



Benjamin H. O'Hara

July 20, 1992 - August 17, 2013

Benjamin Harrison O'Hara of Barclay, MD, left us to move on to his next journey on Saturday, August 17, 2013. He was 21.

Benjamin H. O'Hara came into this world on July 20, 1992, in Baltimore, MD, the son of Ronald and Susan O'Hara. Benjamin graduated from Gunston in 2010 and went on to attend Hood College for a brief time and then took classes at Chesapeake Community College. All through his life, Benjamin was a quiet and reserved individual with a gift of patience. He traveled through life with wisdom beyond his years and touched all those he came into contact with. Some of his interests included ballroom dancing, being involved with theatre, baking gourmet desserts, watching anime, and writing, especially short stories. He loved his family and his dog, Maggie, and cat, Patch.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Lillian M. Wootton and Harry D. Wootton Sr., and paternal grandparents, Theresa O'Hara and Leo B. O'Hara, as well as two uncles, Harry D. Wootton, Jr., and Frederick B. Wootton.

He is survived by his parents, Ronald and Susan O'Hara of Barclay, MD; one sister, Elizabeth M. O'Hara of Rock Hall; and two brothers, Michael P. O'Hara and his wife Shannon of Baltimore and John T. O'Hara and his wife Britnie of Baltimore; his aunts, Linda L. King of Finksburg, MD, Marilyn K. Wootton of

Fort White, FL, and Michelle N. Wootton of Daytona Beach Shores, FL; and his uncles, David W. Wootton and his wife Susan of Brooklandville, MD, and Leo F. O'Hara of Baltimore, as well as many dear friends.

A memorial service will be held August 24 at 11 a.m. at Calvary Asbury United Methodist Church in Sudlersville, MD.

In lieu of flowers, the family would like special prayers to be sent to the transplant recipients of Ben's organs, a donation to your favorite charity, or hug someone you love.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **24**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Calvary-Asbury United Methodist Church
103 N. Church St.
Sudlersville, MD

Tribute Wall



“ Benjamin H. O'Hara

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Benjamin H. O'Hara

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Benjamin H. O'Hara

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Dear O'Hara family...we are deeply shocked and saddened to hear the news of Ben's passing...we are praying for you all and will continue to keep you in our hearts...we are very sorry...The Roe family

Mimi Roe - August 26, 2013 at 07:55 AM



“ I am shocked and very sad to hear about Ben's passing. Please know that I am thinking about you, Susan, and that you and your family are in my prayers.
Pam Duke

Pam Duke - August 24, 2013 at 04:45 PM

LS

“ I remember both Ben and Elizabeth from my front office position at Gunston. My condolences to your entire family. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. Lois Saunders

Lois Saunders - August 23, 2013 at 08:15 PM

KG

“ Ben was one of those people who somehow never failed to be able to put someone in a good mood if they were having a bad day. Within minutes he could have anyone laughing. He was such a great person to be around and I am blessed to have gone to high school with him and to have been able to act with him in different plays. He had an admirably good heart and gave the best hugs. Miss you, Ben, see you soon.

Katherine Gross - August 22, 2013 at 09:52 AM

SS

“ We are so very sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in our heart, thoughts and prayers. Our deepest sympathy, Sheila, Rachael, Ben And Josh.

Sheila Schmidt - August 21, 2013 at 07:11 PM

SM

“ On behalf of the Church Hill Theatre family, please accept our deepest sympathy on the loss of your son and family member. We were blessed to have shared summers with him in Green Room Gang and will miss his quiet smile and wonderful, generous demeanor. He was admired and loved by all of us at CHT. God bless you and your family. Sylvia Maloney

sylvia maloney - August 21, 2013 at 07:03 PM



My sincerest sympathy for your loss. He will be missed

Tina Johnson - August 22, 2013 at 10:22 PM

SO

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of Ben. He was a terrific friend and better person overall. I'm honored to have been his friend, and will remember him always. He was one of those people you don't easily forget about. Your family is in my thoughts.*

Sofia Ortiz - August 21, 2013 at 02:24 PM

KA

“ *Dear Susan ,Ron and Elizabeth, Benjamin was loved. Susan and Ron you have both been dedicated and supportive parents. I hope you are all at peace and are comforted by Ben's final gifts.*

