

Benjamin G. Gertner

May 15, 1915 - February 23, 2013

Benjamin B. Gertner, age 97, passed away on February 23, 2013 in New York. Preceded in death by his wife, Sarah Gertner and brothers, Louis Gertner, Abe Gertner and Irving Gertner. He is survived by his son, Michael Gertner; daughter, Nikki (Fani) Koutsiaftis; sisters-in-law, Ruth Stone and Naomi Cline; many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held at 11:00am on Monday, February 25th at NEW AHAVAS SHOLOM CEMETERY, 2565 Performance Pkwy. with Rabbi Chaim Ackerman officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations are preferred to Congregation Ahavas Sholom in his memory.

Events

FEB Service 11:00AM

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New Ahavas Sholom Cemetery
2565 Performance Parkway, Columbus, OH, US

Comments



Hi Michael: God made fathers because there was too much work for god and mothers to do. Your life is rich. I share your grief. God bless you and the memories. Samuel Ingwersen

Samuel Ingwersen - March 05, 2013 at 01:09 PM



66 Michael,

I was truly sorry to learn about the loss of your father.

I have great memories of our years at Columbus Academy and would enjoy seeing you if I get to New York City.

Sincerely, Ed Griffiths

Edward Griffiths - March 04, 2013 at 05:51 PM



66 Mike & Nikki,

So very sorry for your loss. May your memories keep smiles on your faces. Nikki, it has been far too long. My very best to you.

Jeff

Jeff Grossman - February 26, 2013 at 06:13 PM



DEAR GERTNER FAMILY. I WAS SO VERY7 SORRY TO LEARN OF BEN'S PASSING. I KNEW HIM SINCE I WAQS A KID. ANY TIME A PERSON CAN LIVE TO REACH 97 YEARS OLD THEY HAVE LIVED A FULL LIFE. THAT IS A GRAT THING. MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO ALL OF YOU. MARTY ALPER

MARTY ALPER - February 26, 2013 at 05:34 PM



mike, i was sorrowed to learn of your fathers passing as i have just lost my mother at 93 and i can still feel the lost.

As a classmate and former neighbor please think of Columbus with fondness and that your classmates are thinking of you, and your family. We were sorry to not see you at our 50th but were thinking of you when Tom Parry showed us your year books. Dave Ingalls

David Ingalls - February 26, 2013 at 03:52 PM



Mike, there is a time for all things, and from the current void, I hope you find the memories of past joy and laughter comfort you. Sorry you could not join us at reunion, we were all as young as we were 50 years ago. God's peace be with you.

Jeff McNealey - February 26, 2013 at 03:38 PM