



## Allen Virgil Jones

June 26, 1964 - November 2, 2017

ALLEN VIRGIL JONES, AGE 53

And a resident of the Oak Grove Community died Thursday night November 2, 2017 at his home surrounded by his loving family. Allen had fought a long and courageous battle with cancer, proving he was Superman to his wife and children. He was a longtime cross-country truck driver of dry goods and other products for several different companies through the years. Allen had the CB handle of “Handyman” due to his ability to build just about anything and his love for working with his hands. He enjoyed fishing and always stayed active before his illness. Allen was a member of Oak Grove Baptist Church and his favorite hobby was spending quality time with his family and grandchildren.

Survived by:

Wife: Lynda Courtright Jones of the Oak Grove Community

Son: Christopher Allen Jones and Joli Foster of the Oak Grove Community

2 Daughters and a Son in law: Kelly Jones Mixon and Ken Mixon of Oak Grove Community,  
Katie Jones of Mt. Hermon

4 Grandchildren: Gloria Mixon,  
Jaelyn Jones,  
Kensly Mixon,  
Kasey Foster

Mother: Velma Fairburn Jones of Oak Grove Community

2 Brothers and a Sister in law: Johnny and Donna Jones of Indiantown, FL,  
William R. "Billy" Jones of Oak Grove Community

3 Sisters and Brothers in law: Emily Gonzales of Fargo, ND,  
Eva Jones Graham and Mike Graham,  
Cindy and Tommy Guy all of Franklinton

Mother in law: Lucy Courtright

Brothers in law and Sisters in law: Bill and Angela Courtright,  
Elizabeth "Beth" Courtright,  
David and Janine Courtright

Also numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, other family members and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his father Virgil Jones and a brother Bobby Jones.

Visitation will be at Oak Grove Baptist Church (19840 Lee Road, Franklinton) on Thursday November 9th from 11 am until 1 pm. A memorial service will be held in the church at 1 pm Thursday with Rev. Derek Dantin officiating. Burial in Spencer Cemetery will take place at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers donations to the Oak Grove Baptist Church Building Fund.

The family wishes to express a sincere thank you to Ken Mixon for his loving care and support to Allen.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Allen Virgil Jones.*



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November 08, 2017 at 02:39 PM



“ *Joanie Varnado lit a candle in memory of Allen Virgil Jones*



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**joanie varnado** - November 06, 2017 at 03:11 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss , sending prayers to the family .*



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**Lisa Strachan** - November 05, 2017 at 09:19 AM



“ *Prayers for Mr Allen Family at a time like this . Was a great man. Any was well love by his family .. sadly missed !! The Jimmy Jenkins Family*

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**tara jenkins** - November 04, 2017 at 08:25 PM

JN

“ *Joan Nielsen lit a candle in memory of Allen Virgil Jones*



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**joan nielsen** - November 04, 2017 at 07:45 PM

TP

“ *Thomas Polkey lit a candle in memory of Allen Virgil Jones*



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**thomas polkey** - November 04, 2017 at 02:00 PM

JD

“ *So sorry for your loss. Sending prayers and light to you. ❤️*

*Jo Dupre*

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**Jo Dupre** - November 04, 2017 at 01:50 PM

BB

“ *Mrs Lynda & family, I'm sorry to hear of Mr Allen's passing. We'll miss him and will keep you all in our prayers..*



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**Barbara Burch** - November 04, 2017 at 09:02 AM

LP

*So sorry to learn of the loss of your husband You are in my prayers*

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**Lawana Penton** - November 06, 2017 at 03:08 PM

MH

“ I grew up with the Jones family and consider them all my friends. I rode the bus with them from the year I started school until the year I graduated. I met Allen's wife through my sister. The entire Jones family were good people. So sorry for the loss of Allen. I recently lost my husband and I know the pain that you are feeling now. What gives me comfort is knowing that the pain that he felt is gone now. We are hurting but he is at peace. Take comfort in knowing you did all you could and showed him how much you loved him.

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**Martha Hunt** - November 04, 2017 at 05:36 AM

MA

“ We love you all and praying for you...Amazing grace how sweet that saves the souls like ours. God is with you and Allen is completely healed and seeing the savior.....  
What a day of rejoicing it will be when we all get to heaven to sing the VICTORY.  
UNCLE MICHAEL AND AUNT PAM

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**michale and pamela Arias** - November 03, 2017 at 09:11 PM