



Issac Jones Jr.

December 7, 1951 - May 17, 2021

Issac "Ike" Jones Jr, the son of the late Mary L. and James Jones, was born on December 7, 1951 in Baltimore, MD. He was called home on May 17, 2021.

Ike attended the prestigious Dunbar High School, acquiring his diploma through night school. He started working at age 17 and retired at the ripe age of 66. His roots are planted in construction for over 5 decades. As a general labor foreman, Ike was responsible for creating for his own team. In doing, Ike impacted a lot of young guys' lives. Those who were fathers with families, who just needed a break or an opportunity to earn income to provide for their families. Ike gave them that break, but he also was a boss who did not play. He was strict and played by the rules, which sometimes earned him names that we can't print here: however, one name of honor he earned was ICEMAN.

While on the job, work and its quality were Ike's focus. While off the job, that's a whole entirely different story. IKE was the exact opposite. He was a jokester, he loved making people laugh; he was silly at times, even the life of the party. Children loved Ike and he seemed to be EVERYONE'S uncle.

Ike grew up in church, where they would attend seven days a week. As Ike got older, he kept Christ close to his heart, and dedicated his life back to Him in recent years.

Ike was a musician who played the trumpet back in the day. He was a part of a band known as The Young Generators. He also loved sports, basketball and bowling being his favorite. In the old days, Ike, his best friend Kimbo, and his late cousin Linzy would bowl every weekend against other players. Ike and his best friends and family would also play basketball all over Baltimore City, competing with many people. Ike was really athletic; he even played a little tennis. Additionally, Ike was no slouch at the card table, as he played his favorite card games, spades and pinochle.

Ike has gone home to be with his parents, Mary L. and James Jones; and three brothers, Charlie, Theodore, and James Jr.; on his grandson, Wade Purvey Jr.; and his favorite

nephew Anthony.

Ike will be missed by all who knew and loved him. He leaves to cherish his memory, six children; Violet Jones Hammond, Issac Jones, Yvette Jones, Isaiah McQueen, James Deshazo, and Krystle Jones; three sons-in-law, Steve Jones, Melvin Hammond and Malcolm Lawson; five brothers, Jack, Edward, Howard, Milton, and Arnellio Jones; three sisters, Virginia, Vernice, and Denise. Twelve grandchildren, Ashley, Jacquetta, Shantel, Brittany, Treyon, Isaiah, Summer, Samone, Isaiah McQueen Jr, Xavien, Xayden, and Xhara; goddaughters, Katrice Dorsey and Tiaura Hughley; a host of nieces and nephew; and a best friend and homie Kenneth "kimbo" Scott.

Cemetery

Mt. Zion

3900 Hollins Ferry Rd.
Lansdowne, MD, 21227

Events

MAY 28 **Public Viewing** 02:00PM - 04:00PM
March Funeral Home - East
1101 E. North Avenue, Baltimore, MD, US, 21202

MAY 29 **Wake** 11:30AM - 12:00PM
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MAY 29 **Service** 12:00PM
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Comments



“ I am so proud to have you as a BIG BROTHER my heart is hurting so much . I writing this message now and crying at the same time. Could you please tell the rest of the family that i love and missing all of you . I LOVE YOU ISSAC JONES YOU WILL ALWAYS BE IN MY HEART EVERY DAY. UNTIL WE ME AGAIN I LOVE YOU . YOU CAN COME AND VISTS ME DOME SCARE ME . YOUR SISTER VERNICE .

VERNICE JONES - June 02, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ Diane White sent a virtual gift in memory of Issac Jones Jr.



Diane White - May 28, 2021 at 02:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Issac Jones Jr..



May 27, 2021 at 05:19 PM



“ Ike was one of a kind, I'm truly a better person having known him. George Gurecki

George Gurecki - May 25, 2021 at 07:26 PM



“ Sending my condolences to my niece Violet and her family love y'all

Diane White - May 28, 2021 at 02:48 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - May 21, 2021 at 03:49 PM