



Rev. Howard Adin Tannahill

May 21, 1936 - January 21, 2015

Rev. Howard Adin Tannahill, age 78 of Spring City, TN went to be with his Lord and Savior on January 21, 2015.

He was born May 21, 1936 at home in Caney, KS, the son of the late Cyrus Adin and Rachel Louetta (McCreight) Tannahill. He was raised in a Christian home and came to know Jesus as his Savior as a young boy. He committed his life to full-time Christian service as a teenager while attending Marantha Bible Camp in Maxwell, NE.

He faithfully served the Lord for 54 years at Cedine Bible Mission. He first ministered in school visitation and community ministries in 20 counties in middle Tennessee. He served as Camp Director for 33 years, Conference Director for 20 years and interim General Director for a year and a half.

He was a faithful member of Christian Fellowship Church in Grandview, TN.

He was a member of the IFCA, a member of the Christian Camp and Conference Association and served on the board of ANAM.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Corrine Ann (Stirn) Tannahill and his granddaughter Krista Marie Johnson.

He is survived by his four children, Rev. Vernon and Martha Tannahill of Spring City, TN, Vivian Johnson of Mansfield, TX, Valerie and Rev. Brent Harwerth of Fort Morgan, CO and Vera and Thomas Stalcup of Tingley, IA. He also leaves behind 21 grandchildren, Carl and Carrie Tannahill of Seattle, WA, Rachel and Jason Hahn of Youngsville, NC, Rebekah and Zak Johnson of Spokane, WA, Daniel and Ashley Tannahill of Hixson, TN, Gracia and Bradley

Matlack of Shawnee, KS, Victoria and Grant Hardaway of Arlington, TX, Jacob, Laura and Isaiah Johnson of Mansfield, TX, Nathaniel and Ashley Harwerth of Sterling, CO, Stephen Harwerth of Ainsworth, NE, Paul, Luke Harwerth of Belton, MO, Charissa Harwerth of Fort Morgan, CO and Kimberly, Andrew, Jennifer, Jason, Vanessa, Tabitha and Katrina Stalcup of Tingley, IA, eight great-grandchildren, Zachary, Ellora and Landon Tannahill, Jason Hahn, Jr., Eli and Ezekial Johnson, Kadence Tannahill and Titus Harwerth, one sister, Margaret Rensberger of Mentor, KS and two brothers, Sam Tannahill of Tahlequah, OK and Floyd Tannahill of Olathe, KS.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, January 25, 2015 at the Jubilee Center of Cedine Bible Mission. Rev. Stephen Zimmerman and Rev. John Williams will officiate. He will be laid to rest next to his wife in the Cedine Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cedine Bible Mission.

Please share your memories of Brother Howard on his on-line guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being served by the Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton. They will receive friends Sunday from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Jubilee Center at Cedine Bible Mission.

Cemetery Details

Cedine Cemetery

Spring City, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 25. 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Cedine Bible Ministries
Spring City, TN

Service

JAN 25. 3:30 PM (ET)

Cedine Bible Ministries
Spring City, TN

Tribute Wall

TU

“ I LOVED BRO. HOWARD!!! He was loving and kind to us as children and I actually felt like he liked me for just being me. He will be missed. Love and comfort and peace to the family and everyone who was touched by his life.



Tabi Upton - February 22, 2015 at 08:26 AM

FT

“ I am Howard's youngest brother and rejoice that He is with our Savior. I sure enjoyed and appreciated the the wonderful service and the warm hospitality of all the family and Cedine staff and friends. I am very grateful to our Lord that my other brother and our sister were able to attend with the help of friends and relatives. PTL.I am thankful for Howard's life of service to our Lord.I am also very glad that brother Sam and I were able to visit with Howard a little less than a year ago for a few days. Lamentations 3:20-26 "I have hope in the Lord"

Floyd Tannahill

Floyd Tannahill - January 28, 2015 at 03:02 PM

LG

“ I spent many summers at Cedine Bible Camp, and Rev Tannahill was very instrumental in my attending camp. He would visit our school where we learned Bible verses to earn a free week of camp. And when camp was not in session, he would visit us and have Bible study. He was such a gracious man who carried out the Great Commission to "Go and make disciples..." My prayers are with Vernon, Vivian, Valerie and Vera (I remember all of you) and their families that God will comfort you your this time.

Heaven is shouting!!

Lewis Gray

Lewis Gray - January 26, 2015 at 09:42 PM

EP

“ I remember that Bro. Howard would take time from his busy schedule to spend with his children. You would see him walking around Cedine, holding the hand of which ever daughter he happened to be with, making them know they were loved and treasured! He made sure he had one-on-one time with each of his 4 children and you could tell that they loved him and enjoyed that time with him. He was a godly example of what a husband and a father should be! Eileen Cundiff Poche

eileen poche - January 25, 2015 at 09:52 PM

TM

“ Bro. Howard was such a great person. He was an influence in my life as a young person. Thankful for what he did in and for our community. I enjoyed my visits to Cedine. If was a blessing to know this wonderful man.

