



Curtis Newton Jones, Jr.

February 6, 1934 - March 5, 2020

Curtis Newton Jones, Jr. passed away peacefully March 5, 2020. He was born February 6, 1934.

Newton graduated George S. Gardner High School in 1952. In 1956, he graduated MS State College with a B.S. in Animal Husbandry. Mr. Jones was in the Army and the Reserves from 1956 - 1962. He continued in the Reserves until 1977 when he retired after 21 years as a Major. He served as Company Commander of Headquarter Company 184th Transportation Brigade.

He was manager of Jones Battery Auto Parts for 13 years.

In 1969, He began his banking career at M & M Bank. After 2 years he went to Laurel Federal Savings and Loan working as an appraiser, loan officer and branch manager for over 12 years.

In 1983, he became President of Southeastern Saving and Loan.

In 1998, Newton formed Mortgage Guarantee Corporation where he was President for 9 years. He retired in 1999.

He was a proud member of Laurel Exchange Club, Scout Master, Military

Officers Association of America and head usher for First United Methodist Church of Laurel for 25 years.

Newton is preceded in death by: his parents Curtis Newton Jones, Sr. and Tressa Reinhard Jones, son Kyle Curtis Jones, sister Anne Jones Catron and his horse Doc D Bar.

He is survived by his son Norman Graham Jones (Carole), son Martin Newton Jones (Adrienne), daughter Kelly Allison Jones, brother Victor Reinhard Jones, Sr. (Danelle), grandson Ryan Jones (Beth), granddaughters Caroline Jones and Hadley Jones, and a host of family members and friends that lovingly referred to him as "Fig". He is also survived by special friends Wesley Simpson and Janice Saul. The family would like to express gratitude to Dr. Kimberly Dobbs for her health care and friendship over the years.

Visitation will be held from 1-2 p.m. Sunday March 8th at First United Methodist Church of Laurel. Services will be at 2 p.m. at the church followed by graveside service at Lake Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers please make donations to First United Methodist Church of Laurel.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Lake Park Cemetery

1303 Old Bay Springs Rd
Laurel, MS 39440

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

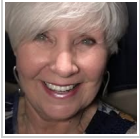
First United Methodist Church
420 N 5th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440

Service

MAR 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Norman, Martin and Kelly
Prayers to you and your family.*

*Condolences,
Kay, Robin and Angela*

Kay Busby - March 20, 2020 at 09:37 PM

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“ *Bill and I send our deepest sympathies to all of the Jones family.
Newton was a great friend through the years and we will miss him
along with all who loved him. We regret that we are unable to attend
the celebration of his life. We send our love to all of the Jones
Family. Gwen and Bill Burton*

Gwen and Bill Burton - March 08, 2020 at 04:43 PM

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“ *We are so sorry to hear about this. Our thoughts and prayers are
with Newt's family at this time.
Barbara and Fred Wansley
Shawn Wansley*

Shawn Wansley - March 08, 2020 at 03:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Curtis Newton Jones, Jr..*



March 07, 2020 at 12:31 PM