



David Lee Jones, Sr.

June 4, 1928 - May 25, 2025

THE ENTRANCE:

On June 4, 1928, one of God's most precious gifts David Lee Jones, was born to Henry Jones, Sr. and Emily Witherspoon Jones, in Lamont, FL.

THE MAN:

In today's society, David would not be considered an educated man. But anyone who had the privilege of engaging in a conversation with him, would quickly conclude that he was a very wise and resourceful man. With only a fifth grade education he learned how to read simple text, to sign his name, and do arithmetic. He was a scholar at taking measurements and counting his money! David lived life as a strong, proud man; while simultaneously, he was also a humble man. He was highly respected and revered by those who knew him, because he exemplified integrity, morals, and ethics; his word was his bond.

He was a phenomenal provider and protector. He enjoyed traveling, gardening and landscaping (he may have been the only person in Ft Pierce to trim the hedges and trellis with a machete)! David loved collecting electrical junk (just

like Fred Sanford), so that he could recycle the scrap metal and copper wire to sell. This man was quite the comedian, he was known for cracking a joke when you least expected it!

THE PROFESSIONAL:

By day, David had an extraordinary tenure at The Grumman Corporation, a prominent American aircraft manufacturer. After his work day at Grumman was when he would fully utilize his God-given gift as a master carpenter! He was well known in Fort Pierce, FL., and the surrounding towns as Mr. Jones, the cabinet man! If you could conceive it, David could build it! He took great pride in his craftsmanship, ensuring it was of the highest quality.

THE SERVANT:

Deacon David Lee Jones, Sr., was a believer in The Most High God; he had strong convictions in the power of prayer. He served as a deacon and the treasurer at St. John Missionary Baptist Church in Ft. Pierce, FL., for many years. He used his beautiful baritone voice to praise God as a worship leader and a quartet singer. Upon moving to Decatur, GA., he became a member of Newbirth Missionary Baptist Church

THE DEPARTURE:

David was very impactful in the lives of many. It gave him great joy to share his love for God, his wisdom, his craft, and his humor. The Lord called David home on May 25, 2025. He leaves to cherish his life and legacy his loving,

feisty wife of 74 years, Cora Lee Jones, two sons Leroy Jones and David Jones, Jr.; three daughters Zell Walker (Ed), Jeanette Spencer (Sylvester), and Taunya Reynolds. Two siblings Cleotha Jones Pugh and Ozell Jones (Carrie). Ten grand children, Ykisha Walker, Mundrikas Kelly, Keon Jones, Arkeba Pitts, Corwin Jones, Nakia Fair, Bernard Coxton, Jr., Quinton Jones, Jaslyn Coxton, and Immanuel Reynolds. Ten great grand children. A host of extended family members and his NewBirth Missionary Baptist Church Family. David was proceeded in death by his siblings Mary Floyd, Ethel Dixon, Pearlle Mae Curry, Samuel Jones and Henry Jones Jr.

Cemetery Details

Dawn Memorial Park

4685 Glenwood Road
Decatur, GA 30035

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (est)

Rainbow Park Baptist Church
2941 Columbia Drive
Decatur, GA 30034

Celebration of Life

JUN 4. 1:00 PM (est)

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2941 Columbia Drive
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Tribute Wall



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..*



June 03, 2025 at 10:21 AM



“ *Your Community Chapel Family purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..*



Your Community Chapel Family - June 03, 2025 at 09:37 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David Lee Jones, Sr..*

June 02, 2025 at 04:27 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..*



June 02, 2025 at 04:27 PM

BD

“ *Barry and Dana purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..*



Barry and Dana - June 02, 2025 at 09:14 AM

EB

“ *My Dearest Family,
My thoughts, cares , prayers and sympathies are with you at this time as I share your loss, I'm Blessed to have had Poppa Dave, as I called him, in my life. His wit, humor and kindness always made my visits special. I will cherish those times. May his peaceful spirit be with us forever.*

Edgaranna Bardwell - June 01, 2025 at 11:15 AM

RS

“ *Grateful that I had the Privilege to meet Mr. David Lee Jones, Sr , his Queen Wife and Family at his Family Birthday Celebration over flowing with Family Love!*

As Brother Houston Stated:

Mr. David Lee Jones, Sr. was a Awesome, Strong Man of Integrity !

I would add, a SHARP Dresser! He walked with pride looking like a BLACK DIAMOND!❤️🙏

Ralph E. Smith

Ralph E Smith - June 01, 2025 at 04:14 AM

SS

“ *Mr. Otis Spencer & Family, send their condolences and love to the family.*

Mr. David Jones spirit and legacy will live on and not be forgotten.

Sylvester Spencer - May 31, 2025 at 08:30 PM

RS

“ *Good Afternoon:*

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Mr. David Lee Jones, Sr, His beautiful Queen Wife and Family at his
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Ralph E. Smith

Ralph E Smith - May 31, 2025 at 01:35 PM

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spirit be with us always.*

Edgaranna J. Bardwell. (Gwanna, “B”)

Edgaranna J Bardwell - June 01, 2025 at 02:23 AM

CS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family at this time of bereavement. I remember Mr. David being the most humble spirited man in the neighborhood in Ft. Pierce. Heaven has truly gained a jewel.



Cynthia & The Carthon Family (19th St.) - May 31, 2025 at 10:35 AM

MK

“ Marchetta Kimmons lit a candle in memory of David Lee Jones, Sr.



Marchetta Kimmons - May 31, 2025 at 09:36 AM

MK

o our sister, our family, and friend, we send love and support during this time. Our thoughts and hearts are with you. Mike, Marchetta, and Ryleigh Kimmons

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Marchetta Kimmons - May 31, 2025 at 09:37 AM

RB

“ We are so sorry for the loss of your father. Our heartfelt sympathies are with you and your family during this most difficult time. Sending love and support. Roy and Clea Bowe

Roy and Clea Bowe - May 31, 2025 at 09:02 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David Lee Jones, Sr..

May 31, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ Heartfelt Sympathies Blue & White Funeral Standing Basket was purchased for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..



May 31, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ Blue & White Mixed Half Casket Cover was purchased for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..



May 30, 2025 at 06:34 PM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David Lee Jones, Sr..



May 30, 2025 at 05:38 PM

EF

“ *Sharing your sadness as you prepare to say goodbye to your loved one. May God comfort you through his word the Bible and the gift of prayer. Thinking of you all.*

Evans family - May 28, 2025 at 10:54 AM