



## Dale Sibley

June 8, 1923 - July 15, 2008

J. Dale Sibley J. Dale Sibley, husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, uncle, brother, veteran, Mason and baseball fan died July 10, 2008. He was born in Ellis County on June 8, 1923, and graduated from Ennis High School before joining the United States Navy. He served his country as a naval aviator in the Pacific theater during World War II. When he retired, he and his wife returned to the family homestead near Bedias. He served as Chairman of the Board of the McAdams Cemetery Association. When the McAdams Chapel burned, Dale led the effort to rebuild it. Dale was a Master Mason, an active member of the Bedias Lodge and a deacon at First Baptist Church of Huntsville where he married the love of his life in 1944. He was preceded in death by his wife of 61 years, Dr. Marilyn McAdams Sibley. Mr. Sibley is survived by his children David and Pam Sibley of Waco , Stuart and Debra Sibley of Dallas, Mark and Miriam Sibley of Dallas . His grandchildren are Rachel Sibley Reid, Adam Sibley, Jonathan Sibley, Brooke Sibley, Patrick Sibley, Austin Sibley, Lee Sibley and Meredith Sibley. Great grandchildren are Cole Reid and Maryn Reid. Funeral services will be held at 9:00 am Tuesday, July 15, 2008 at McAdams Chapel under the direction of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home with Dr. David Hardage of First Baptist Church of Huntsville officiating. Interment will follow at McAdams Cemetery, Walker County, Texas. The family will receive friends Monday, July 14, 2008 from 6:00-8:00 pm at the funeral home. The family wishes to extend a special word of thanks to his First Baptist Church Sunday School Class, the Bedias

Masonic Lodge and the breakfast group at the Texan Cafe. In lieu of flowers, gifts may be given to the McAdams Cemetery Association, 4291 Pee Dee Ln, Madisonville, TX 77864 or the First Baptist Church of Huntsville Library Fund, 1229 Ave J, Huntsville, TX 77340. Memorial condolences may be made to the family online at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ Dale Sibley

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ I am sorry to hear of your loss. I got to know Mr. Sibley through the McAdams Cemetery, He was a great friend and would always give me valued advise when I needed it. May God's love surround you in this time of loss.

**gerry moore** - July 25, 2008 at 09:55 AM



“ Dear Uncle Hootsie's Family and ours too,

*What a wonderful man he was. It was a delight to get to know him again at our parent's 60th wedding anniversary party and then again at Dad's passing. You had to talk with him only a short time to know how much he missed his Marilyn, loved his family and the Lord. We have no doubt that he is reunited with Marilyn. Our prayers are with you all.*

**Bill & Grace Paone Smith** - July 14, 2008 at 07:17 PM

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“ We meet from time to time saints that walk among us with smiles. People who live and work hard day to day to contribute to their family and mankind, seeking not attention, not honors, not cheers, but simply their own satisfaction that they have done their best to live and serve by example. With our heart felt respect we share your loss of Mr. Dale. We take comfort in the knowledge that he now will be embraced for eternity by his Father who welcomes him home as a true loving son. With our love, Michael and Lyn Ousley

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**Michael and Lyn Ousley** - July 14, 2008 at 10:43 AM

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“ Our family will so miss Dale, as we have missed Marilyn. Both of you were larger than life in preserving the heritage of the McAdams family. Thanks for offering us all a model of how to live well and respectfully in your community.

*From a Jewish prayer for mourning, these words seem fitting:*

*"God grant you your portion in Eden, and give you shelter, and give you peace. May the endless source of being bring comfort to every soul and renew our spirits in compassion".*

*-Amen*

*Claire McAdams, Ben Luckens, and Ethan Luckens  
1256 Lonestar Drive  
McKinleyville, CA 95519*

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**Claire McAdams and Ben Luckens** - July 13, 2008 at 05:44 PM

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“ David and Pam, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your father but his suffering and worldly trials are over. He is in the place we all hope to be at some time and I know you will take comfort in that.

David, I am unable to attend the service as I have to go to Ohio on Sunday, but I will be thinking of you and your family at this tough time. I look forward to visiting when I return.

Your friend, Lee Loftis

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Lee Loftis - July 11, 2008 at 11:06 AM