



Ethelene Jones

May 13, 1930 - November 26, 2021

Georgianne “Ethelene” Dyer Jones, age 91, of Milledgeville, passed away Friday, November 26, 2021. Funeral services for Ethelene Jones will be conducted Sunday, November 28, 2021 at 4:00 pm in the First Baptist Church of Milledgeville with Dr. Terry Quick and Rev. Matthew Jones officiating. Interment will take place on Tuesday, November 30, 2021 at 2:00 pm in the New Choestoe Baptist Church Cemetery in Blairsville. The family will receive friends at the First Baptist Church on Sunday, November 28, 2021 from 3:00 pm until 4:00 pm.

Ethelene was born in Choestoe, GA on May 13, 1930 to the late Jewel Marion Dyer and the late Azie Collins Dyer. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Grover Duffie Jones, and by her son, Rev. Keith Jones. Having been a native of Union County, Ethelene began teaching in a one room school in Choestoe, GA. She retired from the Fannin County School System as a media specialist, and had written weekly articles for the News Observer in Blue Ridge, GA. Being a pastor’s wife, she served with her husband all over Georgia for 32 years. She was a member at First Baptist Church in Milledgeville.

She is survived by her daughter, Cynthia Berenguer (Carlos) of Milledgeville; siblings, Brenda Murphy (Bobby) of Blairsville, Troy Dyer, Loyd Shelton, Gail Hedden, Janice Lance (Bobby); daughter in law, Debra Jones of Epworth;

grandchildren, Brian David Jones of Epworth, Nathan Jones of Karnes City, TX, Rev. Matthew Jones (LaTasha) of Epworth, Elizabeth Berenguer (Paul Johnson) of Savannah, Dr. Christina McCain (Dustin) of Midway, Crystal Diaz (Bryan) of Eatonton, Paula Aquirre (Ernesto) of Macon.

For those who wish, Memorial Contributions may be made to First Baptist Church- Lottie Moon Christmas offering, or the Dyer Jones Scholarship Fund, c/o GA Baptist Foundation; 6405 Sugarloaf Parkway, Duluth, GA 30097

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **28**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Milledgeville
330 S. Liberty St.
Milledgeville, GA 31061
<http://www.fbcmilledgeville.com>

Funeral Services

NOV **28**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



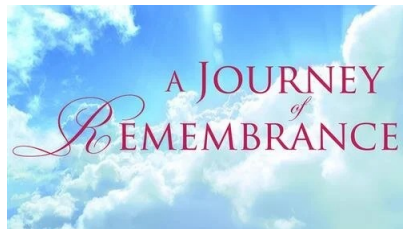
“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Webcast will start approximately 10 minutes before the service in memory of Ethelene Jones



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - November 28, 2021 at 03:59 PM



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Ethelene Jones



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - November 28, 2021 at 10:03 AM

DM

“ I do genealogy research during the winter through sporadic reading on 'Ancestry dot com'. I happened to come across a link shared by a member that lead me to Ethelene's exhaustive research and wonderful stories archived on 'Rootsweb dot com'. It turns out that we share a Stonecypher ancestor in common. I tried to reach out to her but found this obituary for her instead. It sounds like she helped many wonderful people during her life and still continues to help folks like me. I'm just speechless to read through all these tributes. What a wonderful lady. I am sad that I am too late to speak with her but through her work she is still speaking to us all today. God bless, Ethelene, her family, and friends.

Dustin C Mills - January 05, 2024 at 11:48 AM

BE

“ Ms Jones was so lovely and sweet. She was do kind to me. We were email buddies for awhile. I am just finding out about her passing. She was a great and kind woman

Beverly - May 09, 2022 at 07:39 AM

BK

“ Thank you for all the wonderful articles posted in the North GA News. A special person will be greatly missed by all.



Betty Knight - December 02, 2021 at 07:03 PM

MW

“ Went to Epworth with her and Keith, then at West Fannin . She was libarian at west Fannin, she always made russian tea mix instant tang and other spices for us girls. What a dear dear lady. Rest in Peace.

Mary Mashburn Watkins - November 29, 2021 at 09:29 PM

WC

“ Cindy, I'm so sorry for the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.
Love,
Wanda Chambers

Wanda Chambers - November 29, 2021 at 09:17 PM

NH

“ Cindi I'm so sorry to hear the passing of your Mom . She was a amazing human being . My mentor . I looked up to her and read her stories . Your dad was a wonderful man too . She loved her family very much and was so proud of you and those grandbabies and children . She will be missed . You are in our thoughts and prayers . I know you will miss her so much . God Bless . Nola

