



Salene Denise Jones

July 4, 1954 - October 23, 2016

Salene Denise Jones was born on July 4, 1954 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the daughter of the late John Jones, Jr. and Zella Lee Cole. Salene departed this earthly scene on Sunday, October 23, 2016, in her home, Braddock, Pennsylvania.

Salene accepted Jesus as her personal savior at the age of 12 and was baptized at Clark Memorial Baptist Church, Homestead, Pennsylvania. Later, Salene moved her membership to Morning Star Baptist Church, West Mifflin, Pennsylvania.

Salene graduated from Steel Valley High in June of 1973. Upon graduation, Salene was employed by the former Homestead Steel Mill until they closed. Salene received certifications, including Cosmetology, Travel and Tourism from Sawyer Business School and as a Class B. Commercial Driver.

She worked in a variety of industries, namely, as a crane operator, travel agent, cake decorator, daycare owner, school bus driver, Access driver, and as a foster parent, until she was placed on disability by her doctor. Salene even worked at constructing tall buildings very briefly, until she fell from one, having been caught by the seat of her pants. She immediately walked away from that industry. From a very young age, Salene was an avid artist. She was always drawing, painting, crocheting, knitting, sewing creating doll furniture or enjoying a new arts and crafts project.

Salene leaves to mourn her passing, two children, her daughter, Elida Denise Jones of Monroeville; her son, Henrico Antonio Jones (Tina) of Scottsdale; her

grandson, Alexander Lafayette Jones-Miles of Monroeville; her mother, Zella Lee Cole of Homestead; sisters: Aseneth Bennett (Nicholas) of Rosalyn Farms; Vanessa Tedesco of Homestead; brothers; Harvey Cole, Jr. (Elaine) of Verona; Fred J. Cole of Duquesne; her aunt, Robnet Loving of East McKeesport; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Cemetery & Mausoleum

1301 Lincoln Highway
North Versailles, PA 15137

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **28**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Tunie Funeral Home, Inc.
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Tribute Wall



“ *Salene Denise Jones*

January 29, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *Salene Denise Jones*

January 29, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ *My sister marched down the streets made of gold on Sunday morning Oct. 23rd, the pearly white gates opened wide and she was issued her white robe and she has been shouting all over heaven ever since. I miss you big sis, but I will always have you in my heart. Thank You Jesus for blessing our family with Salene!*

Vanessa Tedesco

Vanessa Tedesco - October 31, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *Combined Insurance purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Salene Denise Jones.*



Combined Insurance - October 27, 2016 at 12:23 PM

AM

“ Auntie Ma lit a candle in memory of Salene
Denise Jones



Auntie ma - October 26, 2016 at 06:41 PM

JB

“ Henrico and Elida,

*I'm sorry your immense and incredible loss. I
have only the fonest memories of your mother
throughout the years. My thoughts and
prayers are with you and the rest of your family.*



Jared O. Bell

Jared Bell - October 26, 2016 at 06:05 PM

JB

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Jared O. Bell

Jared Bell - October 26, 2016 at 06:04 PM

YG

“ Sorry for your loss Vanessa and Harry. Many prayers to her children. She will always be remember as one of my Steel Valley class mate. The Garner and Bluefort family.



Yvette Garner - October 25, 2016 at 06:38 PM

JH

“ My prayers are with you and your family Elida. May God comfort you all during this painful time. Many Blessings. Julie Harris-Walker, Family Division

Julie Harris-Walker - October 25, 2016 at 01:17 PM

BL

“ Brenda Loving lit a candle in memory of Salene Denise Jones



Brenda Loving - October 25, 2016 at 09:59 AM