



John Henry Jones

June 5, 1933 - February 11, 2021

John Henry Jones born on June 5, 1933 in Richmond, Virginia and departed this earthly life at his residence on February 11, 2021. John was a faithful member of St. James Baptist Church in Varina, Virginia, where he was a part of the Greeters' Ministry and Men's Ministry. John was a product of Richmond Public Schools and enlisted in the United States Army where he served his country for eight years. He retired from Philip Morris, USA after more than 30 years of service. He loved his neighbors, family, and friends, especially his church family. He willingly assisted those who came to him for help or advice. He and his wife traveled often in their early years of marriage and he was fortunate enough to attend professional basketball games and even the Super Bowl. He was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan.

He is survived by his devoted wife of 42 years, Pearl M. Jones; sons, Michael Jones and Melvin Peyton; daughter, Margie Peyton, one sister, Mary E. Jones, five grandchildren, three brothers-in-law, five sisters-in-law, a host of nieces, nephews and friends; among them devoted friends, Norbert Fields, Walter Miles, Roland Cofield and J.W. Wellington. Survivors also include a daughter-at-heart, Shona Thomas, and granddaughter-at-heart, Ashley Smith. He will be greatly missed.

Rev. Kevin L. Sykes, Senior Pastor - Officiant
St. James Baptist Church

2169 New Market Road
Richmond, VA 23231

Cemetery Details

Gilfield Baptist Church Cemetery

6640 Church Lane
Charles City, VA 23030

Previous Events

Grave Side Service

MAR 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Henry Jones*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Pearl and Family,*

My deepest sympathy goes out to all of you. John was as you know a great guy and fun to be around,. I'm grateful to have known him and shared time with him and Pearl. Blessings and prayers to the family.

Sharon Morton

Sharon Morton - March 15, 2021 at 07:36 AM



“ *Roland and Mary Cofield purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of John Henry Jones.*



Roland and Mary Cofield - March 08, 2021 at 12:30 AM

MC

“ Dearest Pearl,
Our friendship has lasted over 35 years first as neighbors and then as life long friends. We will miss the drive by visits with your and John but will treasure the great memories we shared as couple friends. We will be there to say our final goodbyes to him but will be by your side going forward. Keeping you in prayer now and forever!
Love your dearly!

Roland and Mary Cofield

Mary Cofield - March 08, 2021 at 12:21 AM

EC

“ Pearl and family we are so sorry for your loss. May God strengthen your body because we know you are ailing also. May He give you the comfort and strength you need at this time. We thank God for a life well lived and may you hold on to all the wonderful memories you shared. May He continue to bless you all. Eugene and Judy Crump



Eugene and Judy Crump - March 07, 2021 at 12:52 PM

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“ Beloved uncle & aunt pearl
John 14:1-3
English Standard Version
I Am the Way, and the Truth, and the Life

14 “Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God;[a] believe also in me. 2 In my Father’s house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?[b] 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also.

shirley hemingway (niece) - March 06, 2021 at 06:03 PM

LM

Pearl, so sorry to hear about John. Praying for strength for you during this difficult time.

Sugarfoot

Lois "Sugarfoot" Miles - March 09, 2021 at 12:29 PM



“ *Dawn of Remembrance Basket was purchased for the family of John Henry Jones.*



March 06, 2021 at 04:18 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Henry Jones.*



March 06, 2021 at 09:42 AM

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“ *Pearl and Jones Family,*

Prayers and condolences to all of you on the loss of John. He was such a friendly and kind person. His presence will be missed at St. James. May your faith and fond memories sustain and comfort you. God Bless you all.

Delcenia Prentiss - March 04, 2021 at 06:07 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 - March 04, 2021 at 01:31 PM