



## Mrs. Cathlean Jones

August 22, 1931 - January 14, 2023

Cathlean Jones, nee Baird, along with her identical twin Evelean, was born August 22, 1931, in Asheville, NC. They were the third and fourth children born to Mr. And Mrs. Nazra and Troy Baird.

After graduating Geer High School in Belton, SC, she married the love of her life, John A. Jones, on August 19th, 1950. Their first children were fraternal twins (Johnny and Connie), born in 1951; with Gloria Jean and Merial Stephanie following in 1955 and 1958 respectively.

John moved the family to Washington, D.C. in the early 1960's, where she joined her twin sister and her family. They built a comfortable life and adopted a son (Victor Tyrone). Cathlean thought her family was complete, when God blessed her with Pamela Denise, born in 1967.

Cathlean was a community leader and social butterfly; in DC she was a founding member of a club named "The Sociables", a group of women that would gather together to raise money, celebrate life, and reminisce on their early days.

If there was one thing that stood out about Cathlean throughout her life, it was her love for babies/children, and her avid support of the young people in her community. She ran a daycare business in DC for many years, lovingly caring

for the children of working parents; as well as, tirelessly raising funds for various charities benefitting youth in Belton and DC alike.

In the early 90's, Cathlean and John retired and returned to Belton, SC. They enjoyed traveling the world, highlighted by a trip to Germany to visit family, and a cruise to Hawaii.

Cathlean was a faithful, committed, and serving member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Belton, SC, and Vermont Avenue Baptist Church in Washington, DC. In her life, between the two churches, she served as a Missionary, a Nursery Nurse, a Deaconess, and was a member of multiple other church groups and clubs. She loved Pastor Dean's sermons and watched the YouTube videos posted each week.

She loved life, she loved parties, and she danced until her last year. She loved conversing and visiting with her friends and family. She was a strong and spirited woman, whose faith in God carried her through to her last breath.

Cathlean is preceded in death by her parents; the twin she grieved for 40 years, Evelean Sloan; her sister Dorothy Mae Presley, her brother Edmund Baird; niece La Varn Crosby and her beloved, forever in her heart, husband, John A. Jones. She is with them now and we know she is happy.

Cathlean is survived by her daughters, Connie, Gloria, Merial, and Pamela Jones; her sons Johnny (Melvina), and Victor Jones; her granddaughters Tamika Jones-Hudson (Darryl), Victoria and Franziska Jones; her grandson Jamall Jones; her great-granddaughters Coley and April Hudson; her great-grandsons Jelani Jones and Tristan Levy Upchurch-Jones; her nieces Cecillia Sloan-Ashton (Earl), Crystal and Tamara Baird, Alecia Nelson, Tiffany Jones and great-niece Odessa Jones; her nephews Marvin Eddie, Stanley, Anthony (Danette) Sloan, and Thomas Jones (Jackie), Marcus (Kerry) and Martin

Baird. Cousins Valerie Durant (Richard), and Linda Williams, and a host of other cousins, nieces, nephews, and other Jones, Baird, Sloan, Howard, Cox, Watkins family members and friends, too numerous to mention.

Funeral services will be held Saturday 12:00 Noon at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, burial will follow in the Church Cemetery. Public viewing will be Friday from 12:00-6:00P.M. at the funeral home. Holloway's Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JAN 27. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Holloway's Funeral Home  
101 Holloway Blvd  
Belton, SC 29627  
hollowaysfuneral@bellsouth.net  
<http://hollowaysfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

JAN 28. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt Zion Baptist Church Cemetery  
206 Zion Street  
Belton, SC 29627

## Burial

JAN 28 (ET)

Mt. Zion Baptist Church Cemetery  
206 Zion Street  
Belton, SC

# Tribute Wall



“ *Holloway's Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



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**Holloway's Funeral Home** - January 28, 2023 at 08:38 PM



“ *Holloway's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



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**Holloway's Funeral Home** - January 25, 2023 at 02:57 PM

AN

*Absolutely beautiful..Rest in Peace...  
Annette Duberry, friend of Merial*

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**Annette** - January 26, 2023 at 11:19 AM

