



Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley

October 15, 2015

Neptune, NJ

Lucille Jones Bradley entered into eternal rest on Thursday, October 15, 2015 at home in Neptune, NJ surrounded by the love of her family. She was born in Register, GA to the late Freddie Jones & Devorah Sykes Jones on September 14, 1936. She joined New Hope Missionary Baptist Church at an early age. She attended Byrd Jr. High School and then went on to William James High school in Statesboro, GA.

Lucille then met and married the love of her life, Rev. John D. Bradley Sr. In 1952. With her husband serving in the military, they traveled all over the country for more than 20 years, before settling their roots in Neptune, NJ.

Although they left Statesboro Ga, she loved to go back every year to visit her home. Lucille worked for a few years before retiring to be a full time Home maker to her family.

Lucille is preceded in death by 4 sisters Cora Lee Williams, Eloise Thomas, May Parrish, Evon Young; 3 brothers Eugene Jones, Curtis Jones and CW Jones; a son, Stanley Owen Bradley.

She leaves to cherish her memory and legacy of love, Her husband of 63

years, Rev. John D. Bradley Sr., Neptune, NJ., 5 Daughters, Patricia Bennett, Toms River, NJ., Phyllis Long (Joe), East Orange, NJ., Linda Bradley, Asbury Park, NJ., Theresa Ferguson (Michael), Statesboro, GA., Carolyn Bradley, Neptune, NJ., four sons, Donald Bradley, Neptune, NJ., Kevin Bradley, Asbury Park, NJ., John Bradley, Jr., Newark, NJ., and Stephane Bradley, Trenton, NJ., three siblings, Celestine Peoples, Metter, GA., Jewel Edwards-Young, Statesboro, GA., Robbie Parrish, Tampa, FL, three sisters-in-laws Audrey Jones, Statesboro, GA., Eloise Drummond, Orange, NJ Dorothia Bradley, Newark, NJ., two brothers-in-law, AJ Bradley, Newark, NJ and Guillermo (Bill) Young, Statesboro, GA., two granddaughters she raised from infants, Nakisha Bradley and Sherie Love (Daniel); 42 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, 3 great great grands including a host of adopted Foster children, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

The family visitation will be held from 7 to 8 p.m. in the chapel of Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

The funeral service for Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley will be held 1 p.m. Saturday, October 24, 2015 at the New Hope Baptist Church with the Rev. Warren Branch officiating and the pastor, Rev. Gregory Thomas, presiding. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Pastor Bradley will lie in state on the day of service from 12 noon until the funeral hour. There will be no viewing after the eulogy.

Online condolences may be expressed at [hillsmortuaryinc](http://hillsmortuaryinc.com)

Final rites have been entrusted to Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

Tribute Wall

CB

“ I miss you every day...you always made everything wrong right. Although I thank him daily, please let the good Lord know that I am forever grateful that you were in my life, and I carry your spirit in my heart for the rest of my days. I love you so much, my angel. - Your Simone <3

CIARA BRADLEY - May 06, 2025 at 02:57 PM

CB

“ CIARA BRADLEY lit a candle in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley



CIARA BRADLEY - May 06, 2025 at 02:53 PM

TJ

“ I knew in my heart that you had left us for home. Bye Aunt Lu, so sorry for burdens which may have held so heavily upon you. I am so glad to have been a member of this family. Good people, from God people. Your Love on Jesus can now be completed. Love on dear child of God, and my sister in the Lord.

Troy C Jones - July 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

LH

“ I Remember a lot of good times with us going to church at soul saving station ,, that was when I got saved !! I will truly love Mrs Bradley forever !!



Lisl Harrington - October 24, 2015 at 05:59 PM



“ Hello my friends and family. It is a sad day for me knowing that I will no longer be able to visit my friend Mrs. Lucille Bradley when I come up to the Jersey shore. She was not only a friend, but also a second mom to me. We go way back to 1976 when I was a young girl (16 years old). I will miss you so much, Mrs. Bradley, but this is not goodbye. I take great comfort that I spent time with you on October 11, 2015. Although, I did not know that would be my last time seeing you, I know you were tired and ready to go to a better place where you would no longer feel pain and where you would be forever young. I will see you in Heaven when the Lord calls me home. Say hello to my papi, Carmelo, my abuelita, Victoria and my sister, Naomi Sugar-Calderon aka "Sugar Bear ", on my behalf. Please watch over me, all of your family and friends. We have all gained a beautiful angel in Heaven to watch over us and bless us daily. Thank you for all your advice, support and love throughout the years. I will also do my part to support your family especially, your beloved husband, Mr. John Bradley who I spoke to this morning and told him that I will always be here for him. See you later, Mrs. Bradley. I will always love you and I will never forget you. Besos.
heart emoticon



I dedicate this poem to you.

