

Reverend Harold McDaniel

March 21, 1931 - February 19, 2019

Celebrating the Life of
Reverend Harold McDaniel
Friday, February 22, 2019 10:00 a.m.
First Pentecostal Church
Silsbee, Texas



Opening Prayer and Remarks
Reverend Ted Cox

Obituary and Remarks
Reverend James Townley

“When God Unfolds The Rose”
Brother Jeremy Barnhart

Remarks
Reverend John Bullock
Reverend Ben Weeks

“As Long As There Is An Angel”
Reverend Ben Weeks

Remarks
Rev. C.M. Duplissey

“I Can’t Even Walk”
Brother Charles Brewer

Message
Reverend Homer Looper

“When The Saints Go Marching In”
Congregational



Reverend Harold Winford “H.W.” McDaniel, 87, of Vidor, died Tuesday, February 19, 2019. He was born on March 21, 1931, in Nacogdoches, to Nellie Hodges McDaniel and Reverend A.C. McDaniel.

Elder McDaniel was Pastor of the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ of Vidor from June 25, 1960 until June 25, 2000. The church was originally located in Rose City. On April 15, 1973, a new church building was dedicated at its present location, 21987 IH 10, Vidor. In 1967, Elder McDaniel

established Gulf Coast Apostolic Campmeeting. This annual meeting became a blessing to thousands who attended over the years.

In the late 1970’s he served as secretary of the Apostolic Minister’s Fellowship. He also served on the Council of Elders for this same Fellowship. He actively supported Missionary Aurelio Rico and was instrumental in the construction of a church building in San Rafael, Mexico, that became known as the “Vidor Church”.

He served as secretary to Philippine Apostolic Missions, with Missionary E.W. Wheeler, from 1979-2000. In late 2001 and early 2002, Elder McDaniel oversaw the construction of the Headquarters Facilities for this mission, in Bagong Silang, Metro Manila.

In 1980, Elder McDaniel saw a dream come to reality with the establishing of Vidor Christian Academy. This K-12 Christian School was mentioned as a prayer request in church publications as early as 1964. A new multipurpose facility was completed in 1990, which included classrooms, fellowship hall, and gymnasium.

Survivors include his wife, Betty McDaniel; children, Cathy Seigrist and her husband, Colen; Carol McDaniel; and Windy McDaniel and his wife, Joyce; grandchildren, Phil Seigrist and his wife, Tiffany; Katrina Townley and her husband, Reverend James; LaShanda Connor and her husband, Jacob; Julie Ashworth and her husband, Charlie; Joanie Morvant and her husband, Randy; Brad McDaniel and his wife, Elizabeth; and Amy Louvier; fourteen great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; sister, Janice Dixson and her husband, David; and brother, Charles Young. He is preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Gordon McDaniel, Willie McDaniel, and Reverend Melvin McDaniel; and sister, Margie Gum.



BUILT BY MEMBERS—The Church of the Lord Jesus Christ in Vidor was built by members of the congregation and designed by the pastor, H.W. McCaskey, foreground. It is in dedication Monday night. (Staff photo by Stuart Hayes)

Beaumont Journal, Saturday, April 14, 1973





Here is my testimony:

In the month of April 2013, the last two weeks of the month, I became weaker and weaker; my breath began to be shorter and shorter. On Friday night, my wife and I were visiting the funeral home in Silsbee. A friend of ours in Silsbee had died and many of the church members were there, as well as Bro. Duplissey. I made a comment to Bro. Duplissey that I needed to sit down as I was very weak and short of breath. He asked me if my shoulder was hurting and I said no, but it came to mind that he had had heart problems. I then associated the shoulder pain to heart problems. We soon left Broussards for home as I was very tired.

The next day, Saturday, May 4th, I was still very weak and short of breath. At about 2:00pm my left shoulder began to hurt, so I called Bro. Duplissey and told him of my pain. His first words were, call an ambulance. Then he asked me if the ambulance personnel said I needed to go to the hospital, would I go. I told him yes. Then I called Bro. Jason Cooper and told him about my problems. He had told me that if I ever needed an ambulance to call him. He also asked me if the ambulance personnel thought I needed to go to the hospital, would I go. I told him yes, I would go.

The ambulance came to my house and the personnel put instruments on me. They quickly put an oxygen mask on me. They said I needed to go to the hospital. (At the time I didn't know that my heart rate was 199.) I said okay, lets go.

We arrived at the hospital about 4:30pm. My wife and children arrived in about 30 minutes later. Not long after getting to the hospital I had a heart attack. I don't remember much that happened for the next five or six days. The doctors tried many things on me, including stents, balloons and other procedures. Finally, on Wednesday, May 8th, Dr. Oszczakiewicz (Dr. Oz for short) the heart surgeon told my wife that he would have to do open heart surgery but could not give any hope because of my condition.

