



James Melton Jones Jr

May 30, 1937 - April 15, 2024

James Melton Jones Jr., a loving father, brother, grandfather, great-grandfather and Navy veteran, passed away on April 15, 2024, at T Boone Pickens Hospice in Dallas, Texas following a short illness. Born on May 30, 1937, in Graham, Texas, James had a successful career in the Navy, retiring as an E6 in 1979 after 20 years of service. Following his military career, he dedicated himself to the US Postal Service until his retirement in 2006. James was known for his green thumb, enjoying gardening and spending time outdoors.

He was a man of many talents, loving to fish, holding engaging conversations with anyone he met, and being an active member of Eighth Street Baptist Church. James is survived by his children, Barbara Barham and Richard Jones, his daughter-in-law Katrina Jones, son-in-law Harold Barham, and sister Betty Bourbon; 4 grandchildren, Kristopher Barham, Colt Jones, Kaylie Jones, and Kelsie Jones and 1 great-grandchild, Waylon James.

Family and friends are invited to pay their respects at the public viewing scheduled for April 22, 2024, at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home, starting at 10:00 am. The funeral service to celebrate James' life will be held at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home on April 22, 2024, at 11 am. A private burial will be conducted at DFW National Cemetery where James will be placed with Jenny, his wife of fifty-nine years.

James will be remembered for his service to his country, his dedication to his family, and his warm and welcoming spirit. May his memory live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

In addition to his wife, James was preceded in death by his parents, James Jones Sr and Lula Jones and a sister, Janice Derrington

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home
500 E. Main St.
Grand Prairie, TX 75050

Funeral Service

APR **22**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero Dean Funeral Home
500 E. Main Street
Grand Prairie, TX 75050

Tribute Wall

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“ Charles and Irene Hopper purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



Charles and Irene Hopper - April 19, 2024 at 09:43 PM

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“ Warren and Sonda Landry purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



Warren and Sonda Landry - April 19, 2024 at 04:14 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



April 19, 2024 at 01:03 PM

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“ Nana, Amber, and Braxton purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



Nana, Amber, and Braxton - April 18, 2024 at 07:42 PM



“ 135 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Guerrero - Dean Funeral Home - April 18, 2024 at 05:50 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



April 18, 2024 at 03:22 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray* was purchased for the family of James Melton Jones Jr.



April 18, 2024 at 03:11 PM

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“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Barbara Jones Barham - April 17, 2024 at 08:34 PM

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“ Some photos of our Daddy



Barbara Jones Barham - April 17, 2024 at 08:24 PM