



Milton Barnard Jones

September 7, 1951 - November 27, 2025

Milton Barnard Jones, age 74, of Alva, Oklahoma, passed away peacefully on November 27, 2025.

Born on September 7, 1951, to Ajay and Betty Jones, BJ grew up with a deep love for sports, hunting, and time spent with family. He graduated from Malad High School and later attended BYU–Idaho, where he played college football. Shortly after, he faithfully served a mission in Taiwan for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Throughout his life, BJ embraced many roles with dedication and heart. He was a son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, farmer, coach, police officer, detective, and private investigator. No matter the hat he wore, he carried it with purpose, integrity, and a genuine love for people.

BJ is preceded in death by his parents, Ajay and Betty Jones.

He is survived by his loving wife, Jane; his brothers, Terry and Arne; and his children: Michael (Heather) Jones, Jeremy (Gretchen) Jones, Lisa (Cliff) Strupp, Laura (Nathan) Prete, and Matt (Jessica) Jones. He is also survived by 20 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and his former wives, Julie and Debbie.

We take comfort in the Savior's reassuring promise: "I am with you always."
May His presence bring peace to every grieving heart.

BJ now rests in the loving embrace of Jesus Christ—where sorrow fades, and
joy is made full.

Tribute Wall



“ *Red Poinsettia was purchased for the family of Milton Barnard Jones.*



December 12, 2025 at 12:13 PM



“ *The Evanston Police Department planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Milton Barnard Jones.*

The Evanston Police Department - December 12, 2025 at 12:13 PM



“ *I have so many memories of Nard (still trying to get used to BJ). Staying in Malad all summer playing church ball and American legend baseball. He liked to tease and to see the smile on his face was a joy. We have seen each other over the years and the latest being in Oklahoma. We would go over to Alva, Ok and stay with Nard and Jane and they would come to Bartlesville and stay with me and Rosanne. Such precious time spent together. Talked on the phone quite a bit. I miss him already. I know he is in a wonderful place now and it will be a happy reunion when we see each other again. Rod Jones*

Rod Jones - December 07, 2025 at 10:16 AM

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“ *Sending love and prayers to the Jones Family... so many good memories from Evanston and Evanston High School basketball... Coach Ken Demester and Vesta Demester*

Vesta Demester - December 07, 2025 at 09:33 AM

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“ *I just read this. I am so sorry. Seeing his picture, I realized who it was. Dear family and friends, such a wonderful man. I met him at the church when visiting with our son. May you feel the love of God through his son, Jesus Christ give you comfort. He visited with me at my employment and loved his family very much and gave me a sense of his love for God and family.
Prayers for all.
Linda Beeler*

Linda Beeler - December 06, 2025 at 12:14 PM