



Raymond Edward Jones Jr.

April 26, 1960 - March 15, 2022

Obituary

Raymond E. Jones Jr. (Ray Jr.), 61, of Worton, MD, went home to be with the Lord on March 15, 2022.

Raymond Edward Jones Jr. son of the late Raymond E. Jones Sr. and Hattie Marie Hopkins Jones was born on April 26, 1960 in Wilmington, Delaware.

He was the youngest of three siblings. He is preceded in death by his sister; Francenne Marie Cooper and brother; Robert Leroy Jones.

Raymond was a loyal servant to God, first and foremost. He loved the Lord and the church. Raymond attended Kent County public schools. He joined the military for a brief period and was assigned to Ft. Dix in New Jersey and Ft. Richardson in Alaska. He also served with the MD National Guard for a few years. He worked for Chestertown Brick Yard for a period of time. He also worked at Southgate in Middletown, DE, as a concrete mixer truck driver until his health began to fail. After some time, he later started working at Washington College.

Ray Jr., as he is lovingly called by most of his family, enjoyed spending time with all of his family and friends. His hobbies included gaming, air rifles, old time cars, and watching his Dallas Cowboys as much as he could, win or lose!

Raymond was the best friend that anyone could ever have and was always there to help anyone whether he knew them or not.

Raymond lived a hard life, but would tell anyone that he was a walking testimony and that dedicating your life to the Lord can change everything. In 2005 Raymond met Dorthra Graves. From the moment they met, they were an inseparable unit. Raymond and Dorthra were married on December 22, 2007.

Raymond leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Dorthra Jones; sons Raymond Edward Jones III (RJ), Aredelle Jones, and Montrail Miller; three granddaughters, Xeona Jones, Jay-da Jones, and Dez'iray Jones and one grandson, Zakai Jones; a special person who he called his daughter, Nichole Blake; three nephews Darryl E. Cooper Sr. (Vernessa), Daren T. Jones (Shelly), and Robert L. Jones Jr. (Lydia); two nieces Melissa Cooper (Cengiz) and Tamara Cooper (Richard) ; three aunts Reverend Violet Hopkins-Tann (Theodore), Evelyn Young (Amos), and Julia Anne Thompson (Hayward); Special cousin, Sherrie Young; Spiritual Brothers James Davis Jr. (Felicia) and Joe Miller (Angie); three god-daughters, Satazia Jones, Sadaya Wilson, and Faith Washington Long; and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, April 2, 2022 at Potters House Ministries, 8814 Fairlee Rd, Chestertown, MD 21620. Interment will be in Asbury U.M. Church Cemetery, following the service.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bennie Smith Funeral Home - Chestertown
855 High St.
Chestertown, MD 21620
(410) 778-2161
<https://www.benniesmithfuneralhome.com/>

Visitation

APR 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Potters House Ministries
8814 Fairlee Road
Chestertown, MD 21620

Funeral Service

APR 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

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8814 Fairlee Road
Chestertown, MD 21620

Tribute Wall

DJ

“ *Sending my condolences and deepest sympathy.* ”



Denise Jones - April 02, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ *Barbara Robinson lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.* ”



Barbara Robinson - April 01, 2022 at 07:09 PM

JS

“ *I had the pleasure to know Ray for a short time before he got sick. We worked together on an apartment rehab. He was a great painter. It was my privilege to spend time working together. I prayed for him every day and continue to pray for comfort for Doretha and family. Look forward to seeing him again with our Lord and Savior! Praise the Lord!* ”

Jimmy Snyder - April 01, 2022 at 03:13 PM

NM

“ *Nancy L Maisel lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.*



Nancy L Maisel - April 01, 2022 at 02:38 PM

DB

“ *Doris Bramble lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.*



Doris Bramble - March 31, 2022 at 08:42 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Raymond Edward Jones Jr..*



March 30, 2022 at 03:31 PM

NE

“ *God Bless Doretha and the rest of the family!! Sending love and prayers--Neicy*



Neicy - March 30, 2022 at 03:14 PM

FC

“ *Felicia Caulk lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.*



Felicia caulk - March 29, 2022 at 12:01 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Raymond Edward Jones Jr..*



March 28, 2022 at 01:03 PM

AG

“ *Annetta L Graves lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.*



Annetta L Graves - March 28, 2022 at 09:24 AM

AG

Your victory has been won. Continue to rest in peace. Love you.

Annetta L Graves - March 28, 2022 at 09:26 AM

JD

“ James & Felicia Davis lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



James & Felicia Davis - March 26, 2022 at 11:31 AM

SC

“ My prayers are with the family. Brother Ray was truly my brother Ray in the Lord . We fellowshiped together at the OPCOL , Galena for a good while. We shared laughs, tears and moments of awe of God's great love and mercy . He will be missed , in church he'd always say " There's no better place to be " .

Susan Caulk - March 25, 2022 at 12:33 PM

VL

“ Virginia Wilson Little lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



Virginia Wilson Little - March 25, 2022 at 09:51 AM

T“

“ Taccorra “Gert” lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



Taccorra “Gert” - March 25, 2022 at 07:08 AM

TA

“ I love and miss you so much Fred 🤍🙏🕊️



Taccorra - March 25, 2022 at 07:07 AM

CB

“ Cheryl Butler lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



Cheryl Butler - March 24, 2022 at 10:43 PM

RS

“ Regina Sudler lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



Regina Sudler - March 24, 2022 at 10:19 PM

LP

“ Lori Butler Perry lit a candle in memory of Raymond Edward Jones Jr.



Lori Butler Perry - March 24, 2022 at 10:18 AM

RW

“ *Reggie Wilson lit a candle in memory of
Raymond Edward Jones Jr.*



Reggie Wilson - March 24, 2022 at 09:37 AM