



Arnold Ravdel

June 21, 1937 - June 10, 2025

Dr. Arnold Ravdel: Healing hands, steadfast. He helped thousands across three continents, a brilliant orthopedic surgeon with a 60-year career. Arnold will always be honored. Arnold will be forever remembered.

- Robert

Dad, I thank you for your kindness, your sacrifice, your generosity and your strength. You taught me what hard work is, what dedication looks like, how to endure sacrifice to become the best I can be, what the force of sheer will can accomplish and what quiet grace and humility can do. My life, my world, my education and my achievements have all been inspired by your example. Your words....ad ardua, inferos. I am so grateful for having experienced knowing your sweet playful gentle side as well. My proudest job was being your office manager. Most of all I'm grateful for the chance of having been able to know you in my 50's as a friend. I'll truly miss being able to just ring you up and hear you say, "Well, let's go do nothing together," and having my willing, well mostly willing, cohort and compadre eager to be scooped up and taken on our next little adventure together. G-d bless you, Dad. Thank you for everything. I will try to live my life to honor you. Give Mommy my love and tell her I really miss her very much. I'm going to miss you so much, Dad!! You were THE most precious thing on this earth to me. I am comforted at the knowledge that you and Mommy are dancing together again. Schloff gazundt.

- Connie-Ann

My father valued life. Dr. Arnold Ravdel valued not only his life but the precious lives of others. My father practiced medicine for over six decades. His patients adored him, his hospitals revered him, and his colleagues admired him. He went to medical school at age 17, had ten degrees and two fellowships. He loved studying and learning and was incredibly humble and would be the first to say he did not know even when he knew more than those around him. His healing hands would anticipate his patients with the utmost patience and care. As he took care of anyone who needed assistance any way he could.

As a father and grandfather, he was equally as kind and patient. Like his Hebrew name, Aaron, he was a great leader, orator, and pioneer. He and my amazing mother, Maureen Ravdel, led our family to better lands and taught us about Judaism, Mitzvot, and loving kindness along the way. I am eternally grateful for all their thought, love, kindness, wisdom, and guidance. May both of their memories continue to be blessings.

- Brenda-Lee

Dr. Arnold Ravdel was a blessing to all those he met. He was an amazing surgeon who loved his family, his patients, and helping people more than anyone. He cared about each patient as though they were his only patient. He was a great healer. As his granddaughter, he was like my best friend and I will miss him more than words can describe. He was my grandfather, my guide, and my confidant. He has touched and healed lives all across the world, and he was a light in all of their lives. He loved G-d and taught us to follow G-d's ways with all our heart. He was a great man. May his memory be for a blessing,

- Sarah

Cemetery Details

Beth Yeshurun Post Oak Cemetery

7445 Awty School Ln.
Houston, TX 77055

Previous Events

Cemetery Chapel Service

JUN 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Sophia and Jack Bender Memorial Chapel
7445 Awty School Ln.
Houston, TX 77055

Tribute Wall

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“ I just heard of Dr Rafael passing I'm very saddened I was a patient of his and I honestly care for him he treated me and my husband me a hurt hand and my husband broken foot he waited late after hours for many patients he was the best . If he say your my last patient I would wait for him to lock up and make sure he got in his RAV4 truck safely. During the tornado we had in Houston tx I worried cause he left and I thought omg I hope he got home safely and I called him he did . I had the pleasure of meeting his daughter and granddaughter he was proud of her that she was going to be a doctor as well, my husband loved him called him doc and I called Dr Radoff lol I couldn't get is name right lol but we loved him he was the best Dr ever . I got his humor . And his loud voice when phone calls would come in that were nonsense lol he made me laugh rest in heaven Dr Ravdal

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