



## Ada Elizabeth Jones

June 30, 1946 - December 22, 2023

Ada Elizabeth Jones who was so lovingly called “Pinkey”. Was born June 30th, \_\_\_\_ to the late Elder John A. Tucker and Vivian E. Tucker. She entered into eternal rest on Friday, December 22nd, 2023.

She attended Bridgeforth School where she was a majorette. She loved to tell the story of how she was the best they ever had. Ada attended TSU after high school and became employed at The Growing Tree Nursery School. Through the years she was employed at several factories in Pulaski, mainly the former Genesco. Her love for cooking was evident because she cooked with love and loved to feed people. In her later years she became the head cook at the Heritage House Restaurant. She became known there for her green beans and Jack Daniel Pies to name a few.

A visitation will be held on Thursday, December 28th, 2023 from 5:00pm to 7:00 pm at Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory.

An additional visitation will be held on Friday, December 29th, 2023 at 11:30am at St. James Baptist Church.

The Funeral Service will follow at 12:00pm on Friday, December 29th, 2023 at St. James Baptist Church.

The interment will take place at Maplewood Cemetery in Pulaski, TN.

Ada was preceded in death by her parents, Elder John A. Tucker and Vivian E. Tucker, Aunts, Pauline Walker, Ruth Martin, Mary E. Jones, and Virginia

Cross, Brother, John M. Tucker, and sister, Estella Brown.

As a young adult Ada Joined Dixon Chapel Presbyterian Church under the leadership of her great-uncle James Cross. Later, she joined St. James Presbyterian Church under the pastorship of her father, Elder John A. Tucker. She was a faithful member of the choir until her health started to decline.

Ada (Pinkey) leaves behind to cherish her memory: A loving and devoted husband Robert A. Jones, Two sons, Steven D. Gilbert of Smyrna, TN, and Kerry T. Gilbert of Pulaski, TN. Four bonus children, Brenda Jones, Eddie Jones, Celia Jones, and Robert Tracey Jones. Sister, Evangelist Tootsie Gilbert of Pulaski, TN, Four sisters-in-law, Rose Marie, Margie Gilbert, Caulyne Cross of Pulaski, TN, and Gloria Cole of Huntsville, AL.

Ada was rich in nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Special Friends, Rose Brown and Barbara, both of Pulaski, TN.

# Cemetery Details

## Maplewood Cemetery

500 Ballentin Street  
Pulaski, TN 38478

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 28. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (cst)

Bennett- May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory  
1910 Elkton Pike  
Pulaski, TN 38478

## Visitation

DEC 29. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (cst)

St. James Baptist Church  
408 N. First Street  
Pulaski, TN 38478

## Funeral Service

DEC 29. 12:00 PM (cst)

St. James Baptist Church  
408 N. First Street  
Pulaski, TN 38478



# Tribute Wall

SG

“ *Stella L Graves lit a candle in memory of Ada Elizabeth Jones*



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**Stella L Graves** - December 29, 2023 at 11:24 PM

LH

“ *A dear friend whom I loved! May the Lord give His peace and comfort to the family.*

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**Linda Hamilton-Hailey** - December 29, 2023 at 07:03 PM



“ *Connie English lit a candle in memory of Ada Elizabeth Jones*



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**Connie English** - December 28, 2023 at 09:02 PM

WD

“ *She was a sweet lady and always had me laughing, praying for the family*



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**Wilda Drake** - December 28, 2023 at 07:13 PM

CB

“ My heart and prayers go out to the family. I have fond memories of Pinkey when we worked together at the Pine Tree Cafe in 1977. I was 16 years old then and I would pick her up every morning and we would go in to work together in the wee hours of the morning. We shared a lot of laughter, talks but most of all love. It was so easy to love her. So easy. Rest high Pinkey and I will look forward to that “big hug” again someday in glory.  
Connie Barlar

connie barlar - December 28, 2023 at 05:50 PM

CJ

“ Connie Jackson lit a candle in memory of Ada Elizabeth Jones



Connie Jackson - December 28, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ 28 files added to the album LifeTributes



Bennett - May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory - December 28, 2023 at 03:33 PM

MJ

“ *Melanie Brown Johnson lit a candle in memory of Ada Elizabeth Jones*



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**Melanie Brown Johnson** - December 28, 2023 at 11:51 AM

CC

“ *Crystal Cotham lit a candle in memory of Ada Elizabeth Jones*



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**Crystal Cotham** - December 28, 2023 at 10:12 AM

NF

“ *My Condolences Mrs.Pinky so Sweet Always Smiling Mr.Robert always looking over here She's An Angel Now God's a God of Comfort Prayers to her Husband Children and family and Friends.....Nikki Rivers Foster ,Nhc Pulaski Tn*



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**Nikki Fosté** - December 27, 2023 at 10:55 PM