We love you and will remember Ben. Katie and Tom Gibbs



katie - August 21, 2013 at 02:18 PM

LI

“ *Dear Susan & family,
I am so sorry for the loss of Ben. I kept him in my prayers but now he will know most fulfilling peace and happiness that can only come from God and he will always be safe. You (& your family) will be in my prayers. Ben was blessed, if only for a short time in this world, with a wonderful mother and family. I will truly miss him.
With the most sincerest sympathy and prayers,
Lisa Flynn*

Lisa - August 21, 2013 at 12:38 PM

CM

“ Ben could always lighten the mood of a room. Always. He was so sweet and sensitive, yet one of the funniest people I know. He was a great actor and performer and was such a fun person to be with. He could always find humor in SOMETHING. Ben, you will be greatly missed, but never forgotten. RIP, Buddy.

Conor Maloney - August 21, 2013 at 10:01 AM

TP

“ We are so saddened to hear of the loss of Benjamin. We stand with this family in our thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time. May God's Grace and Strength shelter this family in the days ahead. With heavy hearts, Your SI Family

Tiffany Pigg - August 21, 2013 at 08:09 AM

FE

“ I'm so sorry for the loss of this precious young one, the pain is always indescribable please know that you are not alone. Jesus' whole-hearted concern for the weak was the same as his Father's feelings "Likewise it is not a desirable thing with our Father who is in Heaven for one of these young to perish. " Matthew 18:14. May Jesus' prayer in Matthew 6:10, as well be your firm hope for the future, "Let your Kingdom come. Let your will take place, as in Heaven, also upon Earth." Psalms 115:16; John 5:28,29; Psalms 37:10,11

Felicia - August 20, 2013 at 04:15 PM

DC

“ We, Calloways, shared so many fun times with Ben. He was an integral part of our ballroom dancing group of four for ten, fantastic years. Ben completed the team of Angie Calloway, Chessie Calloway, and Alex Walls. Ever since he was in first grade, Ben regaled us with his humor, his witty insights, and tremendous warmth. Thank you, Elizabeth, Susan, and Ron, for sharing your wonderful Benjamin with us. We will all treasure the happy moments Ben shared with us. Ben, your memory still lights up our lives! Peace and love always. Darryl, Lucia, Angelica, and Francesca Calloway

Darryl Calloway - August 20, 2013 at 02:10 PM

JS

“ We are so sorry to hear this. Ben was one of Rachel's first friends in Kindergarten. I still have the love note he sent her in school . I know you all are missing him terribly. Let us know if we can do anything for you. Jody, Dale and Rachel, Hannah

Jody Story - August 20, 2013 at 12:55 PM

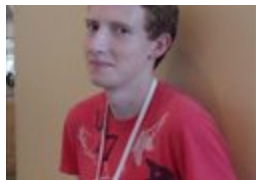
 Becky
Rash

“ I worked with ben. He was such a sweetheart and so nice. I will miss him so much. I have to work so I don't think I can make it to the funeral to give my condolences so I'm doing it here. Ben will be looking down on all of us. I can see him smiling right now. I'm very sorry for you loss and my prayers will be with his whole family. <3

Becky Rash - August 20, 2013 at 12:18 PM



“ 4 files added to the album Memories Album



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 20, 2013 at 10:16 AM

KO

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this very difficult time. Ben was able to touch so many lives in such a short period of time. He was a bright light in this world and he will be missed dearly by so many. Love - Kristin, Ray, and Lila Owens

Kristin Owens - August 19, 2013 at 12:07 PM

LM

Susan and Ron, We were so saddened to learn of your tragic loss. Ben was such a sweet gentle soul. I pleased that Ryan was able to share so many happy years with him at Kent School. We will remember him, as well as you and your family, in our prayers. In sympathy, Lynn and Bill Bickley

Lynn K. Bickley, M.D. - August 20, 2013 at 08:34 PM

DF

Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. He will truly be missed. God Bless.
Malcolm, Dianne, Kari and Ginny Faust

Dianne Faust - August 25, 2013 at 05:39 PM