



Mr. John Earl Jones

July 20, 1916 - June 18, 2015

Family hour will take place at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 24, 2015 at Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, 295 Grant St., Carrollton, Michigan with the funeral service commencing at 11:00 a.m., Pastor Delwin Tatum, Sr., Host Pastor. Min. Jeffrey Bowen will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the church from 10:00 a.m. until time of service.

Mr. John Earl Jones, a former resident of Carrollton, Michigan, passed away quietly on June 18, 2015 with his daughter at his side. He was born in Carrollton, Alabama, on July 20, 1916, the son of the late Joseph and Sallie L. (Billups) Jones. He married Margie McCoy in 1941 and together they moved from Birmingham, Alabama to Carrollton, Michigan in 1951. They shared 42 years before she preceded him in death. He was employed at General Motors Saginaw Grey Iron Foundry for many years; and retired in the early 1970's. Mr. Jones was a long-time member of Shiloh Baptist Church. He served tirelessly as the Church Treasurer and participated in the Men's Chorus. He was also a former member of the International F-A-M Masonic Lodge. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, singing and listening to the national news. Mr. Jones spent many years maintaining a large, flourishing garden and often gave away the vegetables.

Mr. Jones leaves to cherish his memory, two daughters, Jerelean Goins of Saginaw, Michigan and Dr. Sallie M. Brodus, Columbia, Maryland; two sons, Jessie Jones of Graysville, Alabama and James Earl Jones of Florence,

South Carolina; two grandsons, Cleveland Martin, Jr. of Saulte Ste. Marie, Michigan and Lorenzo C. Brodus of Columbia, Maryland; three granddaughters, Dr. Dawn (Edmond) Brodus-Yougha of Bowie, Maryland, Whittney (Greg Willis) Brodus of Saginaw, Michigan and Dr. Melanie McCoy of Cary, North Carolina; one special great-granddaughter, Nikenya Nelson; one special great-grandson, George E. Yougha; two special nieces, Cora Jones, and Hildreth Dawson; and special friends Susie Mathis, Fannie Mae Nichols, and Idella Meanes.

Mr. Jones was preceded by his wife, Margie Jones; two sons, Nathaniel Jones, and Danny Terry; three brothers, Dr. Joseph A. Jones, Jr., Iverson Jones and Lester Jones; and a sister-in-law, Louise Jones.

The family would like to express a special thanks to Dr. Ramesh Sabapathi and Mrs. Lillian Orji for all the love and care they provided him in his final days. May God bless both of you.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue
Saginaw, MI

Previous Events

Family Hour

JUN 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church
295 Grant Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Funeral Service

JUN 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones*



Browne's Mortuary - June 23, 2015 at 10:44 AM

PD

My Aunt and Uncle going to miss them both now Uncle John Earl is with my Aunt Margie.

patricia Davis - June 24, 2015 at 02:40 PM

DT

“ *To the Jones Family and friends, I was sadden to hear of the passing of Mr Jones. He lived a long and fruitful life.*

To the family weeping may endure for a night , but joy will come in the morning. God is able to carry you through.

May the memories of his beautiful long life give you courage to go on.

The entire Tolliver & Wright Family is praying for your family.

Dr Marie Wright Tolliver & Family.



Dr marie Wright Tolliver - June 26, 2015 at 09:48 AM

CJ

“ *Cora Jones from Carrollton, Alabama sent flowers to the family of Mr. John Earl Jones.*

Cora Jones - June 24, 2015 at 08:13 PM

H.

“ *Gussie Bragg And John Jones they live on through the FLOOD OF Carleton Michigan ..*

the town will not be the same with both of them N heaven. ..