Toni Hill McCrary - January 25, 2015 at 08:35 PM



“ *Rev. Tannahill was a positive influence in my life, at a time when there wasn't much optimism or hope. I'm a better person because I met him. RIP Brother Howard. To all the family, I celebrate his life.*

Jim Smith - January 25, 2015 at 07:53 PM



“ *When I reminisce about Camp Cedine, I can vividly hear Bro. Howard leading us in the singing of "He is Able" or "Heavenly Sunshine" in the dining room prior to the grace said before the meal. I also hear him calling for his children to leave the basketball court where we have a game going to come home for family devotions. He took a personal interest not just in me but in my life by asking me if I was choosing God's direction for my life on 2 occasions: my college and my husband. My prayers are for the family that they will have the blessed assurance that he has meet His Savior face to face and has been welcomed "good and Faithful servant. Our loss on earth is his Heavenly gain to be in glory wiith Corrine and Krista.*

faith hatcher - January 25, 2015 at 06:35 AM



“ *"Thinking back to my childhood summers, I can vividly picture Bro. Howard standing outside of Ambassador Hall with that welcoming smile and wave. He was like a beacon of safety and an icon of the peace and healing that Cedine gave me over the years.*



I remember eagerly making my way to him, anticipating his handshake, hug, and usual greeting; 'Hi Rowena, how are you? I am so glad you are here.'

His welcoming smile and simple greeting, ALWAYS felt like a warm welcome home."

Rowena Williams - January 24, 2015 at 02:26 PM

EK

“ *I have many fond memories of Howard since we were in Bible college together. His wife, Corrine, and I went to camp together before that. Our children and their children were in Bible college together, etc. They have both served the Lord faithfully and now are enjoying their rewards in their heavenly home. Their children have a wonderful heritage.*

Eula Keener

Eula Keener - January 24, 2015 at 12:37 PM

RB

“ *We have such fond memories of Brother Howard and his dear wife, Corrine, going back to Bible School days in the fifties. So sorry we are unable to be at his funeral due to Roger's health. He was a true and faithful servant of the Lord he loved. He leaves a wonderful legacy to his family and all who follow him at Cedine.*

Roger and Marge Butler - January 24, 2015 at 10:22 AM

MM

“ *I have such fond memories. Camp Celine and bible quizzes. A wonderful man. God bless you all.*

Marilyn Battles Martin



Marilyn Martin - January 24, 2015 at 10:10 AM

RN

“ *What a privilege to have known such a gracious and gentle man. He was always such an encourager to me and it was always a pleasure to see his welcoming face or to hear his voice. May the Lord be praised for the works he leaves behind.*

Randy Nabors - January 24, 2015 at 08:12 AM



“ *Wanda Williams lit a candle in memory of Rev. Howard Adin Tannahill*



Wanda Williams - January 23, 2015 at 06:55 PM



GOD be with this family and comfort them.

Wanda Williams - January 23, 2015 at 06:58 PM

RS

It was back in the early 80's that a friend encouraged me to visit Cedine and maybe offer by skills in repair work. I asked Brother Howard if he could find enough work to keep me busy for a week, when he finished with me that week I didn't know if I would ever return to Cedine again.:) I fell in love with Brother Tannahill and looked forward each year after that one to spending time at Cedine with my family. He was so encouraging to my family and many other families over the years of his service at Cedine. We will all miss Brother Howard but we are thankful that he is now in the presence of his Savior Jesus Christ.

Robert Earl Benson Sr - January 24, 2015 at 12:48 AM

EE

We are sorry we can't be there . WE AR PRAYING FOR THE FAMILY. WE KNOW BRO. HOWARD IS WITH THE LORD.


EDDIE AND CINDIE

Eddie Echols - January 24, 2015 at 07:55 PM

RJ

“ I am so blessed to have known Bro. Howard. After I graduated from high school and came to Cedine to work for the summer he called me into his office one day and told me that he saw potential in me and encouraged me to be a leader. I've always remembered that conversation and I continue to benefit from his encouraging words to me. I thank God for Bro. Howard's dedication to the work and people of God and for the legacy of faith and service he has left for us to continue. I give glory and honor to God for the blessing of Bro. Howard; a life well lived to the glory of God! --- R. Earl Benson Jr.

R. Earl Benson Jr. - January 23, 2015 at 04:37 PM

 Beckie
Carroll

“ Thanking God for Brother Howard and his testimony throughout the years. The work ethic and tenacity that I was privileged to witness from him, during my time at Cedine, helped to encourage and create responsible christian adults. Enjoy your reward Brother Howard as you sit at the feet of Jesus :) My love and prayers to Vern, Vivian, Valerie, Vera and your families. I know you will miss him...but he is only a breath away from us... and forever in our hearts.

Beckie Carroll - January 23, 2015 at 03:35 PM

MK

“ Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. The stammering tongue is now filled with praise and song to the Lord; the faltering step is now walking the street of gold; the dim eyes are now seeing the Savior for whom he longed and the wife who labored by his side. What rejoicing there is with more to come "when we all get to heaven"! You, dear Staff kids, are remembered at this time of sorrow. Mary and Fred Kerr

Mary Kerr - January 23, 2015 at 03:03 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Howard Adin Tannahill.



January 23, 2015 at 12:40 PM