



## Mabel Elmira Jones

April 1, 1909 - August 6, 2006

Quietly on the afternoon of August 6, 2006, MABEL ELMIRA (FINLEY) JONES was called home to be with her Lord. She was born to the late Laura and William Finley on April 1, 1909 in Holland, GA. Her parents and nine siblings preceded her in death. She received her education in Chattanooga County, GA with the dream of becoming a nurse. She met and married Walter Jones, Sr. and from this union four children were born: Mary, Walter Jr., Laura and Garland. Two of the children are deceased. While living in Georgia, she was affiliated with the A.M.E. Zion church where she held various positions. She was also the town midwife. In 1944, the family moved to Baltimore, MD (Holabird Homes) where she became a member of the Pennsylvania Avenue A.M.E. Zion Church. She later joined First Christian Community Baptist Church where she served faithfully until her illness (December 24, 2005). She has held various positions such as Financial Secretary, Chairperson of Trustee Board, Sick Recorder, Senior Choir member, and Mother of the Church. She was known to some as Mother Jones, but affectionately known as "Nanny" to her family and others. She always gave God the praise, served her church and tended to her family. Nanny was a very busy and creative person with her crocheting, gardening and cooking. Her specialty was her lemon meringue pies. She leaves to continue her legacy: two children, Walter Jr. and Laura Jacquelyn; thirteen grandchildren, Ricky, Michael, Robin, Shirl, Tyrone, Valerie, Walter III, Kellie, Sandy, Pamela, Resha, Wesley Sr., and Russ; thirteen great-grandchildren, twelve great-great-grandchildren, two daughters-

in-law, one brother-in-law, three sisters-in-law, seven nieces, four nephews, nine godchildren, a host of adoptive children and everyone at First Christian Community Baptist Church. Nanny also had four very devoted caregivers who took great care of her until the end: Edna Jones, Sandra Wicks, Cheryl Jones-McCottry, and Cheryl Taylor.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mabel Elmira Jones*

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“ *Kellie L Jones lit a candle in memory of Mabel Elmira Jones*



**Kellie L Jones** - January 06, 2012 at 10:53 PM



“ *Cheryl Jones-McCottry lit a candle in memory of Mabel Elmira Jones*



**Cheryl Jones-McCottry** - January 06, 2012 at 09:31 PM



“ *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 ! I would like to send my condolences to u all, the family & friends. When we lose a very dear loved one like Ms. Mabel it breaks the family circle. Ms. Mabel was 98 when she died. The bible has a very interesting thought about age at Ps.90:10, " In themselves the days of our years are seventy years;And if because of special mightiness they are eighty; For it must quickly pass by, and away we fly.Ms. Mabel pass those years. Having great care and loving family & friends helps so much to keep living. The time is coming when death will be no more, great news. I am looking forward to that time when death will be no more and I know you all are too. May all the great memories and wonderful times shared with Ms. Mabel help to make life worth living. My fellow feeling, Lillian Crosby.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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