<http://www.familyfriendpoems.com/.../do-not-stand-by-my-grave...>

Diane Centeno-Deshields - October 24, 2015 at 01:37 PM



“ *Diane Centeno-Deshields lit a candle in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley*



Diane Centeno-Deshields - October 24, 2015 at 01:33 PM

BQ

“ *May God continue to bless your family at this time we will keep you in prayer,love Rev Quick and family*

Barbara Quick - October 24, 2015 at 08:32 AM

CF

“ *I will always remember Mrs. Bradley. Her children are her legacy of love.*

chantal Fitzgerald - October 23, 2015 at 10:03 PM

CH

“ *MEMORIES OF MY DEAR FRIEND.LUCILLE JONES BRADLEY.AS FRIEND SINCE I HAVE KNOWEN HER 40+ YEARS LUE AS WE WOULD CALL HER WE PLAYED TOGETHER, WE EATE A OUR TABLES WE WENT TO SCHOOL TOGATHER A WONDERFUL WE NEVER WAS UNPLEASED WITH ONE ANOTHER WE NEVER FOUGHT, ARGUE WE SHARED LOVE AND TODAY NOTHING HAV EVER CHANGE EVER TODAY SHE SLEEP,S WE ARE STILL FRIENDS. LOVE YOU MY FRIEND AND SISTWE*

CARRIE HOWAR - October 23, 2015 at 04:31 PM

DF

“ *Dwayne Doyle Family lit a candle in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley*



Dwayne Doyle Family - October 23, 2015 at 02:45 PM

DF

Rest in peace

Dwayne Doyle Family - October 23, 2015 at 02:47 PM

DF

So sorry for lost

Dwayne Doyle Family - October 23, 2015 at 02:48 PM

CM

“*Carol Matthews lit a candle in memory of
Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley*



carol matthews - October 23, 2015 at 01:19 PM

CM

I am so thankful and blessed that I had a chance to meet such a beautiful woman of God...Will never forget our time together,, I love you all,and will continue to pray for comfort in your time of need!

carol matthews - October 23, 2015 at 01:23 PM

LH

“ *To the Bradley Family:*

My siblings and I were so blessed to grow up in the Gables along side with you all. My fondest memories of your beautiful Mom was how she lovingly embraced my Mom when she was going through so much turmoil in our home. Your Mom's strength and words of encouragement pulled my Mom through so difficult situations. It gave her the strength to keep moving on and to stand up for her children and herself. I have never forgotten it and will always be eternally grateful for your Mom's love and compassion. My only regret is that as I became an adult, I didn't stay close and visit your parents more often.

I Love you all and will continue to pray that our precious Holy Spirit will comfort you through this time. Remember that your Mom's spirit lives on and she is in the presence of our Most High God.

Sincerely,

Linda Harris

Linda Harris - October 23, 2015 at 09:32 AM

 Bea
Griffin

“ *Rest in peace, Aunt Lucille. You were such a beautiful, sweet, loving lady. I will surely miss you. I love you!*



Bea Griffin - October 23, 2015 at 09:02 AM

GL

“ Mommy Bradley was one phenomenal woman..I have been blessed to have met and talk to her..May God let her soul forever Rest Well..Love you..



gordon long - October 23, 2015 at 08:35 AM



“ I remember meeting Mrs. Bradley on a couple of occasions. A lovely woman of God!



Hope Allen - October 23, 2015 at 08:13 AM

TF

“ Theresa Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley



Theresa Ferguson - October 23, 2015 at 06:37 AM



Love you Mommy. Shine Bright like a Diamond that you are. Xoxo.

Theresa Ferguson - October 23, 2015 at 06:40 AM



“ I HAVE 33 YEARS OF GREAT MEMORIES THAT I WILL FOREVER CHERISH GRANDMA....YOU WERE A RARE GEM!!! GLAD THAT DEV'RON (GREATGRAND) HAD HIS TIME WITH YOU TOO!! WE LOVE YOU GRANDMA ALWAYS!



Stephanie Bradley - October 23, 2015 at 05:12 AM



“ *Stephanie Bradley sent a virtual gift in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley*



Stephanie Bradley - October 23, 2015 at 05:07 AM



“ *Mrs. Bradley was a staple of the Gables community. She was a genuinely beautiful woman who loved life and the Lord. I will never forget the day she came and told me God gave her a message for me, that my son would be alright. My son was a baby in need of a liver transplant. He's 27 now. We thank God for the life of His servant. Rest in eternal peace beautiful soul.*



Adrienne Sanders - October 23, 2015 at 04:20 AM

YV

“ Yvette lit a candle in memory of Pastor Lucille Jones Bradley



yvette - October 23, 2015 at 02:18 AM

YV

“ You were wonderful inside and out I'm upset I wasn't able to be around more also there to say one last goodbye I know your over us watching from PARADISE Nani kiss my son up there for me especially my GMA I'll never forget the day I brought Janiyah over to meet you and I sat for hours and enjoyed the talk we had LOVE YOU and may you rest easy LOVE ALWAYS YVETTE JAYLIN&JANIYAH 😍



yvette - October 23, 2015 at 02:11 AM



“ Mommy I love you. you left so sudden to me but I know u were tired and God gave u rest and I have peace with that because I know you served God and love Him. God is taking care of you. Im sure of it. I feel you with me in the Spirit. Thank you for your love, you are always in my heart n mind. Loving you always and forever. Until we are together again in paradise. Rest in Heavenly Peace.



Theresa Ferguson - October 22, 2015 at 11:53 PM