



## Sid McQuary

January 10, 1919 - November 1, 2021

Sid McQuary, age 102 life long resident of Milam County, passed away early Monday morning, November 1, 2021 at his home in Thorndale. Services are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 7, 2021 at Friendship United Methodist Church near Davilla with Pastor Scott Schaller of Trinity Lutheran Church in Taylor officiating. Interment in the Friendship United Methodist Cemetery near Davilla. Visitation is 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Saturday, November 6, 2021 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

Sid McQuary was born January 10, 1919 to David Ross and Prebble (Walker) McQuary in Sharp, where he was raised and attended school. He served in the U.S. Army for 1942 to 1946 and was honorably discharged as a Staff Sergeant. He served with Company A 65th Armored Infantry. He received his Associate degree in science from Tarleton on May 16, 1942 and his BS in Agricultural Education from Texas A&M on January 24, 1947. While at A&M he was 1st Lieutenant in the Corp of Cadets. On December 5, 1955 he and Minnie Louise Schwarz began their marriage at St. John Lutheran Church in Thorndale. Mr. McQuary worked as a foreman over the Dryer Unit at IGC/TU Electric in Rockdale for 36 years retiring in 1989. He taught Ag in the Thorndale I.S.D. and was a lifelong farmer and rancher. He is a member of Friendship United Methodist Church in Davilla and St. John Lutheran Church in Thorndale.

He was preceded in death by his parents, David and Prebble McQuary; his wife, Minnie McQuary on December 4, 2006; son, Gerald Schmale; sisters, Margaret Pope, Lucille Hilliard and Irene Weydell and a brother, James C. McQuary.

Surviving are his sons, Wendell McQuary and wife Lisa of Austin, Dallas McQuary and wife Peggy of Thorndale and Austin McQuary and wife Jolynn of Tomball; daughter, Robin Bonner of Thorndale; daughter-in-law, Linda Schmale of Taylor; sister, Dorothy Callaway of Beaumont; 14 grandchildren, Christine Schmale and husband Mark Hieronymous, Jason Schmale, Mallory Robbins and husband Brad, Jennifer McQuary, Aaron McQuary, Kameron Harrison and husband Brad, Waco Bonner, Wren Samarah and husband Laith, Brazos Bonner, Brady Bonner, Madison McQuary, Hunter McQuary, Taylor McQuary and Brittany Webre and five great grandchildren, Jaxson Robbins, Braylei Robbins, Avery Harrison, Case Harrison and Micah Bonner.

Pallbearers are Brady Bonner, Brazos Bonner, Aaron McQuary, Hunter McQuary, Brad Robbins and Jason Schmale.

Memorials may be made to, Friendship United Methodist Cemetery Fund, c/o David Pope Treasurer, P.O. Box 8823, Horseshoe Bay, Texas 78657 or St. John Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 21, Thorndale, Texas 76577 or to a charity of your choice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 6. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale  
1041 West Highway 79  
Rockdale, TX 76567  
(512) 446-5454  
phillips\_luckey@yahoo.com  
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

## Church Service

NOV 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

Friendship United Methodist Church  
9027 South FM 1915  
Buckholts, TX 76518

# Tribute Wall

TR

“ *Tracie lit a candle in memory of Sid McQuary.*



Tracie - December 06, 2022 at 09:02 PM

TU

“ *Was one of the truly good, hard working, treated everyone with respect people of the world. We definitely could use more like him today.*

Turner - November 06, 2021 at 12:08 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Sid McQuary.*



November 05, 2021 at 05:38 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Sid McQuary.*



November 05, 2021 at 10:48 AM

DG

“ My brother Steve and I have memories of Sid which go back to our early life in the early 60's through our Grand Daddy Roger Gilleland of Sharp. This was about the time he had his hog operation. It was always good to run across Sid on the road or in the pasture and have a short visit. On one occasion, we spent a week building fence with him and our Daddy. His hard work ethic was known throughout the Milam County area. Always willing to help folks in need. As it was said by old Texas pioneers, "He would do to ride the river with!" A good example of "Old Army Aggie".

May he RIP,

Duke & Steve Gilleland  
Bell County, Texas

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**Duke Gilleland** - November 05, 2021 at 06:14 AM



“ Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Sid McQuary.



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November 04, 2021 at 09:06 PM

LS

“ I first met Sid when Austin & Jolynn were dating. He was so sweet and kind to our family. He loved his family and was adored by his grand and great grandkids. RIP Sid, you were loved by all who knew you.



Linda Schaefer

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**Linda Schaefer** - November 04, 2021 at 08:44 PM

JF

“ Remembering a long lived resident of Thorndale, very few make it that long. Job well done. Rest In Peace Sid McQuary.



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**John Fuessel** - November 04, 2021 at 06:07 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray* was purchased for the family of Sid McQuary.



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November 04, 2021 at 02:05 PM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Sid McQuary.



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November 03, 2021 at 03:21 PM