



Ronald M. Jones

July 4, 1932 - October 4, 2018

Ronald Matthews Jones, age 86 of Dublin, died October 4, 2018, at his home. He was born on July 4, 1932 in Columbus to the late Willard and Maxine (Matthews) Jones. Ronald was a member of the Columbus North Polar Bear Class of '51, served his Country in the US Army from 1952-1954, was a talented artist and, for 35 years, was an engraver at AuldCrafters. Ron was an avid golfer and had five holes in one. He was a member of Shamrock Golf Club (2003 Golden Boy's Golf League Champion), Grovebrook Golf Club (1977 Men's League Champion), Bridgeview Golf Club (1973 Championship Flight Winner), and the Raymond Golf Club. He was also a spirited supporter of OSU football and basketball as well as a devoted fan of Scioto Downs harness racing. He had a kind, gentle, fun and funny sense of humor and he loved little children and animals. Ron is survived by his wife Shirley Brooks-Jones, cousin Nancy Matthews, special sister-in-law Sharon Arata, his golfing buddies, Scioto Downs friends, and his cat Billie. His mischievous smile and sparkling blue eyes will never be forgotten. A private memorial service will be held in the future. Following cremation, his ashes will be placed in the Columbarium Wall at Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, DC. In lieu of flowers, friends may remember Ronald with a donation to the Lewisporte Area Flight 15 Scholarship Fund at The Columbus Foundation: www.columbusfoundation.org/fund/Lewisporte/1240.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Washington, DC

Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald M. Jones*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Shirley*

So sorry to hear of Ron's passing. Karen and my most sincere condolences.

Craig

Craig Fendrick - October 10, 2018 at 05:31 AM



“ *Shirley,*

I will miss my breakfast buddy, the man who teased me about sports with that mischievous grin. The twinkling of those blue eyes will remain always as one of my favorite memories. I am proud to have called him friend and and to know that the feeling was mutual. He was sensitive, funny and so special to me. I am thankful that our last words to each other were I Love You. It is a rare man who is unafraid to say those words unashamedly.

You are in my thoughts and prayers more often than you will ever know.

Vicki Morris

Vicki Morris - October 09, 2018 at 01:04 PM



“ *Shirley: sending love and prayers to you! Norma Harper*

Norma Harper - October 09, 2018 at 12:17 PM

JE

“ Shirley -
Please accept my heart felt condolences. May our thoughts and prayers give you peace.
John Ellinger

John Ellinger - October 09, 2018 at 11:19 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald M. Jones.



October 08, 2018 at 02:06 PM

JK

“ My condolences Shirley. Ron served in the Korean War and earned the gratitude of our nation. He deserves to be recognized at Arlington National Cemetery. Thank you for your commitment to the Lewisporte Area Flight 15 Scholarship Fund at The Columbus Foundation. Lion John Kirwin

John Kirwin - October 08, 2018 at 11:18 AM



Shirley, Know that our prayers that our prayers are with you at this time of loss. Bob Gustafson

Robert Gustafson - October 09, 2018 at 12:49 PM

EH

Shirley,
Our condolences to you. We know that you are a very strong lady. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Lion Ed Hower

Edwin Hower - October 09, 2018 at 01:08 PM

MB


So sorry to hear about Ronald's passing. I have fond memories of my cousin at family get-togethers. Our prayers are with you.

Margie Bush - October 10, 2018 at 02:13 AM

JE

So sorry to hear this Shirley. Thinking of you. Let us know if we can help. Take care. Juanita

Juanita Elliott - October 11, 2018 at 01:32 PM

 Douglas Kerst

sorry to hear about Ron passing and we are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Lynn, Keri and Doug Kerst

Douglas Kerst - October 12, 2018 at 11:22 AM

MD

Shirley we just read about Ron's passing and are so sorry for your loss. We loved working with Ron all those years. He was a true master engraver and his great sense of humor and love for anything OSU will never be forgotten.

michael Doyle - July 06, 2019 at 11:39 AM