



## Margaret Ann Brown- Jones

July 19, 1946 - June 19, 2025

Margaret Ann Jones was born on Friday, July 19, 1946, in Littleton, North Carolina, to the late Mary Frances Faulcon-Mills and the late Junious Brown, Sr., as well as her additional parents, the late John T. Mills and Mary Louise Brown. Margaret was the eldest of eleven children.

She received her formal education in the Steelton-Highspire and Harrisburg School Districts. She was employed in various jobs to include Teacher's Assistant at Lincoln Elementary School, Lunch Aide at Ronald H. Brown Charter School and later at EDS.

In 1966, Margaret entered into Holy Matrimony with the love-of-her-life, Richard F. Jones, Jr. (aka Speedo). They were blessed with three daughters, Theresa, Denita and Shanita.

Margaret found immense joy in spending time with her daughters, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, as well as with the rest of her family. She loved cooking and was famous for her sweet potato pies and corn pudding. In addition to cooking, Margaret enjoyed playing games on her phone, putting puzzles together, shopping and going out to eat. She also found great joy participating in activities that were held in the Community Room where she lived, especially the prayer services they provided.

Margaret was a member of Mount Calvary Church of God in Christ. She loved hearing the Word of God preached by her Pastor, Elder D.R. Gilmore, and she would praise the Lord for his grace and mercy that sustained her throughout her journey. When her health began to fail, she would listen to various worship services online but preferred to be in-person to worship with her church family that she loved tremendously. But, most of all, she loved God.

Following a three-month stay at the Carolyn Croxton Slane Hospice Residence on Linglestown Road in Harrisburg, PA, Margaret prayed for the Lord to allow her to return home because she did not want to die at the Hospice Residence. Margaret was released from the Hospice Residence on Tuesday, June 17, 2025.

Margaret transitioned into eternal life on Thursday, June 19, 2025, in the comfort of her home in Harrisburg, PA, surrounded by her loving family. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Richard F. Jones, Jr.; her daughter and son-in-law, Theresa and Christopher Watson, Sr.; and three grandchildren, Shakia and Christopher Watson, Jr., and Quantell Samuels.

Margaret's life and legacy will forever be cherished by her loving family: her daughters, Denita Jones (Sammie Lane, Sr.) of Harrisburg, PA, and Shanita Jones (Quintell Samuels, Sr.) of Phoenix, AZ; her sisters, Sarah Roberts of Harrisburg, PA, Loretta McClardy (Frank) of Stone Mountain, GA, Lenora Hernandez (Carlos) and Toni Green (Will), all of Harrisburg, PA, Brenda Barber (Tyrone) of Florida, Elanda Brown of Baltimore, MD, and Ruby Borkins of New Jersey; brothers, Junious Brown, Jr. (Geniene), Jerry Brown (Karen), Keith Brown (Tracey), and her stepmother, Mary Louise Brown, all of Baltimore, MD; her sisters-in-law, Pam and Phyllis Jones, and brothers-in-law, John and Larry Jones, all of Ohio. Her memory will also be honored and cherished by her grandchildren, Renita Jones (Sheldon Ripply) of Harrisburg,

PA, Anthony Gilmore, Jr. (Shaniqua Richardson) of York, PA, Dawnesha Ray (Timothy, Sr.), Shaquana Watson, Kleron Watson, Rayquan Lane and Ciera Jones, all of Harrisburg, PA, Quintell, Jr., Keylin, Daisy and Kendrell Samuels, all of Phoenix, AZ; fifteen great-grandchildren; her aunts, Viola Faulcon of Richmond, VA, and Eva Ravenell of Harrisburg, PA; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

# Cemetery Details

## William Howard Day Cemetery

Lincoln and Carlisle Streets  
Steelton, PA 17113

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

JUL 7. 8:30 AM (ET)

Mt Calvary Church of God  
1830 N 5th St  
Harrisburg, PA 17102  
(717) 233-0241

## Viewing

JUL 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt Calvary Church of God  
1830 N 5th St  
Harrisburg, PA 17102  
(717) 233-0241

## Service

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JUL 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

ED

“ Sister Margaret was very kind, always loved running into her at different places. Good conversation about life. I and my families condolences.

*Elder Robert Dawson*

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**Elder Robert Dawson** - July 08, 2025 at 12:41 PM

AC

“ Sending prayers condolences and hugs to the family from me and my family. Anna Cobb & Family

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**Anna Cobb** - July 05, 2025 at 02:52 AM

VW

“ Condolences and Prayers To The Family!



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**Venetia Waters** - July 04, 2025 at 04:56 PM

AG

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to the family of Margaret. You're in our hearts and thoughts during this sorrowful time. We hope the beautiful memories you all created together bring you peace. Rest in peace Margaret.

*Art and Judy Green*



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**Art & Judy Green** - July 04, 2025 at 02:00 PM

SB

“ *My condolences and prayers to Loretta. Sarah and family.*

*Sandra Bowers*

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**Sandra Bowers** - July 03, 2025 at 10:37 AM

MB

“ *Marian Blackston lit a candle in memory of Margaret Ann Brown- Jones*



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**Marian Blackston** - July 02, 2025 at 08:29 PM

PH

“ *Mother Margaret, appreciating your life of prayer and love. And how you showed such care and devotion to your family. I'll miss your friendship and prayer together at Paxton Place. Love, peace, comfort to Denita, Sarah and all Jones family. From Prnny Hairston*

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**Penny Hairston** - July 01, 2025 at 12:59 PM

TF

“ *The Paxton Place Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Margaret Ann Brown- Jones.*



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**The Paxton Place Family** - June 30, 2025 at 06:58 PM

DL

“ *DESSIE LEE lit a candle in memory of Margaret Ann Brown- Jones*



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**DESSIE LEE** - June 30, 2025 at 03:30 PM

CE

“ *CONNIE EMERSON lit a candle in memory of Margaret Ann Brown- Jones*



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**CONNIE EMERSON** - June 30, 2025 at 03:28 PM

YD

“ *Yvonne Donald lit a candle in memory of Margaret Ann Brown- Jones*



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**Yvonne Donald** - June 30, 2025 at 02:57 PM

KP

“ *My condolences to Lenora and family. Know that I am praying for you and your family during this time.*

*Karen McClure Purdie*

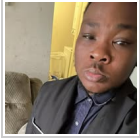
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**Karen McClure Purdie** - June 29, 2025 at 08:19 AM

DR

“ *Gram/nana you will truly be missed. The kids and I love you.*

**Dawnesha Ray** - June 28, 2025 at 03:00 AM



“ *Rest in peace grandma I don't know how I am going to do with out you hear I love you*



**Kay Savage** - June 28, 2025 at 12:37 AM

CJ

“ *Sleep in peace*



**CJ** - June 27, 2025 at 10:08 PM