



Roberta Jones

December 1, 1928 - September 12, 2014

Roberta Jones, daughter of the late Joseph and Rosanna Prince Thomas was born on December 1, 1928 in Harnett County, North Carolina.

Roberta was the youngest of 18 children. She was educated in North Carolina. Her mother died when she was only 3 years old. Her dad and siblings raised her. They taught her how to cook and work in the field.

Roberta moved to Baltimore, Maryland at the age of 16. She met the love of her life her "Honey Dew" Patrick Jones. They were married 45 years until he preceded her in death on November 3, 2003. She and our dad had 15 children, 9 survived, but the youngest son (Robert) preceded her in death on January 5, 1993.

Roberta accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as her Savior at an early age. We would often ask her making sure that if she would die today or tomorrow did she know where she would spend eternity? She said "yes, in heaven with the Lord Jesus Christ." We always sang hymns, her favorite was "What A Friend We Have In Jesus."

She worked several jobs, restaurants, housekeeping and at Memorial Stadium on 33rd Street, but her greatest job she loved most was taking care of her husband, children and her grandchildren when they came over. She also

helped raise some of her nieces and nephews. She really enjoyed cooking soul food, but her signature labels were the sweet potato pies and sticky apples, they were her children and neighbors favorite. She made sure that no one, visitor or family, left her house hungry. She would ask "Y'all want something to eat?" She would slip money to anyone, that's how she was. She also would fight for her children when they were small, lol.

Roberta joined the New Second Baptist Church where the family was grounded in the Lord and cultivated their musical gifts. She later made the Philadelphia Christian Church her final church, where she was a member of the Seniors In Action Ministry until her untimely death.

She and dad took all of the children to church faithfully every Sunday when we were young. We would join our uncles and aunts and their children out at Druid Hill Park to have picnics right after church. She was a diamond and one of the most loved persons ever. We praise and thank the Lord for the life she lived.

Roberta leaves to cherish her memories: her one and only sister, Minnie Wells; three daughters, Teresa, Loretta and Carol; five sons, Melvin (Charlotte), Patrick (Isa), George, Tyrone (Joyce) and Joseph (Kim); four sisters-in-law, Virginia, Annie, Grace and Mary; 27 grandchildren, 37 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 21. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Wake

SEP 22. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Philadelphia Christian Church
3401 Mannasota Avenue
Balto, MD

Service

SEP 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Balto, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Roberta Jones*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I miss you grandma. Can't believe that you are gone. Life is just not the same.*

Moo Moo - February 07, 2015 at 08:46 PM



“ *MY CONDELENCES TO THE JONES FAMILY WEeping MAY ENDURE FOR A NIGHT BUT JOY COMES IN THE MORNING JUST KNOW YOU WILL SEE YOUR MOM AGAIN*

CHANELL THOMPSON - September 22, 2014 at 12:02 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Roberta Jones.*



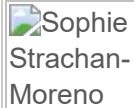
September 20, 2014 at 09:46 AM



“ *Margaret K. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Roberta Jones.*



Margaret K. - September 19, 2014 at 04:40 PM



“ I'm so sorry to read of your loss. I can't imagine the pain that you feel at this time. May the God of comfort be with you at this time and in times to come. He promises the hope of seeing our dead loved ones again. That promise is at John 5:28,29 and also Rev. 21:3,4.

Sophie Strachan-Moreno - September 18, 2014 at 08:54 AM

“ I like to extend my deepest condolences to your family. This is such a sad time when someone you loves dies. We grieve because mankind was created to live forever.

Our loving Heavenly Father Jehovah has given us comfort from his Word the Bible.

Revelation 24:4 says, He will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning, nor outcry, nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.

For more information go to www.jw.org

Juanita September 15, 2014 at 5:45

juanita Ritter - September 15, 2014 at 04:47 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 - September 15, 2014 at 09:20 AM

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i am sorry for the lost of a great women may god continue to keep blessing the family ... god will wipe away every tear from their eyes.....there shall be no more pain"""" for the former things have passed away...(; joann, phillip jr

joann - September 16, 2014 at 05:37 AM