



## Martha "Jeannie" Jones

July 14, 1954 - September 20, 2020

Martha Jean Long "Jeannie" Jones, age 66, walked Heavens golden streets on Sunday, September 20, 2020 from Tavares, Florida. Born on July 14, 1954 in Plant City, Florida, Jeannie was a loving wife, sister, mother, granny, aunt and friend. She moved to Mount Dora, Florida from Lithia, Florida in July of 1974. Jeannie was a homemaker but also worked in two church nurseries for many years. She was preceded in death by her parents; Doris Mae Bass Reitzel (August 1999), Louis Long (June 1990) and Audrey Coleman Long (October 2014), siblings; Patricia Colins (2006), Robert Long (August 2003), Fred Murphy and loving husband Earl Lee Jones (August 25, 2020), married 46 years. Jeannie is survived by her children; Dorothy Anderson (David) of Leesburg, Fl., James Jones (Jaci) of Eustis, Fl., siblings; Larry Murphy (Linda), Wayne Long (Jannen) and sister Arleen Southall (Dana) - all from Lithia, Florida, six grandchildren and one great granddaughter and many nieces, nephews and friends. Graveside Services for Jeannie are scheduled for Wednesday, September 30, 2020 at 9:45 AM at Tavares Cemetery, 2055 Dead River Road, Tavares, Florida 32778. A Celebration of Life Memorial Service is scheduled for 11:00 AM after Jeannie's graveside services at 1st Baptist Church of Mount Dora, 1000 E. First Street, Mount Dora, Florida at 11:00 AM. Jeannie was a devoted member of 1st Baptist Church for many years. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Jeannie's honor to the Children's Ministry at Bay Street Baptist Church, 37181 FL-19, Umatilla, Florida 32784 where Jeannie worked.

# Events

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**SEP** **Graveside Service** 09:45AM - 10:00AM

**30**

Tavares Cemetery

Dead River Road, Tavares, FL, US, 32778

**SEP** **Celebration of Life Memorial Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

**30**

First Baptist Church of Mount Dora

1000 E. 1st Avenue, Mount Dora, FL, US, 32757

# Comments

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“ Martha Jeanne Jones, you were like a second mom to me. I've known you since kindergarten. Your daughter is my best friend and your son, James is a very good friend too. Dorothy and James have been very good to me and you and your husband have been good to me. I miss you with all my heart Fly With Jesus. love you my 2nd mother in christ :



**Linda Stevens** - September 29, 2020 at 06:16 PM

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“ Jeannie is one of the sweetest souls we know. She poured out her life for her children and her family and many other people's children in ministry and child care. Always optimistic, caring and a person of genuine humility with a heart of Christian love for all people, Jeannie would do anything she could for you. She is a blessing now in our hearts as she was when she could hold our hands.

**Joe and Ruth Boswell** - September 28, 2020 at 08:12 PM

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“ I met my grandma back in 2015 and she was a really nice person. I know that in my heart, my stepmom, Dorothy Anderson, takes after her. I know that it is tough losing the people you care about; I know how that feels, but I never once looked down on my grandma and I am glad to have had someone like her, that was so nice and caring, to have known and been able to look up to.

**Olivia** - September 28, 2020 at 06:26 PM

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“ My mom was a strong beautiful woman. She was a godly person who was loved very much. Her heart and soul were made of gold and she would do whatever she could to help someone out . Thank you for being the best mom a son could ask for. I love you mom

**James Jones** - September 24, 2020 at 11:42 PM



“ I learned how to be a good wife and mother through her example I hope that I can reach up to God was first then her family and friends she loved being around children and doing for others of all ages she was very involved in her children and grandchildren lives she loved being around children all the time every time I will look in the mirror I will be reminded of how beautiful she was

**Dorothy Jones Anderson** - September 24, 2020 at 12:41 AM