



William Alexander Jones Jr.

January 8, 1926 - May 10, 2012

William A. Jones, Jr. was born on January 26, 1926 in Simpsonville, Maryland (Howard County) to the late William A. Sr. and Elvira E. Dorsey Jones. He attended, as a young man, the Locust United Methodist Church.

William received his education in Simpsonville. He later enlisted in the United States Navy, where he served on the USS Natrona Ship. After receiving an honorable discharge from the Navy, William was employed for several years in the culinary industry. In 1952, William was employed by Bethlehem Steel, where he worked until his retirement.

William was a very quiet, gentle person, except when he was provoked (by you know who). He was a man who loved his family and his home. One of William's favorite things to do was to work in his gardens. He loved to grow a multitude of different vegetables, fruits and flowers. His flower garden caught the attention of William Schaefer as he was driving through the neighborhood. William was given a letter of Commendation, and was invited by the Mayor to City Hall's Open House that year.

William met the divorcee, Helen B. and her two children ("a package") in 1964. After much scrutinizing, and surveillance of William; the ("package") agreed to William's proposal of marriage in 1966.

William leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Helen B. Jones; daughter, Wanda Commander (a daughter, Cassandra Jones preceded him in death); two step-daughters, Wyndra R. Johnson (Eddie) and Sandra G. Fisher; grandchildren, Tanya Jenkins, Eric Jenkins, Howard D. McCray, Jr., Shirelle and Sharonne Commander, Summer C. Grap and Christopher Johnson; twenty-three great-grandchildren, two sisters-in-law, Barbara Strickand and Ivalyn Jones; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends, including special friends, Ms. Marqueen Hamilton and Ms. Ellie Dean.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAY 17. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

MAY 17. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

MAY 18. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Gospel Tabernacle Baptist Church
3100 Walbrook Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21216

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *William Alexander Jones Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!*

Ms Springer - May 21, 2012 at 07:04 AM



“ *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.*

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