



Carmella E. Jones

July 17, 1920 - August 10, 2006

Carmella Elizabeth Minnis Jones was born on July 17, 1920 in Aspen Virginia to her parents James Morris & Rosa Minnis. She was the fifth child of the union. After a lengthy illness, Carmella entered the portal of immortality on Thursday, August 10, 2006, the last of her siblings. Carmella was educated in the Charlotte County, Virginia public school system. At an early age she met Christ at the Nazarene Baptist Church in Phoenix, Virginia. She moved to New Jersey where she worked for several years, then moved to Maryland where she married Luther Louis Jones, Sr., who preceded her in death. From this union were born 9 children. Her daughters, Mary Hope and Lessie Rose, and son, Charlie Johnson, also preceded her in death. Carmella joined Gospel Tabernacle Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. William Tapscott. She was a faithful, dedicated member until her health failed. Momma served on many ministries, President of Senior Missionary for over 25 years where she held Emeritus membership; Member of the Voices of Tabernacle; Mass Choir; Culinary, Noon Day Prayer; assistant director of Food Pantry; Vacation Bible School; Adult Sunday School; Life time member of Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Missionary; Lifetime membership Women's Auxiliary of the United Missionary Baptist Convention of Maryland, where she was chairman of the Social Committee and sung on the convention choir; Member of Congress of Christian Education; Honorary member of Loving Care Ministry; and Campfire Girls leader. Momma organized the Jones Specials that consisted of four of her grandsons. Carmella believed in family and

opened her home to everyone who was in need. She fed, clothed, and did all that was necessary. She would take care of the sick whether family or friend, not only in her home but also in theirs. She possessed a lot of compassion for the needy. Momma was the stronghold of the family, and a strong disciplinarian who also possessed a feisty spirit and was a fighter!!! She was a devoted wife; mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great-great grandmother who protected, loved and cherished her family. Momma loved plants and had a green thumb. She was a collector of cups and saucers and dolls. Carmella raised her children to believe and trust in God. She took her children to church and it was imperative to her that they participated in a ministry whether it was on the usher board, choir or Sunday school. She was known in the community and church for her rolls, cakes and pies. She is the last of her siblings. She leaves to cherish her memory six children: Doris Boyer, Glenda Evans, Luther Jones, Jr., Olga Russo, Lorna Brown and James Jones, three daughters-in-law, Magdalene Johnson, Phyllis Jones, Angelene Jones, and three sons-in-law, Yvon Brown, Aaron Evans, Sr., and Sal Russo; 29 grandchildren, 41 great grandchildren, 7 great-great grand children and 5 adopted grandchildren. She also leaves one sister-in-law, Catherine Minnis, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Carmella E. Jones*

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“ *Those we love remain part of us. Our loved one leave the world but never our heart.##imported-begin##Sadie Hannah##imported-end##*

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“ *My heart and prayers go out to Doris Boyer and her family. I pray that the family will stay together with God's strength and peace. God Bless and Love to the Family.##imported-begin##sharon morgan##imported-end##*

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“ *My prayers are with Sister Glenda Evans and her family during this time of breavement; may God give you strength as you go from day to day thinking of the joy you had with your beloved Mother.##imported-begin##Benloa Wright##imported-end##*

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“ *Just wanted to let the Jones family know that we are praying for you continually. Lisa Solomon (from Gethsemane COGIC)##imported-begin##Lisa Solomon##imported-end##*

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“ To the Family: Please accept our sincere condolences. May you find comfort in knowing the Lord our God, does not make mistakes. He felt that Carmella E. Jones has done all that she could in this life, so now He has called her home into her eternal rest. We know that it is especially painful to lose a loved one, however, Psalm 116:15 says, "Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints." May the God of hope give you comfort during this trying time. May the road rise to meet you, May the wind be always at your back, May the Sun Shine warm upon your face as The Rain falls softly upon you house, Until you meet again, May the Lord our God Hold you in the hallow of his hands. (Your Bro. & Sis. In Christ – Gethsemane COGIC)##imported-begin##Min & Mrs. Derald R. Bryant, Sr.##imported-end##

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“ To Minister & Miss’y Bryan Jones, Sr., and the entire family of Carmella E. Jones: Our deepest condolences during this time of loss of your loved one. “And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away. ”Revelations 21:4 While you are healing from the loss of your loved one, God will comfort you (2 Corinthians 7:6). The Bible tells us that God is the father of mercies and God of all comfort and that He will comfort us in all our tribulations (2 Corinthians 1:3-4). Be assured that God loves you and that He understands how much you are hurting. God promises you in Isaiah 43:2 that when you go through deep waters and great trouble, He will be with you. When you go through rivers of difficulty, you will not drown. When you walk through the fire of oppression you will not be burned up; the flames will not consume you. Run to the shelter of the Most High where you will find sweet rest (Psalm 91:1-2). God Bless You. Pastor & Mrs. Lloyd C. Coles, Jr., & the Gethsemane COGIC church Family.##imported-begin##Rev. & Mrs. Lloyd C. Coles, Jr.##imported-end##

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“ Brian and Rochelle: My prayers are with you and your family. Depend on God in this time of mourning BUT remember that we do not mourn as those who have no hope!! Our Hope is in Christ. God Bless.##imported-begin##Renee D. Sims##imported-end##

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“ To Glenda, Bryan and the Jones family. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Continue to let God be your strength. Hold on to His word and keep him in your heart.##imported-begin##Theresa Thomas##imported-end##

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“ I'm sadden to hear of your family lost but God never makes a mistake.My prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Dorothy Commock##imported-end##

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“ To Glenda, Bryant and the Jones family my prayers are with you at this difficult time. Love you!!!##imported-begin##Natalie Thomas##imported-end##

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“ To the Family of Grandmother Jones, We would like to extend our deepest sympathy during the passing our your love one. May God continue to grant HIS grace and mercy upon all of you.##imported-begin##Michael and Veronica Tubman##imported-end##

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“ Ms. Doris -Your mother's love will always be shown through your works. Her love will forever surround you as well as remain in your heart. It is alright to move on, however never forget. We sometimes get selfish because we want our loved ones to always be with us. Mrs. Jones is with our Father God and there is no other better place to be. Please know that you are loved by many especially me.##imported-begin##Leah G. Littlefield##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but knows that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 What a wonderful prospect for our future.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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“ Hello Jones Family !May the God of all comfort keep you all in his care. Death is our enemy and the time is coming when it will be no more at 1 Cor 15:26 helps us ease the pain of death. We can be glad to know that our Heavenly father will do away with death forever according to Rev 21:3,4, Isa .66:13 May the loving thoughts and smiles of Carmella stay in your hearts. Sending our sincere condolences. The Crosby family.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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