



Dr. Forest D. Jones

February 26, 1926 - March 1, 2020

Dr. Forest D. Jones, age 94, of Roswell passed away on March 1, 2020. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He was born in Atlanta on February 26, 1926 to William and Katherine Jones and grew up in Fairburn. He attended Emory University and the Medical College of Georgia. He served his country for several years in the Navy at Camp Lejuene, caring for children on the base. On January 19, 1952 he married the love of his life, Marian Stross, and they enjoyed 68 years of marriage, spending 53 of those years raising a family in Decatur. Dr. Jones was a beloved pediatrician in the Atlanta area for 37 years, practicing for a time with his uncle, Dr. Tom Forest Davenport. Later, he served as Chief of Pediatrics at Crawford Long Hospital and was a founding partner of the Children's Medical Group, a practice which still thrives today. His gentle kindness and humor will be missed by many, especially those friends at St. George Village community where he spent the past 15 years. He is survived by his loving wife, Marian S. Jones of Roswell; 2 brothers, William B. Jones, Jr. of Gainesville, and Charles H. Jones of Social Circle; 6 children, Stephen Jones (Alesia) of Marietta, Allen Jones (Evie) of Duluth, Scott Jones (Emily) of Decatur, Linda Henderson (Rick) of Peachtree Corners, Renee McDaniel (Tom) of Roswell and Cynthia Stone (Wayne) of Mandeville, LA; 16 grandchildren, Kristi Herndon, Robin Zoubek, Matthew Jones, Bennett, Ansley and Parker Jones, Gracie and Nicole Henderson, Carly Jones, Cassidy, Mallory and Connor McDaniel, Emily, Brett, Bryan and Haley Stone; 2 great-grandchildren along with numerous nieces, nephews

and other extended family members. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church in Roswell and/or United Cerebral Palsy of Georgia. A funeral Mass in celebration of his life will be held on Monday, March 9, 2020 at 11:00AM at St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church with a reception following in the parish hall. A graveside service will follow at Arlington Memorial Park in Sandy Springs. The Jones family will receive friends on Sunday, March 8, 2020 from 2PM to 5PM at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors, Roswell, 770-645-1414. www.northsidechapel.com

Cemetery Details

Arlington Memorial Park

201 Mount Vernon Hwy NW
Atlanta, ga

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Funeral Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church
11330 Woodstock Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Forest D. Jones*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Please accept our sincere condolences. My 2 children were patients of Dr. Jones for many years and we always had great love and respect for him. My husband and I attend Mary Our Queen Catholic Church in Peachtree Corners and were surprised to hear that the Mass today was said for Dr. Jones. I hadn't seen him in years but thought of him often. He was a best friend to a nervous mother in those days and always made me feel comfortable in dealing with the normal "emergencies" and "medical issues" of child rearing. He will always be an important part of those days for us and my children (all grown up at 51 and 46) and will be in our prayers always. Thank you so much for sharing him with us for all those years!*

Barbara and Charles Carroll, (Berkeley Lake)

Christina Carroll (Johns Creek)

C.T. Carroll (Berkeley Lake)

Barbara Carroll - April 26, 2020 at 03:46 PM



“ *Gracie and family sorry to hear of your loss all our sympathy David and Paula glasnovich*

Paula glasnovich - March 07, 2020 at 02:44 PM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.*



March 07, 2020 at 11:41 AM



“ *Charlie Jones & Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.*



Charlie Jones & Family - March 06, 2020 at 12:16 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.*



March 06, 2020 at 11:31 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.*



March 06, 2020 at 09:03 AM

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“ Dr. Jones was one of our children’s pediatricians starting in March, 1975. He was with us during the trauma of an accident with our first son and his death 8 months later, in 1977. In 1980, he was with us when our then six month old son, had a scare with meningitis on a Sunday evening. When he checked on us at Egleston Hospital later that night he asked if he could get us anything. I asked if he could get me an alcohol drink and he chuckled and said he wished that he could but it was a Sunday. My family was blessed beyond measure by Dr. Jones, Dr. Teate, Dr. Brown and Dr. Morgan and their devotion to the well being of our children and also of us, as parents. It is especially fitting that our daughter takes her two children to the Children’s Medical Group, now. Our prayers are with the family and friends and all who celebrate the life of this wonderful man.

Carol Moore - March 05, 2020 at 06:16 PM

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“ From all of us at Fonelogix purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.



From all of us at Fonelogix - March 05, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.



March 05, 2020 at 12:52 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.*



March 05, 2020 at 11:13 AM



“ *Dr. Jones was my daughter's pediatrician from her birth in 1972 until she went off to college. He was always so calm, patient and reassuring. I remember him with fondness and gratitude. My deepest sympathy goes out to his family. God bless you.*

Janis Jarvis - March 05, 2020 at 11:09 AM



“ *Thankful for Dr. Jones and his legacy. My older brother was a patient beginning in the late 1960's of Childrens Medical Group. I was a patient from birth in the late 70's until I "aged" out. And now, my sons are both patients at CMG. Prayers and sympathy for the family of Dr. Jones. Thank you for sharing him with the families of Atlanta for so many years.*

Amanda Swanson - March 05, 2020 at 10:49 AM



“ *This was a gentle caring man who, with his life partner Marian, brought joy and healing to many and helped the growth of IHM his parish. Rest in God's peace!*

Matt Robbins - March 04, 2020 at 03:56 PM

JF

“ Julie, Cathy and Everyone at Atlanta Financial purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.



Julie, Cathy and Everyone at Atlanta Financial - March 04, 2020 at 03:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.



March 04, 2020 at 02:01 PM

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“ Children's Medical Group purchased the Reflections of Glory Wreath for the family of Dr. Forest D. Jones.



Children's Medical Group - March 03, 2020 at 11:30 AM