



Benjamin Harold Ray, Jr.

April 5, 1943 - February 9, 2022

Benjamin Harold Ray (78)

Passed away Wednesday, February 9, 2022, of Alexandria, VA. Loving husband to Sylvia Ann Ray; beloved father to Benjamin Harold Ray, III (Margaret), and Stephen Harold Ray; Grandfather to Benjamin Harold Ray, IV, Theodore Michael Ray, Alexis Seville, Christina Reiss (step) and Jad Mawazini (step); Great grandfather to Raven, Harper, Austin (step) and Bentley (step); Brother to Diane Miller (deceased), Donna Jean Rhoades, Sandi Jewell (Bill) and many nieces and nephews. He will truly be missed by many.

Benjamin (Ray) went by many different names. Ray, Brother, Bubby, Dad, Grandpa and Pa Pa. He was a dedicated family man and worked hard to ensure his family was provided for. Every day. He believed that there was no trick or easy way to get ahead in life, as only hard work and devotion to family was the answer to success. He achieved success!

His kindness and generosity will be remembered by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

Relatives and friends may call at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria, VA 22315 on Monday, February 14, 2022 from 4 PM to 7 PM where a funeral service will be held the following morning at 11 AM. Interment Mt. Comfort Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made in Benjamin's memory to St. Jude or a charity of your choosing.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **14**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Drive
Alexandria, VA 22315
(703) 971-7400
info@jeffersonfuneralchapel.com
<https://www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com>

Funeral Service

FEB **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

FEB **15**. 12:15 PM (ET)

Mt. Comfort Cemetery
6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Tribute Wall



“ Benjamin Harold Ray, Jr.

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ I'm deeply sorry for your loss, Ray was the most honest person I have ever known. He was very proud of his family and very devoted to his wife of many years. Ray and his wife did a lot of work for me when I was employed at Bayvue Apartments and you would never meet people as honest and nice as they were. Ray always spoke highly about his wife, children and grandkids. I will truly miss Ray, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



Debbie Sauls formally of Bayvue Apartments

Debra Sauls - February 15, 2022 at 07:48 PM



“ Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Benjamin Harold Ray, Jr..



February 14, 2022 at 02:07 PM

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“ *Mitzie Overby Weymouth purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Benjamin Harold Ray, Jr..*



Mitzie Overby Weymouth - February 12, 2022 at 01:09 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Benjamin Harold Ray, Jr..*



February 12, 2022 at 09:05 AM

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“ *I have pictures somewhere of Uncle Ray and Aunt Sylvia at a few of my birthday parties growing up. They were always around and ready to lend a hand if needed. Seeing Uncle Ray walking around the neighborhood always made me smile.*

Dawn Gaston - February 11, 2022 at 08:12 PM