



Ronald Gardner Jones Sr.

July 4, 1953 - September 15, 2020

Ronald Gardner Jones, Sr. also as “Bird”, born on July 4, 1953 in Salisbury, Maryland. He was the son of the late David Gardner Jones, Sr. and Dorothy Jones Bateman. He attended Wicomico County Schools, graduating from James M. Bennet in 1971.

After graduation, Gardner moved to Baltimore, Maryland, where he lived for over twenty (20) years. There he met and married Felice Dorsey. From that union, Ronald, Jr. and Sheree Jones were born. After he and Felice divorced, he married Dorothy Smith. Later, after moving back to Salisbury, he married Evelyn Ringold and from that union, Carleigh was born.

Gardner was a member of Wesley Temple United Methodist Church. He sang with three choirs—Wesley Temple Gospel Choir, Wesley Temple Men's Choir and the Gospel Messengers, who changed their name to Multitude of Praise.

Gardner was employed with the Maryland State Correctional system and Baltimore Gas and Electric Company while in Baltimore. Locally, he worked with several agencies. His last employments were with Dove Pointe as a Residential Assistant and Direct Support Professional and as a Transportation Specialist for United Needs and Abilities, Inc.

Cherished memories remain with: his three children, Ronald, Jr., Sheree and

Carileigh; three sisters, Pauretta Gaddis, Shirley W. Jones and Deborah A. Jones; nieces, Tyeesha Peterson and Denine Jones; nephews, Ivan Jones, Tabius Cannon, Jr., Jeremiah Barkley and Cameron Hutt; two aunts, Brenda and Clementine and a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Gardner was preceded in death by one sister, Jackie Bailey, two brothers, David G. Jones, Jr. and Timothy Jones, grandparents, Marge and Armenus Williams and a nephew, Tabius Cannon, Sr.

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“ *Rest easy Brother.gone but never forgotten From.Edith and Vaughn Conway*

EdithGibson - September 26, 2020 at 10:56 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Mr Ronald. Words can\u2019t begin to express this earthly loss but Heavens gain. I had the pleasure to work with Mr Ronald at United Needs & Abilities, and sing with Multitude of Praise. He had a heart of gold and was always willing to help whatever way he could. To say that he will be missed is an understatement. I pray that God wraps his loving arms around each of you as you cherish his memory. Much love.*

Jamie James - September 25, 2020 at 03:34 PM