



Carthel Jones

August 25, 1930 - June 3, 2007

Carthel C. Jones, 76, of Searcy, passed from this life at his home on Sunday, June 3, 2007, following a valiant battle with cancer. He was born August 25, 1930, in Floyd, Ark.

He was a member of the College Church of Christ and a veteran of the United States Air Force during the Korean War. He was employed by the International Shoe Company for 26 years and by Safeway Stores for 12 years. He was a life-long resident of White County.

An avid Razorback fan, he had season tickets in the south end zone of Reynolds Razorback Stadium. Among his favorite pieces of music was the Razorback Fight Song.

He also loved the music of the church and faithfully occupied his pew as the church gathered to worship and praise God.

Jones is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Mary E. Jones, of the home; two daughters - Debbie Higgs and her husband, Hubert, and Pam Carpenter and her husband, Doug, all of Searcy; one sister - Geneva Harmon and her husband, Jerry, of Searcy; three grandsons - Jeremy Eskridge and Heath and Harrison Carpenter; four great-grandchildren - Blake, Jarrod and Jay Landen Eskridge, and Tristin Carpenter; three nephews and one niece. He was the oldest of three children of the late Eddie and Mae Jones of Searcy. He was preceded in death by one brother, Carrol H. Jones, also of Searcy.

Visitation will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 5, at Powell Funeral

Home. A funeral service is scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel in Searcy.

The family expresses their heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Thomas Sneed and the staff of Arkansas Oncology Association, and to Barbara Cascio and Baptist Health Hospice.

Memorials may be sent to Searcy CARTI, 205 Rodgers Drive, or Baptist Health Hospice, 11900 Colonel Glenn Road, Ste. 2000, Little Rock, AR 72210.

Arrangements entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Tribute Wall



“ *Debbie & Hubert;
My thoughts and condolences go to you in this time of need.
Remember the good memories outweigh the bad ones some are
not as fortunate as we to have had and lost rather than not have
had. Johnny*

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“ *Pam and family:

I that this is a difficult time, but only God can heal the pain that you
are going through. He is not suffering now.*

Gwen

June 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Higgs, our thoughts are prayers are with you and your family.
Your father was a good man. As mentioned above, rememeber the
good times and to always keep singing in your hearts as he would
want his loved ones to be happy during this difficult time. God Bless,
Frank & Sarah Likert*

June 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM