



LLOYD JONES

November 8, 1929 - November 8, 2014

Lloyd Jones, age 85, born in Herrin, Illinois, on August 11, 1929, passed away November 8, 2014, after an extended illness in Bessemer, AL. Lloyd grew up in the Powderly community of Birmingham, graduated from Jones Valley High School class of 1947, and attended Howard College and the University of Alabama extension in Birmingham. He served in the United States Navy from 1950-1954. He was store keeper 2nd class aboard the U.S.S. Block Island (CVE-106). Lloyd retired from U.S. Steel after 38 years. He was a faithful member of the Powderly Baptist Church where he served in various capacities including Sunday School teacher, Royal Ambassadors leader, and member of the adult choir. For more than 50 years, he served as Minister of Music in various Baptist churches in the Birmingham area including Calvary (Bessemer), Cottage Hill (Pleasant Grove), FBC Graysville, Forest Hills (Fairfield) Concord Highlands (Hueytown), and West Side Baptist (Bessemer). After his retirement from U.S. Steel, he served full-time at North Highlands Baptist (Hueytown), also serving as Minister of Senior Adults. While living in Gulf Shores, Lloyd worked with the senior adults of the Baldwin Baptist Association. He returned to Bessemer in 2005 and served as the coordinator of the J.O.Y. Fellowship at The Baptist Church at McAdory. He has served as Minister of Music at Fairfield Highlands Baptist Church (Midfield) since 2008. He is preceded in death by his wife Emily Hicks Jones; father and mother John Henry & Ethel Inez Jones; and his sister JoAnn Richards. He is survived by his sons David Jones (Robin), Gulf Shores, AL; Darryl Jones, Pelham, AL;

Dale Jones, Brewton, AL; grandchildren Erin Peebles, DJ Jones, Prentice Jones, Kayla Jones, Kendyl Jones; seven great grandchildren; brother Jerry Jones; sister Mary Ellen Underwood; and a dear friend Delores Jenkins, Bessemer. The visitation will be Tuesday, November 11, 2014 from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM at The Baptist Church at McAdory. The service will be held Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at 11:00 AM at The Baptist Church at McAdory, with burial at Elmwood Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

MY

“ *Lloyd was a friend. He was a man most gifted by God who used those gifts to the very end. I regret that my health kept me from attending the services today. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

Max Youngblood - November 12, 2014 at 01:52 PM

BM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of your loss. He was loved and cherished by many. In God's love Betty*

Betty Mitchell - November 11, 2014 at 02:55 PM

JH

“ *My prayers and condolences are with the family. I attended West Side Baptist Church with Lloyd. He was a kind Christian man.*

Jackie Hadaway - November 10, 2014 at 04:43 PM

BC

“ *You was a wonderful friend to us all. We hold to Gods promise that we will see you again.*

Becky chapman - November 08, 2014 at 11:17 PM

CE

“ *Praying for all of the family at this time. I played the organ for him at North Highlands in Hueytown, Al. He was a very nice man and a great man of God.*

Connie Ensor - November 08, 2014 at 10:35 PM

MF

“ So sorry for your loss. We are praying for your family.

Mike, Claudia, and Claude Freeman - November 08, 2014 at 08:59 PM

FG

“ LLOYD JONES

Faye George - November 08, 2014 at 08:20 PM

RS

“ Love and prayers to the Jones boys and families. Bro. Lloyd was a precious man and a wonderful servant of God...He will be missed!

Robin Marlow Sullivan - November 08, 2014 at 07:23 PM

EC

“ Lloyd was a excellent example of what a Servant of the LORD should be. The impact he had on the lives of so many will be remembered for many years to come. "Thank you for giving to the LORD," the Angels will be singing.

Ethel King Crowder - November 08, 2014 at 07:20 PM

SC

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Lloyd was a great man of God. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Susan Irvin Crews - November 08, 2014 at 07:00 PM

GW

“ We loved Lloyd and will miss his contagious smile and wit. We will keep the family in our prayers. Love to all the family and friends

Gene & Susan Warren - November 08, 2014 at 05:52 PM

ML

“ A true man of God. What a homecoming in Heaven this morning! You have shaped more lives than any of us would ever be able to count. You also leave behind three wonderful sons who I am so proud to call my friends. You were loved!

Marilyn Leigeber - November 08, 2014 at 05:41 PM

KB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep your family in my thoughts and prayers.

Kim Putman Bowen - November 08, 2014 at 05:05 PM

GB

“ My heart goes out to the family of this wonderful man. I have many happy memories of him leading music and sharing his love of Christ.

Gail Copeland Blanton - November 08, 2014 at 04:46 PM

JC

“ A wonderful man and great friend. We will miss him. Love you boys.

Jan, Charles and Blaze Cruce - November 08, 2014 at 04:35 PM

TD

“ *Heaven has gained a wonderful Godly man. Lloyd will be missed by many. I served as his pianist at concord highlands and he was one of my favourite. He was a kind sweet loving human being. You boys are in my prayers.*

teresa spear dobbins - November 08, 2014 at 04:33 PM

DD

“ *Lloyd was a dear Christian man that used his God given gifts to glorify The Lord with a beautiful servants heart. We will continue to lift up all of you. Peace and comfort to all of you. Diane and Jimmy Dill*

Diane & Jimmy Dill - January 01, 1753 at 07:31 PM