



## Virginia Faye Jones

May 16, 1921 - September 30, 2009

Virginia Faye Jones, age 88, of Rensselaer passed away Wednesday, September 30, 2009 at the Jasper County Hospital Alternacare. Virginia was born May 16, 1921 in Wolcott, Indiana, the daughter of the late Otis and Emma (Anker) Hazelgrove. She attended the Buffalo High School in Buffalo, IN.

Virginia's first marriage was to Howard F. Jordan who preceded her in death on August 18, 1944. She later married Francis "Ralph" Jones on February 2, 1952 in Rockville, Indiana. He preceded her in death on March 14, 1990.

Virginia retired from the Kankakee Valley Schools where she was a custodian at the high school. In 1962 she opened Jones Grocery which she owned and operated for 12 years, and it later became known as Fisher's Grocery. Virginia had also operated several restaurants in and around the community. She was a member of the United Pentecostal Church of DeMotte.

Virginia enjoyed spending her time with family and her church work.

Virginia is survived by her children, Howard (Glenda) Jordan, Rensselaer, Jean (William) Griffey, Kouts, and Ruth (John) Burns, Sharon (Larry) Chapman, Ralph "Lee" (Kathy) Jones, David (Patsy) Jones, Arlene (Morgan) Wireman and Marlene Emmie (David) Wilson, all of Rensselaer, one sister, Betty Cleefman of Monticello, 21 grandchildren and numerous great and great

great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husbands, four brothers and two granddaughters.

# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Virginia Faye Jones



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**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - September 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Grandma Jones (my great grandmother) was the strongest matriarch I have ever known. She always instilled in me the importance of family, and greeted me with the most heartfelt love every time I visited her. She was so happy to be part of such a large family where she became great-great grandma to my girls. I will fondly remember my warm, strong, beautiful great-grandmother, may she rest in peace.##imported-begin##Tammy (Griffey) Bridegroom##imported-end##

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“ I am Georganna's older daughter and I dearly remember "Aunt" Virginia, especially when I was a little girl. I know she was special to my mom. My great-grandparent Hazelgroves were very dear to me and I see them both so much in their children (such as "aunt Virginia and my loving grandpa George). There is nothing like being a part of a family heritage of strong, family-valued people and I can say I am blessed to be a part of the Hazelgrove legacy...Aunt Virginia is dearly loved - blessings to all who read this and who mourn another beautiful Hazelgrove God welcomed into His eternal heaven.##imported-begin##Jennifer Abatie (Hart/Hazelgrove)##imported-end##

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“ She was my dad's sister. They shared the same beautiful blue eyes. She was my grandma's daughter, and when I lost grandma, I could still see her in those beautiful blue eyes. She was my grandpa's daughter, and when I lost him, I could still see his wittiness in her. She was my aunt. And a favorite one at that. I will miss her deeply even though I did not see her as often as I should have. I feel sure that she is with the Lord, and for that I am comforted and happy. I love you Aunt Virginia.  
Georganna##imported-begin##Georganna Hart##imported-end##

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