



Valerie Harrison Jones

November 29, 1961 - June 25, 2025

Valerie H. Jones (Harrison) of Queen Anne, MD, passed away peacefully in the care of her immediate family and Compass Regional Hospice Barnette Center in Centreville, MD on June 25, 2025 after her courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Baltimore, MD on November 29, 1961, she was the daughter of the late Charles V. and Estelle (Wilhelm) Harrison.

Valerie grew up in St. Michaels, MD. She served in the U.S. Navy after high school before being employed by BBN (Bolt, Beranek and Newman) in Arlington, VA where she was under contract with the Defense Communications Agency. After leaving BBN, Valerie was employed by Aeronautical Radio Incorporated (ARINC) in Annapolis, MD.

Valerie is survived by her son Mitchell C. Jones (Dani), her two brothers Charles V. Harrison, Jr. (Karen) and Stephen B. Harrison (Debbie). She is also survived by her niece, Crystal Meehan, her nephew, Brandon Harrison (Nichole) and 5 grand nieces and nephews as well as her beloved pet, Jackson.

Valerie will be remembered for her overwhelming love for family, friends, gardening, home cooking, canning and her beautiful artwork and crafts.

The Lord's daughter, Mitchell's mom, sister and friend, Valerie will be greatly missed but gratefully remembered.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Wednesday, July 9, 2025 at 12:00 p.m. at Real Life Chapel located at 418 Glebe Road, Easton, MD. Immediately following the Celebration, interment will be held at Olivet Cemetery in St. Michaels, MD.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a monetary donation to Compass Regional Hospice, 160 Coursevall Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Previous Events

celebration of life

JUL 9. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Real Life Chapel
418 Glebe Rd.
Easton, MD 21601

Graveside Service

JUL 9 (ET)

Mt. Olivet Cemetary
304 S. Talbot St. Michaels, MD
St. Michael's, MD 21663

Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Valerie Harrison Jones.*



July 08, 2025 at 05:53 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Valerie Harrison Jones.

July 08, 2025 at 05:53 PM



“ *Alice, Chuck, Chase and Harrison Myers purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Valerie Harrison Jones.*



Alice, Chuck, Chase and Harrison Myers - July 07, 2025 at 05:42 PM



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“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Valerie Harrison Jones.*



July 06, 2025 at 09:53 AM



“ *Rest easy Val I am so sorry we didn't get the walk we were going to do . When I get up to tackle my walks I shall think of you. May the fond memories your family have of you comfort them during these difficult times. I will miss chatting with you but am so glad you are no longer suffering.*



Victoria Bildstein - June 30, 2025 at 05:38 PM



“ *My cousin Valerie was a stunning beauty, inside and out. She was an incredible person who loved her family and friends with all her heart, and would fight fiercely to protect and support them.*

A gifted artist and crafter, her beautiful work graces so many homes - a lasting reminder of her creativity and spirit.

I am deeply grateful for every wonderful moment we shared – every laugh, every hug, and even the tears.

Rest in peace, our beautiful angel. You will be forever loved and missed.



Tammy Caligiuri - June 30, 2025 at 04:48 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Valerie Harrison Jones.*



June 30, 2025 at 10:46 AM



“ *My favorite kind of phone call was from Valerie. She would say, "Hey Lucy, you are not going to believe what happened to me". And I knew we would be laughing within minutes. I love you Val. I should do miss my Ethel. I will always remember our friendship and will cherish you forever.*



Laura DiBlasi - June 29, 2025 at 02:50 PM



“ *To my dear dear friend... Valerie has meant so much to me over the years. We tend to never say as we think we have so much time but it's never enough. I have cherished our times of just being around each other. Having sleep overs.. coffee.. food...lunch dates at whole foods or noodles....and just conversation...everything I will miss! You were in fact the meaning of a true friend and I love and miss you dearly. I will always have you with me..in my mind and heart.*

Cindy Athey - June 29, 2025 at 12:32 PM

JC

“Joyce George Cox lit a candle in memory of
Valerie Harrison Jones



Joyce George Cox - June 28, 2025 at 04:44 PM

“ Update: Our Sister and Daughter of God left this life for eternal life @ approximately 6:54 a.m. this morning 06-25-2025.

As I sat there beside my baby sister; at what would be her last hours on earth holding her hand; I couldn't be more proud to have her be my sister. She has fought this fight with the courage of having been a United States Navy Sailor, with the integrity of a national security agency communications employee, the dignity of a state Episcopal Diocese office manager and love of being a wonderful daughter, mom, sister, aunt and friend.

I am also in awe of her stamina to brush off the shenanigans and torture of two older brothers who convinced her to suck the air out of a 10 oz. Coke bottle until her top lip got sucked into the bottle and stuck for 45 minutes. When it came off, we had the prelude to collagen duck lips. And the time we chased her upstairs and she fell, grabbing for a spindle only to jerk a 70s swag lamp chain out of the ceiling. Yeah, we thought we covered that up, til dad found the drywall dust on the floor. I personally gave all her barbies black and blue eyes with ink pens. Embarrassingly now, we terrorized her... but nobody else could lay a hand on her. When mom and dad brought her little newborn self home, rumor has it, I said “take it back” at ripe old age of 4. Only three days later I declared we could keep it. It was her pet name for years.

Valerie and I have had our up and downs over 6 decades, but the love of a sovereign God has provided forgiveness, grace, humility and renewed joy over that same time period. And as much as I know our relationship and faith with Christ is real, a hole has already started to open, creating a void that will need time for healing. I will miss Valerie Anne (Harrison) Jones immensely. Fweee Valwie from the bindings of this world.





Steve Harrison - June 27, 2025 at 01:21 AM

VB

What a sweet tribute Being an only girl with brothers is what gives us the ability to tackle our problems. I am sure she is looking down on all of you and Will to you meet again

Victoria Bildstein - June 30, 2025 at 05:34 PM

JH

“Joan Horsey lit a candle in memory of Valerie Harrison Jones



Joan Horsey - June 27, 2025 at 01:01 AM

BB

“Valerie was a true professional, she treated everyone with respect.....I will truly miss her.

Barry Byers - June 26, 2025 at 08:29 PM

RJ

“Ronnie And Rhonda Jewell lit a candle in memory of Valerie Harrison Jones



Ronnie and Rhonda Jewell - June 26, 2025 at 01:21 PM

JR

“ Valerie was a beautiful lady who deeply cared for her family , friends and her fur babies. Her son was the light of her life and her daughter-in-law was her bonus child. She was a talented, smart and witty lady. Sending my condolences and love to her family and especially Mitchell and Dani. Rest easy Valerie in the arms of Jesus surrounded by the angels. She is now with her beloved parents in Heaven.

Jackie Ritz - June 25, 2025 at 07:04 PM

NW

Valerie and I were talking a few months ago and I was mentioning her many talents she developed over the year. It hit me that Valerie was a Renaissance Woman. She could do anything, always curious, trying to make healthier food, "clean cleaning products, she even succeeded in making her own homemade bread from scratch! Valerie loved discussing politics and was up to date on the latest issues.

I read some of the comments about her and have to say ditto to many of them. She was a true friend and niece, she loved her son, Mitchell with all her heart and was happy to make a "Bucket List" trip for an air ballon ride and visiting the Grand Canyon with Mitchell while she still had strength.

Valerie has been a blessing to so many of us. We miss her fiercely but know she is with the Savior and her parents that she treasured. We love you, Valerie with all of our heart. Till we meet again.

Uncle Roland and Aunt Nancy Wilhelm

Nancy Wilhelm - July 02, 2025 at 09:02 PM