PW

*So sorry to hear about cousin Kathleen's passing. The tribute video was beautiful? I will keep the Jones family in my prayers. Sincerely,  
Pattie (Jones), Woodley.*

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**Pattie (Jones) Woodley** - January 27, 2023 at 07:40 AM

ES

“ *Elaine Stephens lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



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**Elaine Stephens** - January 28, 2023 at 12:05 PM

ES

*Mrs. Jones was a wonderful lady. I always enjoyed my visits with her. The video tribute is beautiful. Praying for the family during this difficult time. God bless you. Elaine*

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**Elaine Stephens** - January 28, 2023 at 12:07 PM

RM

“ *Love and Sympathy for cousin Cathleen is shared by your host of New York and Asheville family members. God will see us through this. From Cousin Robert Earnest and host of Family members. 646-523-8574*

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**Robert Earnest Morman** - January 28, 2023 at 10:44 AM



“ *Summer's Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 27, 2023 at 04:13 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.* ”



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January 27, 2023 at 02:33 PM



“ *Brenda, Samantha & Michael Jackson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.* ”



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**Brenda, Samantha & Michael Jackson** - January 27, 2023 at 11:35 AM



“ *Sarah Hill lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones* ”



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**Sarah Hill** - January 27, 2023 at 10:22 AM



“ *Our prayers and condolences are with you.* ”



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**Sippie, Sarah and Elizabeth Hilll** - January 27, 2023 at 10:20 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 26, 2023 at 09:41 PM



“ *With deepest sympathy from cousin Robert Earnest and children Robert Jr and Melanie; Cousin Louise's children Michelle, Tina & Karina; Cousin Elease's children Tonya & Richard Jr, Cousin Shirley's child Lisa.*



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**Tina Smith Johnson** - January 26, 2023 at 09:16 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 26, 2023 at 08:38 PM



“ *May you have heavenly peace in your new season of life with Deacon Jones. Family enjoy the wonderful memories you have for your mother! Salute to a Christian Woman! Jimmy & Sharon Clinkscales*



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**Sharon Clinkscales** - January 26, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



January 26, 2023 at 04:37 PM



“ *With deepest sympathy, Francenia purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



**With deepest sympathy, Francenia** - January 26, 2023 at 04:23 PM



“ *Carol D Randolph lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



**Carol D Randolph** - January 26, 2023 at 04:04 PM



“ *3 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Holloway's Funeral Home** - January 26, 2023 at 02:55 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 26, 2023 at 12:43 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 26, 2023 at 12:42 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - January 26, 2023 at 09:28 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.*



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January 26, 2023 at 05:41 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.



January 25, 2023 at 08:57 PM



“ The Clement Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.



The Clement Family - January 25, 2023 at 08:46 PM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



Holloway's Funeral Home - January 25, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.



January 25, 2023 at 01:29 PM



“ Your ATE Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mrs. Cathlean Jones.



Your ATE Family - January 25, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ Hattie S. Green sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones



Hattie S. Green - January 25, 2023 at 06:43 AM



“ Suze Green-Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones



Suze Green-Johnson - January 25, 2023 at 06:41 AM

DR

“ Praying for the Jones family . Dorothy Scott  
Robinson &Dennis



Dennis Robinson - January 24, 2023 at 08:55 PM

JB

“ Janice E. Brown purchased the Simply Elegant S  
pathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Cathlean  
Jones.



Janice E. Brown - January 24, 2023 at 04:46 PM

FJ

“ In memory of a very sweet, friendly,  
approachable woman of God. Rest in peace



Frances Johnson - January 24, 2023 at 08:45 AM

DM

“ Dianne Payton McDavid lit a candle in  
memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones



Dianne Payton McDavid - January 24, 2023 at 01:00 AM

DG

“ *Mrs.Minnie Jones & Judy Tate, Praying to God to give you'll the strength at this time of the loss of your dear mother.*



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**Deborah Gilliard** - January 23, 2023 at 11:19 PM

DG

“ *Mr.&Mrs. Reginald Gilliard, sent our sympathy for the loss of your mother*



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**Deborah Gilliard** - January 23, 2023 at 11:13 PM

DG

“ *Deborah Gilliard sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cathlean Jones*



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**Deborah Gilliard** - January 23, 2023 at 11:07 PM