



Mr. Horace D. Jolly

February 15, 1948 - February 21, 2023

It is with heartfelt sympathy, the management and staff of Luke Strong and Son Mortuary, Ltd. are saddened to announce the passing of Mr. Horace Donald Jolly, 75, of Norman Park, departed this life on Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at Colquitt Regional Medical Center.

Mr. Horace Donald Jolly, also known as “Man” was born on February 15, 1948 to the late Robert Jolly, Sr. and the late Mildred Burgess Jolly. A humanitarian that loved sharing the harvest of his crops. He loved talking about Black History and led many marches for equal rights. He served one term as City Councilman in Norman Park, Georgia and was an advocate for the community. He was a lifelong member of Williams Tabernacle CME Church. He played football and graduated from William Bryant High School, class of 1966. He was one of the first black men to work for Winn Dixie and Coca Cola in Moultrie, Georgia and he retired as a technician at Procter & Gamble.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Rosa Jolly; parents, Robert Jolly, Sr and Mildred Burgest Jolly; step-mother, Laura Jolly; father-in-law, Reverend Nathaniel Brown; siblings, Edith Reed, Joyce Jolly, Alfred Burgest, Sr., Jonas “Sam” Jolly, Amos Jolly, Robert Jolly, Jr., and Emmitt Jolly, Sr.

He leaves to cherish his memory, two daughters, Christie Jolly-Boatwright (John) and Onida Jolly; two special great-grandchildren that he raised as his

own, Horace Jolly, III and Kinsley G. Jolly, three grandchildren, Horace Jolly, II, Ja'Vetta Jolly, and John Boatwright IV; four sisters, Mildred Williams, Zelma Bridges (Herbert), Gladys Ham (Christopher), and Janice Yarborough; three brothers, Reverend Lawrence Jolly, Sr., Reverend Rufus Jolly (Vallie), and Glanzer Jolly (Brenda); mother-in-law, Ruth Brown; three brothers-in-law, Eddie Brown (Betty), Carlton Brown (Jane) and Fredrick Brown; seven sisters-in-law, Naomi Sims, Elizabeth Huckaby, Alesia Lee (Anthony), Debra Roberts (Bernard), Roberta Hill (Samuel), Christine Hill (Danny), and Jacqueline Barnes (Randy); two special nephews, Michael Jolly and Terry Hadley; bonus daughter, Melinda Wise; step-siblings, Velma Thomas, Shirley Jones, and Jasper Lewis; special cousin, Gregory Roberts and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends.

Funeral Services will be held at 1:00 PM, Saturday, March 4, 2023 at Williams Tabernacle CME Church with Reverend Billy Pitts officiating. Reverend Lawrence Jolly, Sr., Minister Wilma Hadley, and Deacon Danny Hill assisting. Interment will follow at Strong Memorial Garden.

Cemetery Details

Strong Memorial Gardens

Moultrie, GA

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 3. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Luke Strong And Son Mortuary, Ltd.
20 First Street Northeast
Moultrie, GA 31768
(229) 890-1717

Church Service

MAR 4. 1:00 PM (ET)

Williams Tabernacle C.M.E. Church
316 3rd Street Northwest
Moultrie, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Horace D. Jolly*

October 04, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Rachel Jones Merrick lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly*



Rachel Jones Merrick - March 10, 2023 at 11:43 AM



“ *Dear Cousins Lisa&Anthony & Family.Sending our Prayers, Love
❤️ &Sympathy. Rachel Jones Merrick, Moultrie GA. & Cousins in Florida*

Rachel Jones Merrick - March 10, 2023 at 11:42 AM



“ *Sheree Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly*



Sheree Marshall - March 04, 2023 at 12:47 PM

EF

“ *With Deepest Sympathy to the Jolly family. We're sorry to hear of your loss. May you find comfort, strength & peace in God. Evangelist Margaret Brown, the Brown, Butler, Lentz and Lewis families*



Evangelist Margaret Brown & Family - March 03, 2023 at 09:49 PM

T8

“ *Our condolences and prayers to the Jolly family. We are sorry to hear of your loss. May God give you strength, comfort and peace. The Mighty Tift County High School Class of 82.*



THE Mighty TCHS Class of 82. - March 03, 2023 at 09:42 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Horace D. Jolly.*



March 03, 2023 at 09:12 PM

WH

“ *Wilma Hadley sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly*



Wilma Hadley - March 03, 2023 at 08:49 PM

BL

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family*



Betty Shannon Lingo - March 03, 2023 at 06:40 PM

CS

“ *Cynthia Solomon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly*



Cynthia Solomon - March 03, 2023 at 02:04 AM

ID

“ *Isha Denegall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly*



Isha Denegall - March 02, 2023 at 10:49 PM

CN

“ *Rest In Peace, Horace. I am giving you a beautiful Dove of Peace as I gave your brother, Amos. My condolences to the family as well.*
Clarise Jolly 🙏



Clarise Jolly of Wilson, NC - March 02, 2023 at 09:05 PM

KS

“ Sincere Thoughts and Prayers are with Family! 🙏🌹💕



Katrina Stevenson - March 02, 2023 at 06:14 PM

BH

“ Belinda Hicks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly



Belinda Hicks - March 02, 2023 at 09:49 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Horace D. Jolly.



March 01, 2023 at 11:22 AM

BW

“ Benny Wise lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly



Benny wise - March 01, 2023 at 10:30 AM

JB

“ Jonathan Bright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly



Jonathan Bright - March 01, 2023 at 10:21 AM

RT

“ Rosie Thornton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Horace D. Jolly



Rosie Thornton - March 01, 2023 at 10:12 AM

T1

Rest In Peace Horace , My Condolences to The Entire Family!

Tyrone Hunt. Bryant High Class 1964 - March 01, 2023 at 10:29 AM

AL

Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs...Because blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

Alesia Lee - March 01, 2023 at 08:22 PM