
Pallbearers

Kevin Jones, Marcus Williams, Wayne Jones, Elijah Chatmon III,
Kedrick Chatmon and Earon Jones

Come With Me

The Lord saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put his arms around you
and whispered, "Come with me"
With tearful eyes, we watched you suffer
And saw you fade away,
Although we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
A beautiful smile at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the best.
It's lonesome here without you
We miss you so each day,
Our lives aren't the same
Since you went away.
When days are sad and lonely,
And everything goes wrong,
We seem to hear you whisper,
"Cheer up and carry on."
Each time we see your picture,
You seem to smile and say,
"Don't cry, I'm in God's keeping,
We'll meet again someday."

Author unknown

Acknowledgments

The Banks and Jones Family wishes to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation for the many overtures of support and comfort during this difficult time. Your sympathy has given us strength at a time most needed.

~~ Thank you ~~

Friends and family will convene in the Good Hope Baptist Church Dining Hall immediately following the service.

Professional Services by:

The James H. Hunt Funeral Home

126 Ridge Avenue, Asbury Park, New Jersey 07712
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Sunrise
February 22, 1933

Sunset
April 21, 2015

Homegoing Service for



Evelyn "Alwee" Jones-Banks

Sunday, April 26, 2015

7:00 pm

Good Hope Baptist Church
1306 Washington Avenue
Asbury Park, NJ 07712

Rev. Tommy D. Miles
Officiating

Order of Service

Organ Prelude

Opening Hymn

"Blessed Assurance"

Scripture Reading

Old Testament *Psalms 23: 1-6*

New Testament *John 14:1-6*

Rev. Vernon S. Thompson

Prayer of Comfort

Rev. Henry P. Davis, Sr.

Hymn

*"We'll understand it better
by and by"*

Acknowledgments and
Expressions

Lisa Jackson

Obituary

Yvette Jones

Poem

Csakyee Williams

Reflections

Solo

Sherri L. Payne

Eulogy

Rev. Tommy D. Miles

Recessional

*For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that
whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.
John 3:16*

Interment

Monday, April 27, 2015

10:00 am

Monmouth Memorial Park

Tinton Falls, NJ

Obituary

Evelyn Jones-Banks passed away at Jersey Shore University Hospital to go and dance with her "Creator" on Sunday, April 19, 2015 at the age of 82 years young. She was born on February 22, 1933 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama to the late Chap Jones and Edna Collins Jones. At an early age, she accepted Christ and was baptized at the First Baptist Church in Northport, AL.

Evelyn completed her high school education by graduating from Tuscaloosa County Training School before moving to the Jersey Shore in 1951. Evelyn attended and graduated from Brookdale Community College and New York University where she earned her degrees in Early Childhood Education. Over the course of her life, due to an unconditional love for children she served as Director of the Drop-In Day Care Center in Asbury Park, NJ for many years. She ended her career first by retiring from Brookdale Community College and then from Allstate Insurance Company. Evelyn was a member of Macedonia Baptist Church, Neptune, NJ.

Evelyn, affectionately known as "Alwee" by her family and close friends, will always be remembered for her kind words of encouragement, making everyone feel special because family members always referred to her as "My Alwee" and her great love for cooking – she always fed the village. She will forever be remembered by all the children she raised and nurtured.

Evelyn Jones-Banks is predeceased by two sisters; Bertha Layton (McKinley) and Margaret Palmer. Three brothers; James H. Jones, Samuel L. Jones (Betty) and Ike L. Jones. She leaves behind three daughters to cherish her memories, Paula Jones, Ocean, NJ; Renee' C. Banks, Neptune, NJ, Adrian Banks-Jones and her only grandchild Earon Andre's Jones, Aberdeen, MD; one brother Willie L. Jones and sister-in-law Alice Jones, Neptune, NJ; her nephew and godson Kevin "Lover" Jones (Hope), Cary, NC; a niece she parented, Sheila Palmer Becker, Stone Mountain, GA; a special family friend Loretta Wright, special health care aide Marcus A. Williams and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.