



Darnell Lamont Jones

February 4, 1972 - February 28, 2026

Darnell Lamont Jones affectionally known as D.J., was born to the union of Johnny O. Jones Sr. and Darlene (Franklin) Jones on February 4th, 1972, at Toledo Hospital in Toledo, Ohio. He was the 3rd of three siblings born to that union. Darnell entered eternal rest on February 28th, 2026, surrounded by his family.

Darnell was educated in Toledo Public School System, graduating from Rogers High School in 1990. He later received certification from Penta County in 1992. Darnell worked various jobs including Burlington Air Express, landscaping, fast food restaurants, Midwest Electrical Company and Magna Team Systems as a moulder and team leader for 18 years until his death. He was a great worker and loved by all his co-workers. Darnell was baptized at a young age at First Church of God under the leadership of Rev. Bishop Robert Culp. He was a faithful member attending Sunday School, vacation bible school and other religious studies in the church. Darnell learned at an early age about Jesus. Always praying and willing regularly to help others.

Darnell met and married Bonnie Bauman in 2013 and together they raised her daughter, Katie Bauman. Darnell had many hobbies including shooting pool with his friends, walking, playing video games, and cooking. His specialty was his spaghetti.

Darnell was preceded in death by both parents, nephew Johnny III and niece Joscelyn Jones.

Darnell leaves to cherish his memory, his brothers, Johnny and Joshua O. Jones, and his sister Tammy Y. Jones, aunties, Rosemary Wyatt, Victoria Jones-Heard (Michael), Mary Jones, Barbara Jean Jones, and Gwendolyn Jones, cousins the Hill Family and the Jones Family, special cousin James Hill, former wife Bonnie Jones and daughter Katie Bauman, special friend Cheron Stone, best friend Sean Wilson, his First Church of God Family and a host of other family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Ottawa Hills Memorial Park

4210 West Central Avenue
Toledo, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dale-Riggs Funeral Home & Cremation Services
572 Nebraska Avenue
Toledo, OH 43604
(419) 248-4254
info@dalefh.com

Wake Service

MAR 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAR **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AB

“ DJ was such a kind Young Man. I met him through a Nephew years ago and later we became friends and neighbors. I would call Him for food when I overcooked and He was so Grateful 🙏 My Condolences to His Family and He Will Be Greatly Missed 🙏



Alicia Banks - March 26 at 11:37 AM

DC

“ He will be truly missed. Love you Tammy.
DeAndre
Cleveland, Oh



Deandre Clemons - March 26 at 09:49 AM

DE

“ My Heart goes out to the entire Jones family on the great loss of Darnell he had the most beautiful smile and a Christ filled Heart with God's love for everyone he met, I cherished him as a Son. You will definitely be missed , Rest easy now for you are in God's Arms.
With God's
Love & Eternal Peace
Deborah
Warsaw, Indiana



Deborah Evans - March 26 at 09:31 AM

JT

“ May God forever keep you in the bosom of his heart continue to shower and watch over you in your time of need. I'm replaying our conversation over and over as if we had just talked like we did.
Loving you always Denean

Juanvetrice Thompson - March 24 at 09:06 PM

BD

“ To Tammie, Lighting this candle in honor of your brother. May peace and love embrace you during this difficult time. "Blessed are those who morn for they shall be comforted."
Sincerely Bonnie



Bonita Dennis - March 18 at 07:15 PM

GJ

“ May your heart find comfort knowing that our love one is at home with the Lord
Love Aunt Gwendolyn E.March Jones & Family



Gwendolyn E.March Jones - March 17 at 10:03 PM