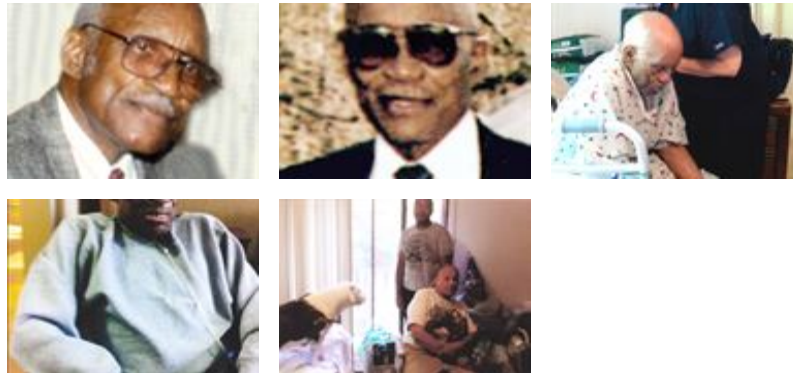
.....from the Son of God..JESUS amenharry bragg..



Harry Bragg . - June 23, 2015 at 12:50 PM



“ *68 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Browne's Mortuary - June 23, 2015 at 10:33 AM

TM

*Mr. Jones
You were a good neighbor and a good man.
Thank you for all the fishing trips, and things when I was a kid .
Thomas Wayne Magyar.*

Thomas Wayne Magyar - June 23, 2015 at 10:54 AM

RJ

“ *Rubye Jones purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. John Earl Jones.*



Rubye Jones - June 22, 2015 at 02:07 PM

JH

“ *James And Brenda Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones*



James and Brenda Harris - June 22, 2015 at 10:20 AM

MF

“ *Mosella Reed And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones*



Mosella Reed and Family - June 22, 2015 at 09:59 AM

IH

“ Sally and family, it is with deepest regret to hear of Uncle John Earl's passing. I grieve, but not as one who has no hope, because Uncle John Earl was a man of God. I remember him visiting my dad/his brother on several occasions. May peace attend your way today and always. I appreciated your kind devotion to your father--until the end! Love and prayers, Ivera Jones Harris, O'Fallon IL.

Ivera Jones Harris - June 22, 2015 at 08:58 AM

DM

“ Diana Miree sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones



Diana Miree - June 22, 2015 at 08:19 AM

RJ

“ Sally,
My sympathy and prayers are with you. Uncle John Earl is in God's loving arms.

Rubye Jones
Milwaukee, WI

Rubye Jones - June 21, 2015 at 11:56 PM

MM

“ Mary McDonald lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones



Mary McDonald - June 21, 2015 at 11:31 AM

MM

“ Sally and family, I extend condolences on behalf of Mrs. Ethel Drain and family. Our families have been connected many years. Your father, Uncle John, as I referred to him, was a special man. He will be missed and remembered. As I reflect, I cannot help but think of Mother Jones, Ms. Margie and Buddy Boy. May the God of all comfort sustain you. Praise God, death is not the end!! Our prayers are with you.

Mary McDonald - June 21, 2015 at 11:30 AM

WF

“ WRIGHT/ WILLIAMS FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones



WRIGHT/ WILLIAMS FAMILY - June 20, 2015 at 11:18 PM

WF

“ WRIGHT/ WILLIAMS FAMILY sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones



WRIGHT/ WILLIAMS FAMILY - June 20, 2015 at 11:18 PM

TC

“ Tracy Coston(Mathis) lit a candle in memory of Mr. John Earl Jones



Tracy Coston(Mathis) - June 20, 2015 at 07:12 PM

TC

Sally sorry to hear about Mr.Jones he was like a second grandfather to me he was like a story book telling me stories about work and gardening and about strong family values yes he will truly be missed and forever be loved

Tracy Coston(Mathis) - June 20, 2015 at 07:31 PM

CJ

*Sally,
Sorry to hear about Uncle John Earl's death. You all should be at peace knowing that you made him comfortable.
God Bless,
Cora Jones & Family*

Cora Jones - June 23, 2015 at 09:57 PM

MF

With our deepest sympathy. Wow, 98 years. That's truly a blessing!

Mr. & Mrs. Lester Jones, Jr. and Family - June 23, 2015 at 10:01 PM