



## Rev. Barry J. Arnold

July 16, 1942 - July 26, 2024

Rev. Barry J. Arnold, 82, of Lebanon, went home to heaven on Friday, July 26, 2024, at his home. He was the husband of the late Lois J. (Hess) Arnold.

Born in Cocolamus, PA on July 16, 1942, he was the son of the late John W. and Mary P. (Snyder) Arnold. For over 60 years he faithfully served in ministry. He pastored churches in Henderson, MD, Mount Pleasant Mills, PA, and he retired after 35 years of serving as the pastor of the God's Missionary Church in Lebanon. Following his retirement he then pastored in Salunga, and he was currently pastoring at the Lebanon Gospel Center. Over the years he served as the Conference Vice President, a member of the Penn View Bible Institute Board and served on the World Mission Board. He played a key role in founding the God's Missionary Church Youth Camp, and he was the co-founder of the Bus and Outreach Convention. His life was spent in ministry, but in his free time he enjoyed working on his farm. For many years he had a produce stand at the Lebanon Farmer's Market and sold produce at his farm. He loved his Allis Chalmers tractors and adding to his toy collection. He was a member of the Eastern States Allis Chalmers Collectors Association.

He is survived by his sons Thomas E. husband of Yolande Arnold of Lebanon, Daniel B. Arnold of Myerstown, Nathan J. husband of Heidi Arnold of Selinsgrove and Matthew L. husband of Lorinda Arnold of Jonestown; his daughter Dorcas R. wife of Philip Bishop of Bowdon, GA; a brother Lester

husband of Jeannie Arnold of Jonestown; eleven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. Joshua Arnold; Jordan (Katie) Arnold and Tommy, Grant & Ellie; Joslyn (Darren) Habecker and Brooklyn, Hailey & Hudson; Janessa (Joel) Kauffman; Brandon (Brittany) Arnold and Aiden & Mia; Derrik & Makaela Arnold; Johnathan (Lexi) Arnold and Adam & Theodore; and Blake, Braxton & Brynlee Bishop. He was preceded in death by an infant sister Anna Mae Arnold.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 30, 2024, at the God's Missionary Church, 2127 Hill St., Lebanon. There will be a viewing at the church on Monday from 4:00-7:00 p.m. and beginning at 9:00 a.m. until the start of the service on Tuesday. Interment will follow at Wenger's Meeting House Cemetery, Jonestown.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Penn View Bible Institute, P.O. Box 970, Penns Creek, PA 17862 or to Hope International Missions, P.O. Box 1065, Hobe Sound, FL 33475.

Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory, Jonestown, is honored to serve the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Wenger's Cemetery

Jonestown, PA 17038

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUL **29**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

God's Missionary Church  
2127 Hill St  
Lebanon, PA 17046-2749  
(717) 273-3690

## Public Viewing

JUL **30**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

God's Missionary Church  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Rev. Barry J. Arnold*



**Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.** - July 28, 2024 at 08:35 PM

LK

*Very beautiful video of Barry. Family and Friends*

**Larry Kuhns** - July 29, 2024 at 11:03 PM

MR

“ *Miriam Rivera lit a candle in memory of Rev. Barry J. Arnold*



**Miriam Rivera** - July 29, 2024 at 06:25 PM

MR

*I have so much to be Thankful. Rev. Barry Arnold was such a great man God. When I met Rev. Arnold he pass by in a Church bus and pick up my kids for Church. He would go to my Parent's house and invited them to Church and when a spanish part of the Church was there my Parent's would go. He would visit us at the house. Rev Barry Arnold was there for us when we lost my Dad and my Mom. He married my daughter. Then me and Phil started to go to The Gospel Center. It's been awhile since we visited the Church. I plan on stopping by soon. Thank you Rev. Barry Arnold for being a wonderful person. You will be miss. Rest in peace. With love the Rivera family.*

**Miriam Rivera** - July 29, 2024 at 06:34 PM

MM

“ I cherish the friendship of Brother Arnold. He was a man of compassion and love for a lost world; a man of vision. His life exemplified the life of Christ. He was kind and considerate and never met a stranger. His influence will live on. I will ever be impacted by his influence. May God bless his memory. Brother Arnold, stay close to the Eastern Gate. We will see you soon!

Mark Mowery - July 29, 2024 at 09:56 AM

PG

“ Pastors & Mrs Walters and Gattone purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Rev. Barry J. Arnold.



Pastors & Mrs Walters and Gattone - July 27, 2024 at 01:38 PM

DF

“ Daryl and Stephanie Shetterly & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rev. Barry J Arnold.

Daryl and Stephanie Shetterly & family - July 27, 2024 at 12:03 PM

DF

“ Daryl and Stephanie Shetterly & family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Rev. Barry J. Arnold.



Daryl and Stephanie Shetterly & family - July 27, 2024 at 12:03 PM

JR

“ *My Condolences to the Arnold Family. I'm so grateful to this man of God. Pastor Arnold planted the seed of Salvation through Our Lord Jesus Christ, to so many children including myself, my children and my family members. We will surely miss Pastor Arnold. GOD BLESS!! FROM: CRUZ-RUIZ FAMILY*

Janet Cruz- Ruiz - July 26, 2024 at 10:51 PM

KZ

“ *Pastor Arnold Harold and I will truly miss you you will always have a special place in our hearts to the family of pastor Arnold we are so sorry for your loss our prayers and thoughts and condolences are with you all*

Kathy Keller and Harold Zeller - July 26, 2024 at 10:14 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Barry J. Arnold.*



July 26, 2024 at 09:16 PM

HS

“ *A man who never changed being a man of God. He genuinely loved people. We loved him that much more. May he rest in peace along side Lois.*

*- Hery Santiago*



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**Hery Santiago** - July 26, 2024 at 08:18 PM

BR

*I am Barry J Arnold's grandson Braxton.*

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**Braxton.B** - August 21, 2024 at 02:49 PM

SF

“ *Stella Fowler lit a candle in memory of Rev. Barry J. Arnold*



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**Stella Fowler** - July 26, 2024 at 06:58 PM

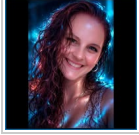
RF

“ *Rowan, Stella And Liam Fowler lit a candle in memory of Rev. Barry J. Arnold*



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**Rowan, Stella and Liam Fowler** - July 26, 2024 at 06:57 PM



“ *Pastor Arnold is the reason I am saved today. He helped my grandmother get my mom and uncle out of foster care and because of his help and love she dedicated herself to the Lebanon GMC. My grandma later started taking me to church as a baby and I grew up in the church with Bro. Arnold being my minister and mentor. I have enjoyed hearing him speak many amazing sermons and hear Bro & Sis Arnold sing together about Jesus and heaven. He not only cared about the people in his church but their families as well. None of my family went to church but he would visit them and even bring things from his garden. I am so thankful for everything he did for my family and I. He will be missed dearly. Till we meet again on the golden shores.*



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**Heather Prestridge** - July 26, 2024 at 06:41 PM