

# Celebration of the Life of

# James Jones, Jr.

**Sunrise**

August 21, 1937

**Sunset**

August 12, 2012

## **Service**

Friday, August 24, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

**CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOMES, INC.**

256 Rosa Park Blvd.

Paterson, New Jersey

*Rev. Kenneth Clayton, Officiating*

*Scott Cumberbatch, Organist*

## *Reflections of Life*

**James M. Jones** was born on August 21, 1937 in Warren County, NC in the small town of Fishing Creek to the late Marcellette Johnson and James H. Jones. In 1945, at the tender age of eight years old, he moved to Hackensack, NJ.

James attended Hackensack High school and graduated with the class of 1956. Always diligent, he decided to serve his Country and joined the United States Army in 1962. He was honorably discharged from this service in 1965.

James was known by all as a jack of all trades. He worked at numerous chemical plants as an engineer and ended his career in that field by retiring from Horizon Plastics in 2005.

James loyally attended Mount Olive Baptist Church in Hackensack, NJ and was also a member of the local VFW. He loved the water and enjoyed going to the YMCA where he would swim, but baseball was his all time favorite pastime that he attributed to his mother Marcellette, who introduced the sport to him at an early age.

James was a quiet but determined man, many would consider him a man of very few words, however, the words that he uttered from his mouth were powerful indeed. The knowledge dispensed from him was always received with wholehearted embracement. Always the observer, he was an individual that would sit in the background analyzing, examining and scrutinizing his surroundings. He was not a follower and didn't like crowds. He enjoyed his personal space and cared not to venture into matters that did not concern him. He was a man who handled his business alright and helped out from a distance, unbeknown to many. He was the type of man that if approached that huge heart would motivate him to help in any way he could. Known for his sarcastic sense of humor and his infamous drives through town, James left his mark on all onlookers.

James M. Jones departed this life on Sunday, August 12, 2012, in East Orange, New Jersey, at the Veterans Hospital, at the age of 74. He was the only child and was predeceased by his parents, Marcellette and James.

He leaves to mourn: his only son, Stanley Goins of Hackensack, NJ; three grandchildren, Rasheed Goins of Linden, NJ, Melanie Goins of Ridgefield Park, NJ, and Michael Goins of Brooklyn, NY; two cousins, Rose Russell of Philadelphia, PA and Joyce Ogletree of Lodi, NJ; a long-term friend and partner, Anne Chandler of Hackensack, NJ; and a host of family and friends in Hackensack, NJ, Philadelphia, PA, Boston, MA, and Warren County, NC.

We all loved him, but God loves him best.

# Order of Service

Prelude ..... Scott Cumberbatch

Processional

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements  
and Reflections

Reflections of Life

Selection

Eulogy ..... Rev. Kenneth Clayton  
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Recessional

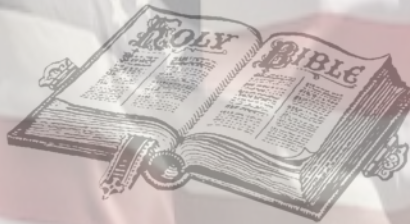


## **Interment**

William C. Doyle Veterans Cemetery  
Arneytown, New Jersey

## Revelations 21: 3 & 4

With that I heard a loud voice from the throne say: "Look! The tent of God is with mankind, and he will reside with them, and they will be his peoples. And God himself will be with them. And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will



### *Acknowledgement*

*The family of the late **James Jones, Jr.** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!*

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