Wednesday night was church service at First Pentecostal Church in Silsbee. Bro. Homer Looper is the pastor, but on this night Bro. C. M. Duplissey was in charge of the service. He told the church members of my condition and they began to pray. They spent the entire service praying for me. Bro. Duplissey got up from praying, with tears in his eyes and said I believe everything is going to be alright. I believe God has heard our prayers. That same night, my good friends, Bro. & Sis. Wayne Clements drove eleven hours to be present for my surgery. They arrived at the hospital about 4:00am, May 9th. They came straight to the intensive care unit and asked if they could see me. They say the nurse came and asked me if I would have some visitors. I asked her who and she said Mr. & Mrs. Clements. I said yes, send them in. They came in and prayed for me. (Most of this I am writing, I do not remember, but I thank God He answers prayer.) That day, May 9th, I had open heart surgery:

three by-pass and the aortic valve replaced. My family and several Silsbee church members were there, along with several friends including Bro. & Sis. Harold Durham. Dr. Os did the work on my heart and put it back in place but my heart did not start beating with the right rhythm. It sat for six days quivering. Dr. Os told my wife and children that if the heart did not start beating with the right rhythm by Thursday at 1:00pm that he would have to throw an electric shock to it. That could be bad.

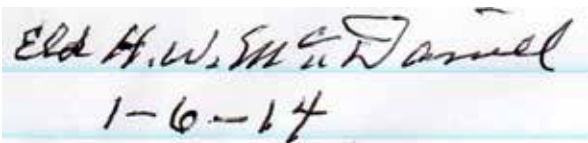
On Wednesday night, May 15th, many churches were praying for me including First Pentecostal Church of Silsbee, Vidor Church of the Lord Jesus Christ, First Pentecostal Church of Jennings, La., First Pentecostal Church in Abbeyville, La., Bro. Ben Week's church in Georgia and many others.

On Thursday, May 16th, Bro. Todd Patton came to the hospital at about 5:40am. He came almost every morning before going to work. The first thing the nurse told him was my heart hit rhythm at 8:00pm Wednesday night. That was when the churches were praying for me. I told Bro. Todd to get my wife on the phone and for a few minutes we rejoiced with many tears. After my release from the hospital I went to Dr. Os for three visits. On the second visit I asked him what kind of chance did he give me before the surgery and his answer was: none. He said he would do all he could do but if I lived it would be God and not be him. I told him, "Here I am, God did it!"

Another miracle that the Lord gave me was in 1942 when I was 11 years old. I had typhoid fever. At the time, we were going to church in Diboll, Texas, a small town south of Lufkin, Texas. Eld. H. B. Morgan was the pastor. He came to the hospital and prayed for me and I was healed. The greatest miracle happened to me in 1944, the month of April in a great revival. Fifty-five received the Holy Ghost and sixty-five were baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins. I thank the Lord for this great experience that has kept and guided me for these seventy years.

I highly recommend that if you have not yet received this great experience in the Lord, that you repent and be baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins and you shall receive this great miracle. For the promise is to you and your children, and to all that are far off as may as the Lord shall call. Acts 2:38-39 Jesus said in John 3:35 except a man be born again he cannot see the Kingdom of God. Verse 5, except a man be born of water and of the Spirit he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God. Acts 10:1-9, Acts 10:44-48, Romans 8:8-11, Romans 6:1-8

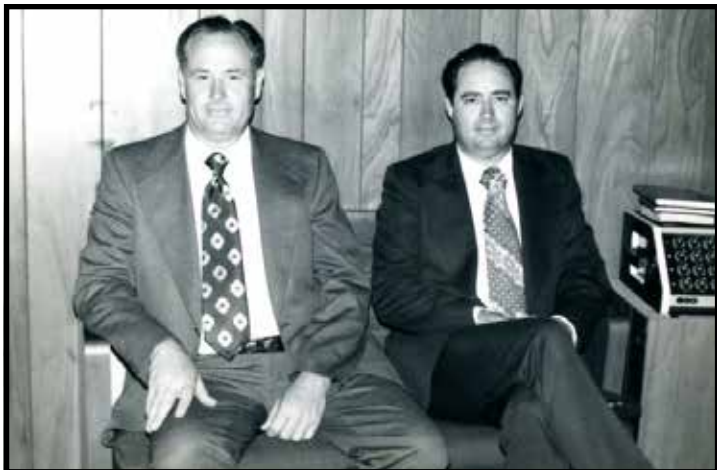
I pray the Lord will do miracles in your life also.



Eld. H. W. Morgan
1-6-14











Pallbearers

Phil Seigrist	Brad McDaniel
Landon Seigrist	Jacob Connor
Dallon Seigrist	Madison Townley

Honorary Pallbearers

Colen Seigrist	Todd Patton
Gary Rico	Kenneth Jarrel

Interment

Del Rose Dixon Cemetery
Vidor, Texas

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