



George B. Brooks Jr.

July 31, 1954 - September 1, 2025

George Brooks, Jr., affectionately known as “Benny”, was born on July 31, 1954 in Baltimore, Maryland to the late George B. Brooks, Sr. and Geneva (Jordan) Brooks. After battling chronic illness for several years, he passed away on September 1, 2025.

Benny was educated in the Baltimore City Public School system. He went on to earn his GED. As a child, he spent many happy summers in Unionville, Maryland, visiting with his grandmother, Dorothy Virginia Brooks, and his cousins. After the death of his mother in 1989, Benny and his father developed a special bond. Benny helped care for his father during his final years at home until George, Sr. entered nursing home care, where he passed in 2023.

After he was hospitalized in 2022, Benny initially went to live in the home of his aunt, Carol A. Parran, and then during the last years of his life (except for the final two months he spent at Charis Home Assisted Living), he resided at the home of his aunt, Dr. Shirley T. Thomas. For a year and a half, Benny attended St. Ann Adult Day Services in Baltimore, MD, where, according to staff members, he enjoyed studying the Bible, exercising, and playing checkers.

Benny is survived by his aunts, Carol A. Parran, Dr. Shirley T. Thomas, and

his uncle, David E. Thomas. Benny is also survived by his aunt, Alma Jackson, who helped take care of him when he was a child in Baltimore; his cousins, Rev. Earle Maurice Brooks and his wife, Lillie Brooks, Portia A. Phillips, Valerie M. Brooks, Dwayne E. Brooks, Janet Brooks, Gelson Brooks, Carolyn Brooks, Marie Martin, Richard Boulden, Zachary J. Leacock, Dr. Leroy Myers, George O. Parran III, Theresa L. Watson, Elizabeth Watson Ray, Oscar Watson Jr., Justin Cantu, and Jarrid Thomas, as well as a host of other dear family members, and his long-time Baltimore neighbors.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park

8710 Dogwood Road
Baltimore, MD 21244

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP **19**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

Wake

SEP **20**. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Funeral Service

SEP **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

Tribute Wall



“ 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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