

### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The Family wishes to extend our deepest gratitude for the support, prayers, and acts of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. Your compassion has brought comfort and strength, and we are truly thankful.

Special Thanks to Susie Jones, Bobbie & Nadine Evans, Mary T. Curran, Thadarean Swanson, Willie Earl Price, Donna Burns, Ella Barney, Roosevelt Straughter, MacArthur Straughter, Rev. Willie E. Smith and the Smith Family, Leticia Thompson, Rev. Thaddeus Williams, Stephanie Garrett and New Zion Church Family.

### ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Terry Johnson | Davian Jones  
Desmond Jones | Cameron Jones  
Chauncey Smith

### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Carl Jones | Donald Hamilton  
Anthony Bell | Michael Hamilton

### FLOWER BEARERS

Family & Friends

### INTERMENT

Cypress Gardens  
330 Highway 3/49 Bypass  
Yazoo City, MS 39194

### REPAST

New Zion Annex Building  
630 Twelfth Street  
Yazoo City, MS

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:



Shaffer-Collins Funeral Home  
"Our Family Serving Our Community"  
247 West Sixth Street  
Yazoo City, MS 39194  
(662) 746-3985



*In Loving Memory of*



LILLIE MAE

Jones

Sunrise: June 24, 1936 ♦ Sunset: October 15, 2025

Saturday, November 1, 2025 | 2:00 p.m.

NEW ZION M.B. CHURCH

630 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street - Yazoo City, MS 39194

Rev. Willie E. Smith, Officiating Pastor

## A REFLECTION OF LIFE

Lillie Mae Jones was born June 24, 1936, to Eddie Lee and Lizzie Mae Jones in Vaughn, Mississippi. She departed this life on October 15, 2025, at her daughter's home in Jackson with her family by her side.

Lillie Mae Jones was raised in Vaughan, MS and her family later moved to Yazoo City, MS. She joined St. Peter Baptist Church in Yazoo City at an early age. Lillie Mae attended St. Francis Catholic School in Yazoo City, Mississippi.

She is survived by three children, [daughters] Eddie Marie Jones of and Phyllis O. Bell (Anthony), both of Jackson, MS and [son] Carl E. Jones of Yazoo City, MS; four grandchildren: LaToya Jones, Jamessa Smith (Chauncey), and Jamecca Jones, all of Jackson, MS, and Terry "Tre" Johnson (Tequila) of Euless, TX; eight great-grandchildren: Ashanti Jones of Jackson, MS, Desmond Jones (Olisha) of Brandon, MS, Jaya Jones of Jackson, MS, Tremira Johnson of Euless, TX, Janique Jones of Jackson, MS, Jakari Bell of Euless, TX, Zoey Smith of Jackson, MS and Bailee Johnson of Euless, TX; three great-great grandchildren: Justin "Junior" Taylor and Journee Taylor, both of Jackson, MS, and Baby Elias Jones of Brandon, MS; special friends: Mary Pittman, Magnolia Purvis, Nell Johnson, and Mary T. Curran; and a host of family and friends from near and far.

Lillie Mae is preceded in death by her parents Eddie Lee and Lizzie Mae Jones and daughter Linda Diane Jones.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional..... Clergy & Family  
Solo..... Jonathan Taylor  
Scripture Reading .....Old & New Testament .....Rev. Steve Dennis  
Prayer..... Donald Hamilton  
Solo..... Linda Hoover Baker  
Expressions ..... Two Minutes Please.....Family & Friends  
Solo..... Dorothy Smith  
Obituary..... Read Silently .....Soft Music  
Eulogy..... Rev. Willie E. Smith

**Shaffer-Collins Funeral Directors In Charge**

Recessional ..... Clergy, Family and Friends

## SOMEONE IS MISSING

Let this be a loving reminder,  
That someone is missing today.  
Someone our hearts still hold on to,  
As we travel along life's way.  
Someone who made life so special,  
For all those who gather here.  
Someone who won't be forgotten,  
But cherished from year to year.  
And now as we pause to remember,  
Let us all fondly recall,  
How dearly each of us loved her,  
And oh...how she loved us all!!!

## LILLIE MAE JONES

June 24, 1936 – October 15, 2025



Your life was a blessing, your memory a treasure,  
You are loved beyond words, and missed beyond measure...