



Benjamin "Ben" Maurice Hughey

July 12, 1936 - March 22, 2019

Benjamin "Ben" Maurice Hughey, 82, of Summerville, passed away March 22, 2019, after suffering a heart attack that morning.

Friends and family are invited to attend Ben's memorial service on Tuesday, March 26, 2019 at 5 o'clock at James A. Dyal Funeral Home, Summerville. There will be a private family burial service.

Ben was born July 12, 1936, in Union, S.C. For 52 years, he was the loving and devoted husband of Frederica (Frieda) Lehmann Hughey, MD. Surviving is a son, Stephen Michael Hughey of Portland, Oregon. Ben was preceded in death by his parents, Benjamin Hoke Hughey and Flora Surrett Hughey of Clinton, S.C.

Ben directed numerous church choirs beginning at the age of 17. He graduated from Furman University in 1958, followed by a stint in the U.S. Army. A life-long lover of music, Ben earned a Master's Degree in Voice at the University of Alabama. He was a member of a German opera company. During summers, Ben studied voice on the island of Elba and enjoyed opera tours throughout Italy. He worked on a Doctorate in Voice Performance in Morgantown, W.V.

Ben had a passion for opera and a love for animals. He will be remembered

fondly by his extended family and many friends. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Metropolitan Opera, 30 Lincoln Center Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10023, or to an animal shelter of one's choice.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at www.jamesadyal.com.

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE SC 29483 (843-873-4040).

Previous Events

Service

MAR **26**. 5:00 PM (ET)

James A. Dyal Funeral Home Chapel
303 S. Main Street
Summerville, SC 29483

Tribute Wall



“ *James A Dyal Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Benjamin "Ben" Maurice Hughey*



James A Dyal Funeral Home - March 25, 2019 at 10:24 AM



“ *Benjamin "Ben" Maurice Hughey*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathies go out to you and your family. May God give you the peace that you seek.*

Frank and Mildred Williams

Frank Williams - March 27, 2019 at 08:54 PM



“ *Goodbye my friend.....maybe someday in a different time and space, we will meet again!!*

Michael McCollum

Michael McCollum - March 27, 2019 at 12:01 PM

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“ *Shampa and family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Benjamin "Ben" Maurice Hughey.*



Shampa and family - March 26, 2019 at 01:53 PM

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“ *It is an honor to call Ben and Frieda Hughey our true friends, We will always remember you both as gracious and loving people. Peace and strength to you all now. Remember, love never dies!*

David and Sarah Brown

David Brown - March 25, 2019 at 10:47 PM