



Mrs. Debra L. Jones

June 25, 1956 - January 30, 2015

JONES, Mrs. Debra L. - Age 58, passed away Friday, January 30, 2015 at McLaren-Flint, surrounded by her family. Family hour 10 a.m. Saturday, February 7, 2015 at Kingdom of Heaven Ministries, 2430 Dutcher Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Apostle Lonnie Brown officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Jones will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 5-7 p.m. Friday with family present.

Ms. Debra Jones was born on June 25, 1956 in Chicago, Illinois to parents Sterlene Jones and Ossie Jones. Those who were touched by her knew well of her giving spirit, beautiful smile, sense of humor, charm, quick wit, and her strong work ethic. A long time Flint resident, Debra graduated from Northwestern High School. While attending Mott Community College she completed coursework in paralegal studies. Debra worked at the Urban League of Flint as an office manager and worksite manager where she retired. From there she went on to become a legal secretary for the Genesee County Prosecutor Attorney's Office where she was employed for the past 20 years. She took great pride in her work and became a member of the Genesee County Bar Association Affiliates.

Debra highly valued her relationship with God and was a faithful member of

Kingdom of Heaven Ministries, and a supporter of Pentecostal Temple of Flint, MI. Debra's pride and joy were her two special children LaTonya (David) Demps and Lamont Lloyd, who have accomplished many personal and professional goals due to her loving dedication and unwavering support. Debra had many interests and pastimes. She was a big lover of sports; she enjoyed watching movies, and took great delight in her time as a jewelry consultant. However, she enjoyed spending time with her loved ones above anything else. Debra valued helping others and would happily offer resources and support to anyone in need. She dedicated herself and her life to charity and to the service to others. Debra lived her life with the principles of service, love, grace, and mercy. She will be deeply missed and her memory will be treasured by all who knew her.

She also leaves to cherish her memory; two special children, LaTonya (David) Demps and Lamont Lloyd; siblings, Ossie (Bessie) Jones Jr, Ricky Jones, Sharon Jones, and Adrienne Jones. Additionally special cousin, best friend, and life sister, Carolyn Wells; a host of nieces, and nephews including special niece, Lynnae Jones and special nephew, Dexter Herron; and a host of great nieces and nephews including special great nieces, Aianna Jones and Sterlene Jones II; a host of beloved cousins including special cousins, George Grundy, Brian Grundy, Veronica Hill, all of Flint, MI and Benny Grundy of Brookings, OR; a multitude of dear friends including special friend, Susan Hopkins and friends at the 68th District Court including close friends Ann Williams, Carolyn Evans, Suzette Hawkins, and Kelly McWhirter.

Debra was preceded in death by her parents, Ossie and Sterlene Jones; brother, Robert Union, and many beloved aunts and uncles including Aunt Frances Grundy, Uncle Eric and Walter Jamerson Sr. and cousin Andrew Grundy.

The family would like to thank her church family at Kingdom of Heaven

Ministries and Pastor Lonnie Brown, Pentecostal Temple, and her dear friends
at the 68th District Court.

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.
Flint, MI 48505

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 6. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-6666
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

FEB 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

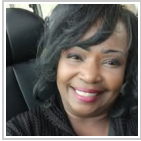
Kingdom of Heaven Ministries
2430 Dutcher Rd.
Flint Twp., MI 48532

Service

FEB 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *She was missed. She was a kind heart at the court and at my father's church (Yvette Sanders) -Pastor James Sanders daughter of Pentecostal Temple.*

Bathsheba Gibborim - May 29, 2024 at 03:15 PM



“ *Mrs. Debra L. Jones*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *ROSE FIZER lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



ROSE FIZER - February 17, 2015 at 02:16 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of her passing....what a great spirit she has...& always smiling..!!!! we went to school together at Martin & Northwestern.....I'll keep her family in my prayers!!!*



Jacqueline Bridges - February 09, 2015 at 02:03 PM

MM

“ I send my deepest condolences to the Jones family for the lost of Deborah. God has your heart in his hand and He will Carry your family over these hard times. God Bless and your family will forever be in my prayers.

