



W. Frank Jones

April 13, 2011

W. Frank Jones, age 86 died Wednesday, April 13, 2011 at Riverside Methodist Hospital. Born June 9, 1924 in Columbus. Preceded in death by parents, Charles M. and Mary E. (Watson) Jones; sister, Mary N. (Jones) Hill; brothers, Charles R. Jones and Robert L. Jones. Frank is survived by wife, Lois M. (Buck) Jones whom he married on May 29, 1948; sons, Ronald L. (Bonnie) Jones, Charles F. (Nam) Jones, Douglas F. (Jan) Jones, Edward T. (Sandy) Jones and Bruce A. (Joyce) Jones; ten grandchildren, Jay Jones, Lisa Huber, Kevin Jones, Jennifer Sanders, Amy Eing, Julie Segalla, Aric Jones, Rebecca Jones, Melanie Jones and Allison Jones; nineteen great-grandchildren. Member of North United Methodist Church for 50+ years and the Church Men's Club. 63 year member of Neoacacia Lodge # 595 F. & A.M., Neoacacia Mason of the year, 2004; 32 Degree Masons-Valley of Columbus; Aladdin Shriners; The Achbar Grotto; Corinthian Chapter #393 OES; Rush Lodge of Horse Traders, Rush, KY; The Yellow Dog Degree; Franklin County Memorial Lodge. He was a member of North High School class of 1943; Old North Hi Club; President of the North High Polar Bear Booster Association in 1969-70; Booster Association Man of the Year, 1973; member of the Polar Bear Alumni Association. Former Member and Charter Member of University Kiwanis Club. Former member of Big Brothers. Former Cub Master of Cub Scout Pack 123; Assistant Scout Master and Committee Member of Boy Scout Troop # 27 at North United Methodist Church. Frank was an Upholsterer and owner of Jones Upholstery for 35 years. He was a Night

Instructor for 30 years with Upper Arlington Community Involvement Program where he taught Upholstering classes. He retired from The Ohio State University. Frank was a U. S. Army Veteran of World War II where he served with the 52nd Amphibious DUKW Battalion, Co. B in North Africa, Italy & Southern France invasions including five months on the Anzio Beachhead. He received seven Bronze Stars & four Bronze Arrowheads for invasions and is a member of Anzio Beachhead Veterans. Funeral Services will begin at 5:00 p.m. Sunday, April 17, 2011 at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME, 2383 North High Street, Columbus with a Masonic Service (open to the public) by Neoacacia Lodge # 595 F. & A.M. immediately followed by a Funeral Service with Rev. Paul Ernst, officiating. Private Burial will be later at Union Cemetery. Friends may call from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday prior to the services at the funeral home. Memorial Contributions may be made to: North United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, 42 East Tompkins Street, Columbus, OH 43202. Online condolences for the family at: www.RutherfordFuneralHome.com. C U IN HEAVEN

Tribute Wall



“ *W. Frank Jones*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *Ronnie and brothers...I am so sorry to hear about your dad..he was a very sweet man...and oh...how he loved to kid and torment...I can remember being around 8-9 years of age and walking up High Street,past your dad's shop and he would yell in the loudest voice he could Suuuusie Q...lol...he will surely be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him...May God Bless your Mom and his boys that he was so very proud of...my prayers are with you....Susie*

Susie (Jett) Green - April 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our family wishes to express our deepest sympathy to your family. We hope that you will take comfort in knowing Frank is at peace and resting in God's arms. May God Bless you all and give you sweet memories of your loved one. Teresa, Brand & Nathan Hilles, Jan & Paul Coleman, Alicia, Tom, Cody & Shelby Burchwell*

Teresa Hilles - April 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Lois and family, We were so sorry to hear about Frank's death. You have all been dear friends to our family for many years. May God Bless you and give you strength during this time. Love, Ben, Linda and Brad Keister*

Ben Keister - April 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FA

“ Bruce, our deepest sympathy goes out to you and your entire family. Our prayers, thoughts and love goes out to your family.

Frank and Leticia Allen - April 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Our deepest sympathy and love goes out to all the family. He will be missed. Love, Connie and Terry

Connie & Terry Feder - April 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ May God bless you in your hour of need. I will be praying for the family. I will miss Frank, because every Sunday he was always busy keeping North Church together. God bless you and may God keep you all, in this hour of grief. Sincerely: Rev. Betty J. Howard

Rev. Betty J. Howard - April 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FG

“ What a great pleasure, and how fortunate it has been to know and be friends with such a wonderful man as Frank. He will be truly missed by many. My heart and prayers go out to his family.

Frank Grabovich - April 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Our love, thoughts, and prayers go out to the entire family and many friends. God Bless!

Joe Johnson and Jeff Mumaugh - April 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ Dear Family & Friends - Frank was a historian at North UMC where my mother's Slyh family worshipped for many years, and some cousins still do. All our baptism records are at North. Frank was a delight to talk with about the history of old North M-E. Frank also helped prepare our Franklin Co. Gen. & Hist. Society newsletters for mailing. My friends at the society say they really enjoyed Frank and his sense of humor. I attended North High's annual reunion last year and Frank sat with me and my cousins David & Martie Cottrill. He was a walking history book of old North Columbus. Frank was a delightful person. I shall miss him and our occasional talks very much. May God rest his soul in peace.

Rev John Gray - April 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ Our hearts go out to Bruce and the entire Jones family. We really only know Bruce and his family and they are such caring and considerate people. Seeing this obituary, tells true that the roots (and SPIRIT) run deep. With all our wishes, GOD BLESS.

Ed and Janie Barnett - April 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ My deepest thoughts are with the entire family tonight. My prayers are with each one.

David and Faye Shama - April 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ We will miss Frank in our neighborhood. He was simply an extraordinary man and good friend to all. Sue, Charlie, and Kate

The Wightman Family - April 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Our deepest sympathy, prayers and thoughts go out to our extended family during this time of loss. Jeff & Jamie Banks*

Jeff & Jamie Banks - April 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM