



Robert Arney

April 21, 1932 - November 12, 2024

Robert Cordell Arney, a resident of Madison Heights, passed away on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at the age of 92. A son of Beverly Cordell and Mattie Olvernie Arney, he was born in Lillydale, Tennessee. Bob made his career as a maintenance mechanic for SOCCRA, a waste management company.

Bob's favorite place was in the garage, reclining with a can of Budweiser and a cigar. An avid deer hunter, he spent time at his cottage in Deckerville maintaining the property. Bob was a "sweet southern gentleman" to his wife, Phyllis, and a jokester to everyone else. His nieces and nephews recall Bob chasing them around the house most days, and gifting them coupon books from McDonalds for every Christmas. He will be missed dearly by all who knew him.

Beloved husband of Phyllis. Loving uncle and cherished great-uncle to many nieces and nephews. Dear brother of Billy Ray, Benny Keith, Curly, and James Arney.

Friends and family will gather on Monday, December 9, from 3:00 to 8:00 pm with a memorial service at 5:00 pm at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors, 705 W. Eleven Mile Rd. (4 blks. E. of Woodward), Royal Oak, 48067.

Please share a memory at www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

DEC 9. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
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Tribute Wall

DM

“ *Debbie Marshall lit a candle in memory of Robert Arney*



Debbie Marshall - November 24, 2024 at 02:22 PM

DM

“ *Rest in peace with our father, Bob. To all who knew and loved him, especially Phyllis, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.*

Debbie Marshall

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SA

“ *So glad I was able to see you recently, even under the circumstance, you were always so fun to be around. Being your great niece was an honor ❤️ rest easy and enjoy being with the angels we have !*

Stephanie Amore - November 15, 2024 at 10:36 PM

BS

“ *One of my favorite memories is when Uncle would sit outside at grandma's and let me do hair and makeup on him. Going to miss you uncle. Love you*

Brenda St.laurent - November 14, 2024 at 04:18 PM

KB

“ *Love and miss you always uncle bob!!!*

karen m Brickwedde - November 14, 2024 at 12:23 PM