



## Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs

November 15, 1956 - May 24, 2025

Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs departed this life on May 24, 2025. She was the only child of Sherman and Magnolia Reeves Jones. As a minister's daughter, she resided in many cities across the country, including Helena, AR, Cairo, IL, Grand Rapids, MI and Forrest City, AR. She accepted Christ and was baptized at Salem MB Church in 1965. Phyllis was a gifted vocalist and pianist and often used her talents in the music ministry of several churches throughout the years. She was a proud graduate of the Forrest City High School Class of 1974.

Phyllis had lifelong friends who were drawn to her fun-loving and often mischievous nature. She married William Suggs in 1997. Phyllis was employed at the St. Francis County Sheriff's Department until 2018 when her health began to fail.

Phyllis opened her heart and home to three boys, Alan, Amari, and Alex. She fought to get and keep them. She accomplished her goal of loving them through a crucial time in their lives. In the end, she trusted God to take them the rest of the way.

Phyllis is preceded in death by her parents, Sherman Jones and Magnolia Jones Lockhart and an infant son, Phillip Jerome Jones.

Left to cherish her memory are sons, Alan, Amari and Alex Suggs of Forrest City, AR. Four stepbrothers, John Lockhart Jr. of Columbus, GA, Jimmie Lockhart of Camden, AR, Donald (Pamela) Lockhart of Decatur, GA and Kenneth Lockhart of Arlington, TX. Cousins, Betty Ann Culley of Forrest City, AR, Dianne (James) Butler of N. Little Rock, AR, Pamela (Leroyce) Cook of Florissant, MO, Craig (Barbara) Walls of Wichita, KS, Michael (Lurlean) Walls of Sachse, TX, Barbara (Chris) Jackson of Marion, AR and a host of relatives and friends. She will be missed by those that knew and loved her.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church  
72 Sfc 208  
Forrest City , AR 72335

## Service

JUN 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

TV

“ *Tamara Varnado lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



Tamara Varnado - August 09, 2025 at 05:07 PM

CC

“ *To Phyllis Children, cousins Dianne Butler , Betty Ann Culley ,Pam and rest of family I am sorry to hear Phyllis passed you have my deepest sympathy may you have peace during this difficult time .*



Christine Chism - June 07, 2025 at 01:24 PM

DA

“ *Diane Griham Anderson*



Diane Griham Anderson - June 07, 2025 at 01:03 PM

ST

“ *Suggs family, Heartfelt Condolences to your family and friends.*



Shirley Williams Thorn - June 04, 2025 at 03:01 PM

TN

“ *Tricia L. Neal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Tricia L. Neal** - June 04, 2025 at 07:54 AM

CW

“ *Carolyn Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Carolyn Williams** - June 03, 2025 at 04:34 AM

CW

*Sending my Condolences to the Family. She was very nice person to know as I was growing up at New Light Church. GOD is in Charge Rest in Peace. Class of 1981 FCHS!*

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**Carolyn Williams** - June 03, 2025 at 04:40 AM

CC

“ *I'm going to miss the hugs and laughs we always had when we saw each other. May God comfort the entire family during this time. RIL !!!!*



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**Carmillia Chatters** - June 02, 2025 at 08:57 PM

DE

“ Debra lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs



Debra - June 02, 2025 at 08:51 PM

AP

Keeping the Family in my Prayers! Alice P.

Alice M Penigar - June 02, 2025 at 08:53 PM

DE

“ Debra lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs



Debra - June 02, 2025 at 08:49 PM

AL

“ Anita Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs



Anita Lucas - June 02, 2025 at 01:52 PM

AN

“ *Annette sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Annette** - June 02, 2025 at 01:22 PM

OB

“ *Our condolences to the family.*



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**Othello & Loistine Bowman** - June 01, 2025 at 09:12 PM

BC

“ *RIP Cousin. I remember us playing in Rev. Jone's office when you lived in Cairo , trying not to get caught. You were such a mess, and the ring leader keeping us in trouble. What memories! Now you can take your rest. See you later!*

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**Beverly Coleman-Bland** - June 01, 2025 at 08:33 PM

PW

“ *Peggy Robinson Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Peggy Robinson Wright** - June 01, 2025 at 06:57 PM

SP

“ *Shurelle Parchman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Shurelle Parchman** - May 31, 2025 at 10:38 PM

AH

“ *Anita Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Anita Hamilton** - May 31, 2025 at 09:28 PM

KM

“ *Keith/Yvonne McCoy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Keith/Yvonne McCoy** - May 31, 2025 at 11:45 AM

NP

“ *Nicole Parchman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



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**Nicole Parchman** - May 31, 2025 at 11:10 AM

PH

“ *Pecola Hooks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



**Pecola Hooks** - May 31, 2025 at 08:15 AM

PG

“ *RIP Classmate*



**Patricia Winfrey Gregory** - May 30, 2025 at 11:25 PM

SC

“ *Shekita Carter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



**Shekita Carter** - May 30, 2025 at 11:19 PM

MG

“ *Marva Garrett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Phyllis Annette Jones Suggs*



**Marva Garrett** - May 30, 2025 at 06:50 PM

DM

“ A word of comfort and of hope, that in your deepest sorrow, you will find new strength and peace of mind and courage for tomorrow.” Please know that you are in our prayers.



*Sending condolences to the family of Phyllis Jones Suggs on behalf of The Lincoln High School - Maroon & Gold National Alumni Association, Inc. (MGNAAI), Forrest City, Arkansas. Phyllis was a member of the Forrest City High School Class of 1974.”*

*Delores Farr Morelon  
MGNAAI President*

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**Delore Morelon - MGNAAI** - May 30, 2025 at 02:24 PM

CC

“ My deepest condolences to the family during this time. She was a great friend, neighbor, and church member. She would always have something funny to say. She will be missed deeply.



*Christopher Chatters and family*

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**Christopher Chatters** - May 30, 2025 at 12:37 PM

RG

“ *Rest in Heaven my friend, condolences to the family* ”



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**Ricky Green** - May 30, 2025 at 04:13 AM