Nola Mealer Howard - November 28, 2021 at 08:52 PM

GC

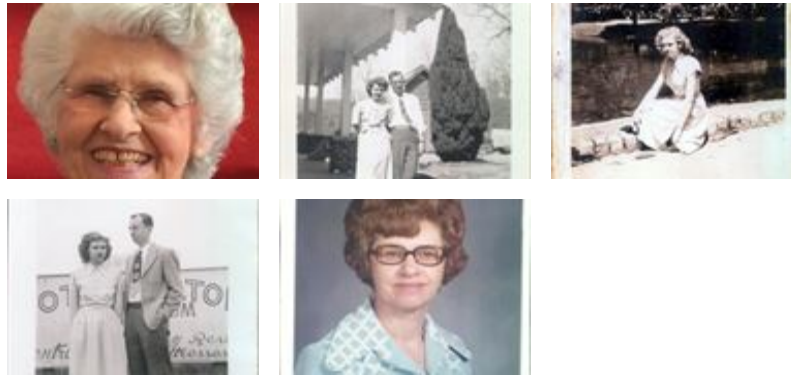
“ Ethelene Jones was one of the most amazing people I have ever known. We were fellow educators in the Fannin County School System and attended the same church - we have known each other for a long time. Everything she did was done flawlessly. After her retirement from education, she didn't let up on her work, in fact, I think she filled the void with additional tasks. She did a column in The News Observer until her passing. Her research and wording were always spot on. She kept herself busy. Her life was one of service to her family, friends, and community. Yes! Ethelene Jones was amazing! We were blessed to have her life lived in our presence! She was an excellent example for all of us!

...Gene Crawford

Gene Crawford - November 28, 2021 at 07:09 PM

Williams
FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY

“ 130 files added to the album LifeTributes



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - November 28, 2021 at 10:01 AM

LG

“ *Such a dear lady to so many and will be missed!*



Leigh Graham - November 28, 2021 at 09:34 AM

RB

“ *Prayers and comfort for the family of Mrs. Ethelene Jones Roxanne and Danny Barrett*

Rixanne Souther Barrett - November 27, 2021 at 07:02 PM

CP

“ *Ethelene was such a sweetheart. We became fast friends and even though I didn't know her for many years I enjoyed many hours visiting with her. She was very special and a delightful lady. Carol Parisi*

Carol Parisi - November 27, 2021 at 05:38 PM

RJ

“ *Rita Judy lit a candle in memory of Ethelene Jones*



Rita Judy - November 27, 2021 at 05:06 PM

MM

“ *Ethelene was a very dear friend so special since she and Grover came to FBC Epworth, GA. Such great memories of this dear family. Prayers for all.*

Margaret Matthews - November 27, 2021 at 11:56 AM

MM

“ *Margaret Matthews lit a candle in memory of Ethelene Jones*



Margaret Matthews - November 27, 2021 at 11:52 AM

JF

“ *Ethelene was such a fine Christian lady. It was a pleasure knowing get through Milledgeville First Baptist Church. After my husband died I found a special poem she had written that he carried in his Bible. She wrote a poem for me when he died. That poem is with his funeral book. Everyone who knew Ethlene loved her. I'm so happy she was a part of my life. She'll be missed.*

janet P Ferguson - November 27, 2021 at 09:39 AM

DB

“ Ethelene complemented her husband Grover gracefully as he served the Epworth Baptist Church in Fannin, County, GA even as she pursued her own calling as media specialist (her latest role) in the local public school system. I knew them both very well during the time that I served the First Baptist Church of McCaysville, GA and Copperhill, Tennessee. They were proud parents of their son and daughter and for good reason. I give God thanks for her life and labor both in church and community. While I remember the extended family in my prayers, I also give thanks for her inestimable contribution to the lives of countless people of all ages through the years. May God richly bless her memory!

Sincerely, Dr. Charles Wm. Brown, Maryville, TN.

Dr. Charles Wm. Brown - November 27, 2021 at 09:21 AM

CD

“ Cindy, I am saddened to read of your mother's passing. She was such a sweet lady. May God give you peace and comfort during this time.

Cindy Dennard - November 27, 2021 at 08:50 AM

RA

“ Mrs. Jones was my GA leader when I was growing up. She greatly influenced my life. I am a CA leader & have taught Children in Action, Mission Friends, & Acteens over the years because I wanted to be a person who was like her & others who set great examples for women to follow. (Of course, I felt God's calling to teach also.) She was a remarkable lady with such great intelligence, kindness, & love. Our world will not be the same without her presence. She made it a better place. May she rest in peace. To her Our Father will surely say, Well done, thy good & faithful servant.”

Rose Howard Anderson - November 27, 2021 at 08:13 AM

NH

“ *Nola Mealer Howard lit a candle in memory of Ethelene Jones*



Nola Mealer Howard - November 26, 2021 at 10:00 PM

TD

“ *So sorry for this Dear Family in the loss of such Sweet Lady. She was a teacher of mine at West Fannin Class of 73. It was an honor to have known her also a neighbor when I lived in Epworth.*



*Teresa Ledford Deal,
Turtletown, Tn.*

Teresa Ledford Deal - November 26, 2021 at 08:01 PM