



### “The Dash”

I read of a man who stood to speak at a funeral of a friend. He referred to the dates on the tombstone from the beginning... to the end.

He noted that first came the date of birth and spoke of the following date with tears, but he said what mattered most of all was the dash between those years.

For that dash represents all the time they spent alive on earth and now only those who loved them know what that little line is worth.

For it matters not, how much we own, the cars... the house... the cash.  
What matters is how we live and love and how we spend our dash.

So think about this long and hard; are there things you'd like to change?  
For you never know how much time is left that still can be rearranged.

To be less quick to anger and show appreciation more and love the people in our lives like we've never loved before.

If we treat each other with respect and more often wear a smile...  
remembering that this special dash might only last a little while.

So when your eulogy is being read, with your life's actions to rehash,  
would you be proud of the things they say about how you lived your dash?

By Linda Ellis

IN LOVING  
*Memory*



James Farrell McConnell, Jr.

1939 ~ 2021

*“I know in my heart that man is good, that what is right will always eventually triumph, and there is purpose and worth to each and every life.” ~ Ronald Reagan*

# James Farrell McConnell, Jr.

Born

October 27, 1939 ~ Tulsa, Oklahoma

Died

December 27, 2021 ~ Riverton, Utah

Son of

James Farrell McConnell Sr. and Mary Elizabeth McCormick

Husband and Eternal Companion of

Donna Lee McConnell

Survived by

James Farrell McConnell III (Barbara), Jonniece Francine McConnell  
Busath (Bradford), Jason Frederick McConnell (Michelle),  
Jennifer Faye McConnell Andreason (Robert)

## FUNERAL SERVICES

Friday, January 7, 2022 ~ 2:00 P.M.

Larkin Sunset Gardens

1950 East Dimple Dell Road (10600 South)

Sandy, Utah

## PALLBEARERS

James F. McConnell, III

Jason F. McConnell

Bradford R. Busath

Robert B. Andreason

James F. McConnell, IV

Samuel J. McConnell

Nathanael M. Busath

## HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Seth J. McConnell

William D. McConnell

James F. McConnell, V

Max H. McConnell

Daniel K. Mauer

Braden W. Bolen

## SERVICES

*Bishop Tom Curtis, Conducting*

Family Prayer..... Samuel J. McConnell (Grandson)



Prelude Music..... Heidi Christensen

Opening Song..... Heidi Christensen

*"Lead, Kindly Light"*

Invocation..... Meredith U. McConnell (Granddaughter)

Life Sketch ..... Jennifer F. McConnell Andreason (Daughter)

Memories of Grandpa..... Mia L. McConnell (Granddaughter)

Abigail A. Busath (Granddaughter)

James F. McConnell, IV (Grandson)

Remarks..... Jonniece F. McConnell Busath (Daughter)

Musical Number ..... Collin Christensen

*"Consider The Lilies Of The Field"*

Remarks..... Jason F. McConnell (Son)

Remarks..... James F. McConnell, III (Son)

Closing Remarks..... Bishop Tom Curtis

Closing Song ..... Heidi Christensen

*"Because I Have Been Given Much"*

Benediction..... Daniel K. Mauer



Dedication of Grave..... Nathanael McConnell Busath (Grandson)

## ENTOMBMENT

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