



William H. Bryan

September 23, 1932 - June 18, 2002

William Harry Bryan, Jr., departed this life in the place he loved best, doing the thing he loved best—he was in his house, doing the tasks that make a house a home. Born on September 23, 1932 to William Harry, Sr. and the former Harriett Sutton, he was the first of four children. His siblings, Samuel Bryan, Betty Rose Wright, and Naomi Lambert, survive him. Harry attended Baltimore City public schools and Catonsville Community College. His youthful career as a caddy sparked a lifelong interest in golf. He served his country in Korea, being honorably discharged from the U.S. Army in 1954. After holding several positions in private industry, Harry worked at the Social Security Administration, retiring in 1987. Not one ever to sit still, he started a second career of 10 years with Rukert Terminals corporation, retiring again in 1999. Embracing retirement the second time around, Harry returned to the golf greens, this time as an avid player. Throughout his life, Harry's family always came first. He went to great lengths to keep contact with his first son Wayne. His first marriage to the former Betty Singletary produced three children whom he adored: Valerie Bryan, Yvette Morton (now deceased), and David Bryan. At Harry's death on June 18, 2002, his union with wife Joan was 37 years strong. The children from their marriage, Kimberley and William Bryan III, were his pride and joy. He devoted untold hours to Little League Baseball, Football and Softball. Over the years, his children always knew they could count on his love and support. And as they matured, Harry lost no opportunity to share their achievements. He was the quintessential "Family Man." Besides his wife and

children, those who will share fond memories of him include his mother-in-law, Bernice Green, numerous nieces and nephews, grand-and great-grandchildren, and golfing companions Emanuel Williams and Ebeau Harris. He can never be replaced.

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“ *William H. Bryan*

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“ *Dear Kim, I am so very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Please don't hesitate to call on me if there is anything I can do for you. Best regards, Dawn*###imported-begin###Dawn Kennedy###imported-end##

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“ *Please accept our condolences in this time of great sorrow for you. The love you shared will help sustain you and bring you peace.*###imported-begin###The March Family and Staff###imported-end##

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“ *Kim and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you.*###imported-begin###Lori Villegas###imported-end##

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“ *to joan and family: i am so sorry to hear about the loss of your husband and father. joan, please know that i am thinking of you in this time of grief.*###imported-begin###dorothy york###imported-end##

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“ To Joan and her Family I am truly truly sorry for your loss...I know and loved your mother for years;my nephew Timothy Roberson, told me of your sudden loss.May God Bless you and watch over you.##imported-begin##Vashti M. Bristol##imported-end##

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“ Kim- I am very sorry to hear about your loss. My sympathies go out to you and your family. Katie##imported-begin##Katie George##imported-end##

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“ Kim, please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!##imported-begin##Kimberly Harden##imported-end##

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“ My dear Joan and Family, Words can't express a loss of a very dear loved one. Each and everyday you think of them. There are so many things to remind you of them. Keep Harry close in your heart by your cherished memories of 37 yrs. We are here but a short time, enjoy each day as if it is your last. Live, Love and Laugh and as our girl would say, "don't sweat the small stuff" and how very true. His journey here on earth is finished. He has moved forward....in space and in time.....Love You, Vera Nelson##imported-begin##Vera Nelson##imported-end##

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“ To my husband Harry, It's Thanksgiving and you've been gone 5 months. Life is hardly worth living without you here. I'd do anything to have you back with me!##imported-begin##Wife
Joan##imported-end##

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“ Daddy...I miss you so very much and I miss your hugs. I think about you everyday. Thank you for everything you instilled in me. You taught me everything I need to know to be a better person...love, honesty, forgivenss and respect for yourself and others. When people try to understand what it truly means to be a loving, understanding, and caring father and husband, they should have had the opportunity to meet a wonderful man such as yourself. I look forward to you being a part of our special day when I get married in January, I know you will be there. Love for ever more, Kim.##imported-begin##Daughter Kim##imported-end##

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“ I Love You Daddy!##imported-begin##Daughter Kim##imported-end##

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“ *Dad, it's still so hard for me to believe that you're not here anymore. It seems like just yesterday that you were here with Mommy decorating the little Christmas tree in my little apartment. I know that when I come home for Christmas, I'm going to expect to see you sitting in your favorite chair in the basement by the stove. I really wish you could have met Carolina, your daughter-in-law. I know you would have adored her. Hopefully, I can become half the father and husband you were. I will always remember and love you, Dad. Rest in peace until we see each other again. Love always, Your son, Billy##imported-begin##Your Son Billy##imported-end##*

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