

## **I Am Always With You**

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When I am gone, release me, let me go.

I have so many things to see and do,

You mustn't tie yourself to me with too many tears,

But be thankful we had so many good years.

I gave you my love, and you can only guess

How much you've given me in happiness.

I thank you for the love that you have shown,

But now it is time I traveled on alone.

So grieve for me a while, if grieve you must

Then let your grief be comforted by trust

That it is only for awhile that we must part,

So treasure the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on.

And if you need me, call and I will come.

Though you can't see or touch me, I will be near

And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear

All my love around you soft and clear

And then, when you come this way alone,

I'll greet you with a smile and a "Welcome Home".

*In Loving Memory of*

# **John G. Jones Jr.**

*September 10, 1973 ~ February 9, 2022*

## **Wake Services**

*Diamond Willow Ministries*

*Fort Thompson, SD*

*Tuesday, February 15, 2022*

*7:00 p.m.*

## **Funeral Service**

*Diamond Willow Ministries*

*Fort Thompson, SD*

*Wednesday, February 16, 2022*

*1:00 p.m.*

## **Officiating**

*Rod Vaughn*

*Andrew Thomas*

## **Casketbearers**

*Loren Jones*

*Quincey Jones*

*Cornelius Jones*

*Tyrone Stepp*

*Burton Stepp III*

*Peter Lengkeek*

*Allen Rencountre*

*Gilbert Pease*

## **Honorary Bearers**

*Lavelva Farmer*

*Angela Marks*

*Faith Spider*

*Casey Jones*

*Lydia Marks*

*Nayla Ashes*

*Ayanna Jones*

*Kody Jones*

## **Interment**

*Conkicaska Presbyterian Cemetery*

*Fort Thompson, SD*

**Arrangements By:** *Hickey Funeral Home, Chamberlain, SD*

John Guy Jones was born September 10, 1973 to Mary R. (Spider) and John G. Jones Sr. at the Community Baily Hospital in Chamberlain. He attended Fort Thompson Elementary School and graduated from Crow Creek High School. During high school, John met Michelle Necklace and were later married. To this union two sons were born Cody and Devin and a daughter Ayana. They moved to Vermillion where John worked for Menards.

In 2014, John met Tammy McLaughlin and together they raised his youngest daughter, Brooke. On December 15, 2020, John and Tammy were united in marriage in Pierre, SD.

John liked to fish but would never eat what he caught. He would usually give away his catch.

John had many good friends growing up.

John passed away on February 9, 2022 at Dougherty Hospice House in Sioux Falls, SD at the age of 48 years. Gratefully sharing his life are his wife Tammy of Pierre; daughters Brooke and Ayanna; sons Kody (Dora) Jones, Devin Jones, and John Guy Raymond Jones; his father John G. Jones Sr. of Chamberlain; three siblings Quincy Jones, Lisa Grassrope, Casey Jones; and many other relatives and friends.

Preceding him in death were his mother Mary Ruth (Spider) Jones, maternal grandparents, paternal grandparents, his brother Gregory Jones, his uncle Rocky Spider, and many other family members.



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