



## **Richard N. McCarty, PhD, D.O., ACOFP**

March 9, 2014

Richard N. McCarty, PhD, D.O., ACOFP, 77, of Powell, Ohio, passed away peacefully at Riverside Methodist Hospital on Sunday, March 9, 2014 with his family at his side. He was born in Lansing, Michigan on October 23, 1936. Richard graduated from The University of Notre Dame with a Bachelor of Science Degree in 1958, where he was a drummer in the marching band; he received a PhD from Indiana University in Organic Chemistry in 1972, and his medical degree from Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1975, followed by completion of a rotating Internship at Doctors Hospital, Columbus, OH. Richard was a Family Physician practicing in Groveport, Ohio for 38 years. He was a member of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church Men's Club and Knights of Columbus, Council Nos. 10765. He was a past member of The Scioto Country Club, Upper Arlington, OH. Richard began his career in chemistry at Dow Corning Corporation in Midland, MI, where he was directly involved in silicone and medicinal research. While there he developed and held over 33 patents used worldwide, including for silicone caulk, sunscreen and hair straightener. Much of his work was in conjunction with Battelle Memorial Institute's early research in artificial heart transplants and silicone breast implants. He later was an Associate Editor for Chemical Abstracts, Columbus, OH and served on the Faculty Department of the OSU Chemistry Department. He was a member of the American Chemical Society. In his medical career, he was an active member of The American Association of Osteopathic Medicine, The Ohio Osteopathic Association, Member of the

6th District Academy of Osteopathic Medicine, The Ohio Association of Family Practice as well as serving on the clinical faculty of Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, training rotating medical students in his office in Family and Geriatric Medicine. He was the author of the Guide for Family Practice Physicians to receive their Fellow in Family Medicine. Preceded in death by his parents Dr. Charles and Alice (LeCour) McCarty. He is survived by his wife, Eloise of 53 years; children, Steven McCarty, Esq., Seattle, WA, Susan (Matthew) Pohlman, Delaware, OH, Anne McCarty, Columbus, OH, and Kevin McCarty, Esq., Upper Arlington, OH; five grandchildren, Eric and Erin Pohlman, and David, Grace, and Charles McCarty; a sister, Katheryn (Fergus) Barton, Cadillac, MI; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held from 4-7 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2014 at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 West Olentangy Street (Powell Road / S.R. 750 1/4 mile east of Sawmill Pkwy.), Powell, Ohio, 43065. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2014 at St. JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC CHURCH, 10700 Liberty Rd., Powell, OH 43065. Con-Celebrants will be The Reverend James Black and The Reverend Jeffrey J. Rimelspach. Burial immediately following at Resurrection Cemetery, 9571 N. High St., Lewis Center, OH 43035. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to National Kidney Foundation , 2800 Corporate Exchange Drive, Suite 260, Columbus, OH 43231 or to the Osteopathic Heritage Foundations, 1500 Lake Shore Drive, Suite 230, Columbus, OH 43204 and on the memo line write: Ohio Univ. Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine/Primary Care. Please visit [www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com) to send condolences to the McCarty Family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard N. McCarty, PhD, D.O., ACOFP*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Had the privilege of being his patient for the past 12 years. His caring and concern for me and my family was genuine and you felt it. His presence and concern while watching him convey good and bad news was felt within your heart. Finding it hard to replace him. Our heaven received an honest loving intelligent man. He will be forever missed in our community. GOD SPEED. Dr . McCarty.*

**Dianne Harper** - May 04, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *"When a great tree dies, the entire forest suffers" Dr. McCarthy was a wise and kind man!*

**Sally Blue** - March 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Eloise: I was so deeply saddened to learn of the loss of your husband. What a brilliant career he had. I know he will be deeply and sadly missed by you, the children and grandchildren. I am so very sorry. Many Blessings to you and yours, Sandy*

**Sandra K. Neufeld** - March 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ To the McCarty Family;

*I was son Steve's secretary for a brief time when he was a young lawyer in Columbus.*

*I am very sorry for your loss -- I'm sure that Dr. McCarty was extremely proud of his entire family. My special thoughts are with you.*

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**Carol Dailey** - March 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *Deepest sympathy to your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

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**Cristina Randall** - March 12, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Richard N. McCarty, PhD, D.O., ACOFP*

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March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *He was a dear doctor to our family,he will be missed.*

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**joanne cassery** - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ I am very sorry for your loss. He was my childhood Doctor all the way up until I started working and insurance forced me to pick a primary care. This Man among other things being my Doc used dry ice to remove a wart, Taught me what a blood clot was and what the technical term was for that which I can not spell and most importantly, once when I couldn't breath for 2 weeks immediately shoved me over the table and cracked my back in some fashion, Was the best breath of air I had ever felt in life to that point and since. A man that didn't need medicine all the time to fix you, a teacher in life and a Man I deeply respect. God speed Sir, wish I could give you some of the breath you once gave me, I would in a heart beat. You and your loved ones are in my prayers and you will be in a good place for sure. God Bless you all, the Family, in your time of need

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**Glen Blankenship** - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ To Mrs. McCarty, we loved Doc and you so very much. If you ever need us, please call. I always loved or visits and looked forward to talking sports with him!

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**Steven & Misty Adams** - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family. May you find peace during the loss of your loved one.  
Patients of Dr. McCarty's: Geneva (Jenny) McClandis, Janet Milliner and (former patient) Rosemarie Skunza Knight

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**Rosemarie Skunza Knight** - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *Our thoughts and. Prayers are with you. We are so saddened to lose such a good friend, but know he is at peace with our Lord. With our love to you, Eloise, and your family. Dick and Kathy*

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**Richard and Kathy Stranges** - March 11, 2014 at 12:00 AM