Marilyn Moss - February 09, 2015 at 09:06 AM

SM

“ On behalf of my brother Reginald Johnson and family, we would like to offer our condolences to the family. There was a time when my brother need a friend and Debra was just that. I never had the pleasure of meeting Debra but I would like to say thank you and we're sorry for your loss. My name is Sandra (Johnson) Morris.



sandra morris - February 08, 2015 at 03:34 PM

RC

“ Runnisha Conway lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones



Runnisha Conway - February 07, 2015 at 06:02 PM

CH

“ Connie Hartley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones



connie hartley - February 07, 2015 at 11:26 AM



“ *Chimene Hill lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Chimene Hill - February 06, 2015 at 05:20 PM

JF

“ *With deepest sympathy my thoughts and prayers go out to all of Debra's family and friends. Debra assisted me on countless occasions with court paperwork and needed information. She was always in good spirits and never failed me. God Bless You Debra you will be greatly missed. I pray the families christian faith will help ease the pain of this difficult time.*

Jeff Fray UM-Flint

Jeff Fray - February 06, 2015 at 05:16 PM

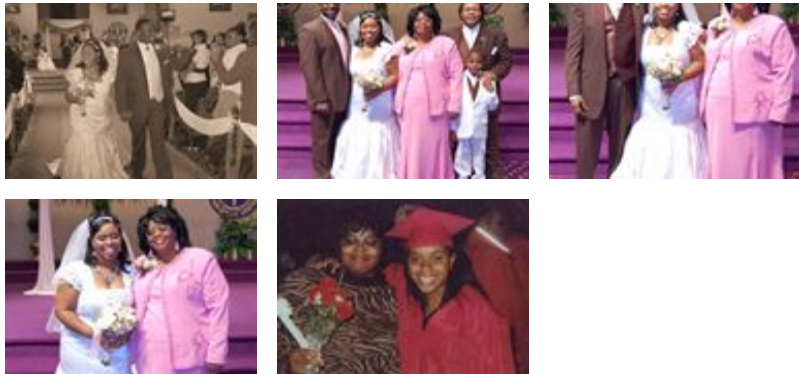
BM

“ Latonya And David,
I offer my prayer support to you and your family. We are saddened at the sudden passing of your mother Debra. However I believe she had finished her assignment from God and it was her time to join her Heavenly Father whom she loved dearly. It is her reward for her faithfulness! I know that this time in your life is difficult, but , I know if YOU will trust God as your mother Debra did, HE will bring you through. He will give you the comfort and strength to go forward. I encourage you to remember God and lean on Him. "Christ is no security against storms, But He is perfect security in storms. He does not promise an easy passage, But He does guarantee a safe landing."(Clyde Gordon) Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all Psalm. 34:19...He has delivered,Bless His name.
My love to you and continued prayer support that Father God will strengthen you and yours,
Aunt Beverly

beverly morrell - February 06, 2015 at 03:13 PM



“ 50 files added to the album Life Tributes



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - February 06, 2015 at 02:19 PM

TF

“ *The ADP Family purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Debra L. Jones.*



The ADP Family - February 06, 2015 at 11:51 AM

TJ

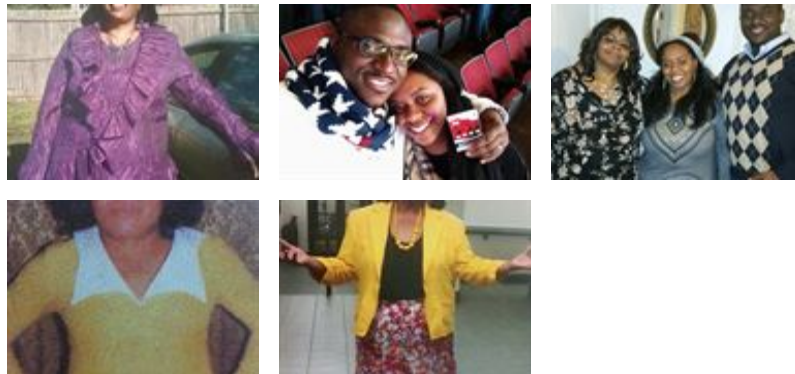
“ *2 files added to the album Prosecutor's office*



Tammy Johns - February 06, 2015 at 10:58 AM



“ *40 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - February 05, 2015 at 07:38 PM

DS

“ *My Deb, my friend, and my sister in Christ. You gave so much of yourself to so many of us and that I find such an inspiration. Years go by and before you know it we forget to stay in touch as often as we should. I want your family and friends to know that I will personally miss your smile, your friendship, your support, the great conversations, and the love you had for me and my family throughout the years. I pray that God continues to watch over your loved ones as you did for those that you surrounded yourself with.*

Debra Smith

Debra Smith - February 05, 2015 at 10:48 AM



“ *may god bless the jones family from Jennifer croom*

Valarie Munerlyn-coulter - February 05, 2015 at 10:47 AM

DS

“ *Debra, you were special. I hope you get the Laker games with the Lord, hope for you he is a fan. It won't be the same without you. Det Don Stewart*

Det Donald Stewart - February 04, 2015 at 12:19 PM

SK

“ *Debra would greet me by reciting, from memory, my "Bar number". I witnessed her greeting other attorneys, in the same manner; always a smile, always a wonderful person.*

Skinner - February 04, 2015 at 09:26 AM

SG

“ *Suzanne Y. Gregory lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Suzanne Y. Gregory - February 04, 2015 at 09:20 AM

LH

“ *Debra was a beautiful person who truly will be missed..Praying for the entire Jones Family, Godspeed.*

Lisa Hairston - February 04, 2015 at 06:35 AM

OC

“ *Ora Lee Carter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Ora Lee Carter - February 04, 2015 at 05:12 AM

LM

“ *Laverna Murphy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Laverna Murphy - February 03, 2015 at 08:33 PM

TD

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Tonya Demps - February 03, 2015 at 07:34 PM

TJ

This is a beautiful picture!!! It captures her beautiful soul.

