



John Raymond Jones

October 25, 1949 - November 7, 2022

Funeral services for John Raymond Jones will be 1:00 p.m. Friday, November 11, 2022, at the Alva First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) with Rev. Ron Pingelton and Pastor Drew Kirtley officiating. Interment will be in the Alva Municipal Cemetery under the direction of Marshall Funeral Home of Alva.

John Raymond Jones, son of the late Clifford Raymond and Mary Catherine (Morris) Jones, was born October 25, 1949, in San Angelo, Texas, and passed away November 7, 2022, in Alva, Oklahoma, at the age of 73 years and 12 days.

John graduated from high school in Orlando, Oklahoma, with the Class of 1967 and obtained his Bachelor's Degree in Social Work from Northwestern Oklahoma State University in 1972.

In 1972, he was a partner in development of the non profit youth program Hammer Machine Works in Fort Smith Arkansas. On June 1, 1974, he was united in marriage to Pamela Irene Warnaca in Ponca City. They moved to Alva where he was employed by the Department of Human Services. In 1977, he became the first Director of Northwest Family Services in Alva and remained in that position until his retirement in 2015. In 2009, John received the Cate Barnard Outstanding Youth Advocate Award. This is the highest honor given by the Oklahoma Association of Youth Services.

He was a very gifted musician and played multiple musical instruments, including piano, banjo, dulcimer, guitar and accordian. He enjoyed hunting, trap shooting, and fishing. He was a member of the Oklahoma Youth Association and Kiwanis.

John is survived by his wife, Pam, of Alva; three children, Amanda Reasnor and husband, Bryant, of Edmond, Travis Jones and wife, Kristie, of Sulphur, and Colin Jones and wife, Amy, of Oklahoma City; four grandchildren, Aiden and Nora Reasnor and Cash and Cora Rae Jones; other relatives and many friends.

Memorial contributions may be made through the funeral home to Northwest Family Services.

Cemetery Details

Alva Municipal Cemetery

Flynn Street
Alva, OK 73717

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV **9**. 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Marshall Funeral Home of Alva
230 Flynn Street. P.O. Box 804
Alva, OK 73717
(580) 327-2311
<https://www.marshallfuneralhomes.com/>

Viewing

NOV **10**. 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Viewing

NOV 11. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

NOV 11. 1:00 PM (CT)

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
821 College
Alva, OK 73717

Tribute Wall



“ *John Raymond Jones*

January 30, 2023 at 03:38 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



November 10, 2022 at 02:09 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



November 10, 2022 at 11:22 AM



“ *Pam and family, I will always remember John playing his guitar and singing Puff The Magic Dragon to Kristi and me. Though I don't think I was even in school yet, I just loved it and that special moment has always stayed with me.*

Karen Nimmo Palmer - November 09, 2022 at 05:22 PM

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“ *Doug and Judy Nimmo purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



Doug and Judy Nimmo - November 09, 2022 at 04:43 PM

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“ *Love, Steve, Cynthia, Ava and Nora purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



Love, Steve, Cynthia, Ava and Nora - November 09, 2022 at 01:11 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



November 09, 2022 at 12:27 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.*



November 09, 2022 at 10:25 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.



November 09, 2022 at 03:04 AM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of John Raymond Jones.



November 08, 2022 at 09:49 PM