



## Benjamin F. Arvin

July 2, 1931 - February 20, 2012

Suddenly, on February 20, 2012, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ARVIN, JR was called by God in his infinite wisdom to rest in his heavenly home. Benjamin Franklin Arvin, Jr was born on July 2, 1931 to the late Benjamin Franklin Arvin, Sr. and Elizabeth Barnes. He was the second of three children one brother, who preceded him in death, the late Charles Everett Brogden. He was raised in the Baptist faith baptized at Fountain Baptist Church and attended the Baltimore city public school System.

After school, "Benny" as he was affectionately called, taught himself to drive a manual shift car at the age of sixteen. It was this love automobiles that motivated him to enroll into Lincoln Technical Automotive School. He spent many days in the library searching the history of cars made in the United States beginning with Henry Ford's first automobile.

Benny was from the old school work ethics and was employed for twenty years at the Holtite Manufacturing Company. His motto was "work some, save some." For the next twenty years Benny was employed at the John Lucas Printing company where he learned the art of printing and bookbinding.

Devoted to his parents, Benny was first and foremost a gentleman with a soft spoken , genteel manner who made friends easily. He was a staunch

democrat, deep thinker and a lifetime supporter of the NAACP. When friends and family members needed help of a financial nature he would say, "Let me think about it, I'll see what I can do" and he always came through.

Benny was generous uncle to his many nieces and nephews and took pleasure in leading his car for driving instruction and prom dates. One of his favorite pastimes was listening to old Baltimore Orioles baseball games on the radio which Chuck Thompson as the announcer. Later, Benny became an aficionado in studying the stock markets and for twenty-five years he was a shrewd investor in the major stock brands such as Dow Jones, Nasdaq and Standard and Poor. Acquiring the gift of knowing when to sell, buy or trade and possessing money management skills afforded Benny to enjoy life with no worries and thereby a new nickname was coined. He was, "The Banker" who could be found relaxing in the cool of the day with a cold beverage. So rest now Benny in the peace that surpasses all understanding.

Benny is survived by: one loving sister, Shirley Hux; one devoted sister-in-law, Louise Brodgen; and a host of nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery Details

## Arbutus

1101 Sulphur Spring Rd.  
Baltimore, MD 21227

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

FEB 27. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore  
1101 East North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
(410) 727-3300  
info@marchfh.com

## Wake

FEB 28. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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FEB **28**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Benjamin F. Arvin

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Let Jehovah God be your source of comfort and peace during these difficult times.(Psalm 34:18)

**M.Johnson** - February 27, 2012 at 11:07 AM



“ Dear family, I am sorry for your loss. May each of you find comfort in knowing that God is "near to those that are broken at heart ;and those who are crushed in spirit he saves."

**Kevin Douglas** - February 25, 2012 at 09:22 PM

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“ Please accept my deepest sympathy for the loss of your dear Benjamin. Losing a loved one is the hardest thing a family has to go through. Reading the scriptures can be a great source of comfort to help loved ones to cope with their sorrow. In the book of Genesis it tells us of God's original purpose for Adam and Eve; for them to live in a peaceful, paradise earth and how they lost out on their paradise home and everlasting life for themselves and their offspring. All through the scriptures God outlined his marvelous purpose to restore paradise to the earth and make it possible for us to obtain everlasting life. John 3:16 tells us: For God loved the world so much that he gave his Only-begotten Son, in order that everyone exercising faith in him might not be destroyed but have everlasting life. He promises: For just as the new heavens and the new earth that I am making are standing before me, is the utterance of Jehovah, so the offspring of you people and the name of you people will keep standing. After the last enemy, death, is brought to nothing, then all those in the memorial tombs will hear Jesus' voice and come out to a resurrection of life. 1st Cor 15:26, John 5:28,29 May God's promises comfort you and help to keep your hope burning brightly.

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**Rita Johnson** - February 21, 2012 at 07:12 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 21, 2012 at 04:16 PM