Tamara Johns - February 04, 2015 at 11:26 AM

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Tonya Demps - February 03, 2015 at 07:33 PM

TJ

“ 1 file added to the album *Prosecutor's office*



Tamara Johns - February 03, 2015 at 06:26 PM

TJ

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Tamara Johns - February 03, 2015 at 06:25 PM

TJ

“ *Deb "DJ" was a Proverbs 31 woman. She was a wonderful friend and I love her and will miss her. I know she is in heaven in a mansion joking around with everyone now.*

The prosecutor's office will not be the same without her. Everyone loved her. She always said we were her second family. She practically lived at the office. She loved her job and never missed a day. She would even come in when she was supposed to be on vacation or the office was closed.

I am so sorry for your loss Latonya, Lamont and the rest of her family. Please take comfort in knowing your mother was loved by everyone she came in contact with.

Tamara Johns

Tamara Johns - February 03, 2015 at 06:21 PM

GC

“ *Glenn Cotton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Glenn Cotton - February 03, 2015 at 05:50 PM

TO

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Tonya - February 03, 2015 at 05:10 PM

FA

“ *Flint Northwestern Class Of 1974 Alumni lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Flint Northwestern Class of 1974 Alumni - February 03, 2015 at 05:10 PM

FA

Debra was a very special member of the NW class of 1974. She will be truly missed.

Flint Northwestern Class of 1974 Alumni - February 03, 2015 at 05:13 PM

TD

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tonya Demps - February 03, 2015 at 04:51 PM

LT

“ *Linda Hodge Terrell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



linda hodge terrell - February 03, 2015 at 04:00 PM

LT

“ *From Martin Elementary to Northwestern I've seen Debra smile. We used to act soooooooooooooo crazy!!!! Over the years we lost contact but I did see her a few years ago. We talked for hours. We exchanged telephone numbers. I regret did not continue to stay in touch. I regret it. But Debra, you will ALWAYS hold an important place in my heart and I will remember you with a smile. You will be missed but heaven just got brighter. One day at a time, family. From Linda Hodge*

linda hodge terrell - February 03, 2015 at 03:58 PM

PM

“ *Extending heartfelt sympathies and condolences to the family of Deb Jones, a woman who leaves us with lessons in kindness, friendship, hard work, dedication, and looking for the best in everyone. Missing you already, Deb. RIP*

Paula McGlown - February 03, 2015 at 01:31 PM

SW

RIP Deb. The Lakers #1 fan!

Scott Watson - February 04, 2015 at 09:42 AM

JD

Deb, I don't believe that God put a nicer person on earth than you. You never asked anything of anyone and always did what others asked of you. You were a hard worker, dedicated to your job but mostly dedicated to those around you. Know that you will be missed. We love you and always will.

Veronica Simon and Judge M. Cathy Dowd

Judge M. Cathy Dowd - February 06, 2015 at 01:32 PM

PM

“ *Paula & Michael McGlown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Paula & Michael McGlown - February 03, 2015 at 01:26 PM

BW

“ *But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control...I will forever remember "Deb" Jones for having these attributes and many more. I shall always remember her loyalty and commitment to myself and her work at the Prosecutor's Office - always thriving to make sure that she did 100%plus. I will miss her. But never will I forget her.*

Brenda R. Williams

Brenda R. Williams - February 03, 2015 at 10:49 AM

KT

“ *Kristyne Traver lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Kristyne Traver - February 03, 2015 at 10:18 AM

JH

“ *Johanna Anderson Houston lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



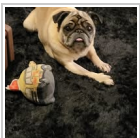
Johanna Anderson Houston - February 03, 2015 at 08:01 AM

CG

“ *Carol Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Debra L. Jones*



Carol Gardner - February 02, 2015 at 10:53 PM



“ *I wish to send my deepest condolences to Debs family. I truly loved Deb, and will miss that beautiful smile. I am so glad that God brought Deb in my life. I learned a lot from knowing her. Deb was such a joy to be around her positive spiritual outlook on life. I will miss thst smile but I will see you again my friend. Love you Deb. ♡*
♡♡♡♡♡

Kathy Reid - February 01, 2015 at 12:18 PM

KR

“ *Kathy Reid lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Debra L. Jones*



Kathy Reid - February 01, 2015 at 12:08 PM