



Benjamin Allen McGraw

July 25, 1947 - September 24, 2023

Benjamin Allen McGraw "Benny", 76, of Gardendale, Alabama, passed away peacefully September 24th at home surrounded by family and loved ones.

He was born in Birmingham, and grew up in Morris, Alabama with his beloved aunt, Estelle McGraw Ward "Sis". Benny attended Mortimer Jordan High School, graduating from Corner High School before joining his family produce business.

Benny is survived by his wife of 52 years, Karen Wood McGraw; four sons, Troy (Angie), Greg, Adam (Allison), Bret (Tara); grandchildren, Braden (Kimie), Shelby Snow (Colton), Kati, Courtney, Ty, Camryn Strickland (Sawyer), Caise and Stella, and a host of special nieces, nephews, friends and family & loyal canine companion, Bart.

Visitation is Thursday, September 28th from 6-8 p.m. at Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home located at 2214 Decatur Hwy, Gardendale, AL 35071. The funeral service is Friday, September 29th at 2 p.m. at the same location.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **28.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home
2214 Decatur Highway
Gardendale, AL 35071
(205) 631-8810
gardendalefuneralhome2@gmail.com

Funeral Service

SEP **29.** 2:00 PM (CT)

Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home
2214 Decatur Highway
Gardendale
Gardendale, AL 35071

Tribute Wall

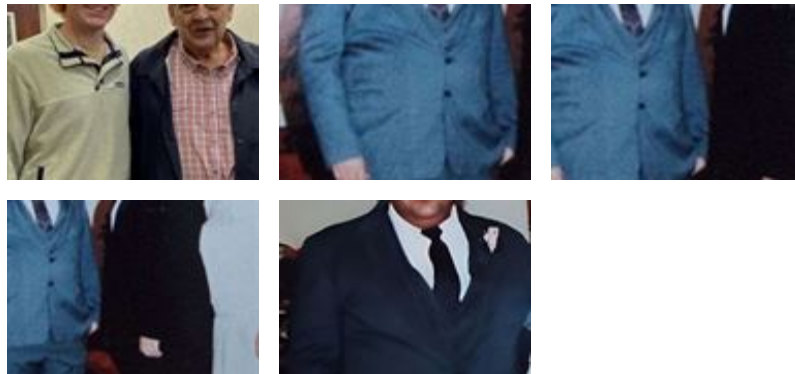


“ *I'm so sorry for the loss of Benny , my hearts go out to you all ! He loved Karen I enjoyed seeing them interact with each other! His dog was everything to him ! You will be missed!* ”

Marilyn - September 30, 2023 at 01:10 AM



“ *51 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Gardendale Heritage Funeral Home - September 28, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Benjamin Allen McGraw.* ”



September 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Benjamin Allen McGraw.*



September 28, 2023 at 10:44 AM



“ *Jewell Allred lit a candle in memory of Benjamin Allen McGraw*



Jewell Allred - September 28, 2023 at 08:27 AM



Benny was my first employer. He taught me so much. He was intimidating, to say the least, (lol) but had such a gentle soul. I admired him for the love he had for his family, especially for Karen and the boys. He was one of a kind and will be greatly missed. Love, Jewell

Jewell Allred - September 28, 2023 at 08:33 AM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Benjamin Allen McGraw.*



September 28, 2023 at 08:06 AM



“ *Your "Legendary" Family @ Newcoast Ins purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Benjamin Allen McGraw.*



Your "Legendary" Family @ Newcoast Ins - September 27, 2023 at 12:26 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Benjamin Allen McGraw.*



September 27, 2023 at 09:29 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Benjamin Allen McGraw.*

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