N.
"Mac" McFadden Jr.



Douglas Wilson - February 03, 2018 at 09:12 PM

AK

“ Angie Ashmore Kruse lit a candle in memory of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr.



Angie Ashmore Kruse - February 03, 2018 at 05:47 PM



“ Shelby Jones lit a candle in memory of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr.



Shelby Jones - February 03, 2018 at 05:11 PM

JH

“ I will always be grateful for the joy Mac brought to ,my Mother, Nell Miller, when he visited her and sang to her in the nursing home. I can imagine he is singing for her again now in Heaven.
My sympathy is with the family he leaves behind to grieve his loss but to cherish his memory.



Joan Harbin - February 03, 2018 at 04:50 PM

HS

“ We are so thankful for the life and friendship of JN McFadden. We were blessed by his ministry and the relationship that we shared. We pray that God will give you His peace and comfort during these days.
Hazel and Lonnie Shull

Hazel Shull - February 03, 2018 at 10:47 AM

WL

“ We will miss him at church. We loved your Dad. He was such a blessing in our lives. He was a mentor and great help to Donna when she was in College and Seminary. She always as a little girl would refer to him as Mr, Mac, He was special to all of us. We loved hearing him sing and direct music at church. We know that he is in heaven singing in the choir there. His smile and personality always would light up your day when you were not well or just needed a lift in your day. I (Donna) will never forget that he called me and sang Happy Birthday to me last January on my birthday. That meant a lot to me. We love your family and will be praying for you in the days to come.
Winfred, Ruth, and Donna Lister



Winfred, Ruth, and Donna Lister - February 03, 2018 at 10:41 AM

BS

“ Mr Mac was surely a great servant and will be missed. I loved his singing and know he is singing in heaven. He was such a blessing to all. Deepest sympathy to his family.



Brenda Strange - February 02, 2018 at 10:24 PM

TG

“ A wonderful man of God who showed love to me and my wife.

Terry Greene - February 02, 2018 at 10:03 PM

JE

“ Larry, I am so sorry for your loss, he was a great man...Many memories of him at Lyman First, back when we were teenagers,,None like him, he was funny yest willing ton be our counselor when needed,,Really words can not express how I feel right now.,He wi be missed by many..My prayers are with the family..God Bless lovr to al: Judith Knight Ellington (Judy Knight)



Judith Knight Ellington - February 02, 2018 at 03:37 PM

KB

“ Truly one of Gods Faithful Warriors!!! I will miss his Friendship and Fellowship that we had visiting together a few times and our Biscuit Before Time.My prayers are with all the family now and in the days ahead until we all get home for that Glorious Reunion Day! God Bless You All!

Love in Christ,

Ken Bogan

Ken Bogan - February 02, 2018 at 03:30 PM

DS

“ Oh my goodness, the stories I could tell from the years I worked at The Lighting Center, Taylors, SC. In the 70's, McFadden and Crocker would often visit the business then owned by Dan and Melvene Owens. They always brought laughter and joy to the business. As a long time employee, I loved McFadden's wonderful personality and his faithfulness to his ministry through Fairview Baptist Church. I also had the opportunity to work with his son, John, at The Lighting Center. I have many precious memories. To the family I want to express my sincere sympathy on your loss. Heaven surely rejoiced when he arrived!

Delores Stansell, Travelers Rest, SC

Delores B Stansell - February 02, 2018 at 12:59 PM

JH

“ A man who touched the hearts and lives of so many. Singing in heaven today! Prayers for the family.

Joan & Dennis Holtzclaw - February 02, 2018 at 12:34 PM

TD

“ Tim and Sandra Snowden (friends of John and Debbie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr..



Tim and Sandra Snowden (friends of John and Debbie -
February 02, 2018 at 11:13 AM

RS

“ I was so saddened to learn of Mr. McFadden's death. I had the pleasure of working with him in various community activities when we lived in Greer many years ago. It was always a pleasure to be in his company. Please know that all of the family will be in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this sad time.

Richard Strawhorn - February 02, 2018 at 10:40 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr..



February 02, 2018 at 09:03 AM

RV

“ Ricky and Jenny Vega purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr..



Ricky and Jenny Vega - February 02, 2018 at 08:32 AM

DE

“ *Mr. McFadden ministered to the membership of First Baptist Church of Orlando any time he happened to visit his son and daughter in law ,Larry and Theresa here over the years. His vocal talents, his sense of humor, and his testimony were always a joy to us all. His life has been a lifelong witness of the life changing power of his Savior. The vast throng of folks he has introduced to Jesus, and helped along life's way, will never forget him. May the pain of the present moment for you his family soon be replaced by warm memories of the past with J.N. McFadden....*

*David and Suzanne Enzfelder
Orlando, FL*

David Enzfelder - February 02, 2018 at 07:21 AM

MT

“ *Mac will certainly be missed. The yellow candle reminds me of his always bright, smiling self and I know he is singing in Heaven now. The King is Coming was always one of my favorites he sang and I know he has seen his King and we will hear Mac singing again when we get to Heaven. Prayers for all the family.*

Mertie Taylor - February 01, 2018 at 07:36 PM

MT

“ *Mertie Taylor lit a candle in memory of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr.*



Mertie Taylor - February 01, 2018 at 07:31 PM

TM

“ *The Advisory Council of Larry McFadden Ministries purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of J.N. "Mac" McFadden Jr..*



The Advisory Council of Larry McFadden Ministries -
February 01, 2018 at 05:34 PM