



Milton Harris McKie

July 10, 1932 - April 13, 2020

North Augusta, SC - Private graveside services for Milton Harris McKie, age 87, who entered into rest Monday, April 13, 2020, will be conducted Thursday at Pineview Memorial Gardens. Pastor Landon Meadow will be officiating.

Mr. McKie was born in Edgefield County on July 10, 1932, having made North Augusta his home. He was the son of the late Robert Lee McKie and Lucille Tarrant McKie. Born on the operating McKies' Dairy Farm, he was milking cows by age five and continued for about 70 years until his retirement. He lived, breathed and poured out his energy on his family, friends and land; he was the epitome of the Southern farmer – truly a rare find today.

Mr. McKie graduated from North Augusta High School in 1950, and then stayed home to help his father run the farm. In the late 1950s, the family built a second dairy on McKie land, thereby doubling the quantity of milking. He, along with brothers and nephews, continued the tradition of McKies' Dairy, a farm which was once the top milk producer in its class in South Carolina.

He was the husband of the late Cheryl Koltash McKie and had three sons and two daughters-in-law, Russell S. and Vicki McKie, North Augusta, Donald G. McKie, Evans, and Travis W. and Shelly (Kloss) McKie, Memphis, TN; a daughter and son-in-law Melanie M. and Landon Meadow, Clarksville, TN; 13 grandchildren, Raven Neivel, Rusty McKie, Danielle McKie, Caroline McKie, Will McKie, Michael McKie, Connor McKie, Braedon McKie, Grayson McKie,

Jase McKie, Lincoln McKie, Caleb Meadow and Joshua Meadow; five great-grandchildren; five brothers, Marvin McKie, Dr. Virgil McKie, David McKie, Paul McKie, the late Robert L. McKie II; and one sister, Joyce M. Barinowski. Mr. McKie also deeply treasured two special nephews, Robert L. McKie III and Nick McKie.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Samaritan's Purse, www.samaritanspurse.org.

The family expresses appreciation to the nursing/care management staff in the Burn Overflow Unit of Doctors Hospital and a heartfelt thank you to Audrey Montgomery and Cindy, caregivers whose added assistance allowed him to live out his last days in his home, watching over the fields that he loved for a lifetime.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta is in charge of arrangements (803)278-1181.

Cemetery Details

Pineview Memorial Gardens

450 West Five Notch Road
North Augusta, SC 29841

Tribute Wall



“ *Milton Harris McKie*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Milton Harris McKie*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Posey Funeral Directors - April 16, 2020 at 12:46 PM

LH

Milton was a rare man. I will always remember that grin on his face. He will be missed by many.

lynn hadden - April 16, 2020 at 07:00 PM

BO

“ *Mr Milton McKie obviously had an outlook on life that that few people are blessed with. He seemed to have a peace and happiness that he gladly shared with me every time we met. He took the time to cut off the tractor and have a talk with me, and I wish I would have seen him more in these recent years. God Bless his family and friends*

Bart OQuinn - April 16, 2020 at 09:45 AM

LM

“ My condolences to all of Miltons family . He was one of my best friends ever. I cherish
The memories of being able to spend time at the farm with Milton and his siblings. Lloyd
McNair

Lloyd McNair - April 15, 2020 at 04:00 PM

GS

“ So sorry for your loss. May God give you comfort and strength in the days ahead. The McKie family was always special to the Harry Miller, Sr. family.

Gladys Spires - April 15, 2020 at 02:40 PM

KH

“ I sure enjoyed helping take care of Mr. Mckie during his stay in Burn Overflow. We enjoyed his winks and smiles. He always put a smile on our faces. He will always hold a special place in our hearts. It was an honor to be apart of his care. Sending prayers of comfort to his family.

Katie Huitron - April 14, 2020 at 09:25 PM

DC

Really sorry for your loss. Praying for the entire family. If we can do anything please let us know.
Danny Cotterell

Danny Cotterell - April 15, 2020 at 04:32 PM

AE

When my father visited Augusta from Ireland in the 80s. His visit to Miltons farm was the highlight of his visit! Wonderful man so sad for your loss!

anna Elgammal - April 16, 2020 at 08:46 AM

BD

“ I had the pleasure of taking care of Mr. Mckie at Doctor's Hospital burn Overflow unit. He was a sweet man and seeing him was the highlight of my day! Although I only knew him for two weeks he has taken a special place in my heart and had left a lasting memory in my mind ❤️ Mr.mckie anyways greeted us with a wink and a smile and before he left the unit to be with family, he left me with a kiss on the cheek ❤️
May God comfort his children during this time
-Brittany

Brittany Dickens - April 14, 2020 at 09:17 PM

KW

“ Milton was a very special person and long time friend. I have fond memories of Saturday nights at the barn. Howard thought the world of Milton and I imagine they will be talking about farming very soon. My sympathy to the family. He will be missed. I will say a special prayer for all of you on Thursday.
Kitty Wates

Kitty Wates - April 14, 2020 at 08:42 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Milton Harris McKie.



April 14, 2020 at 04:58 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Milton Harris McKie.



April 14, 2020 at 04:54 PM