



Jo Ann Jenkins

September 7, 1946 - October 27, 2025

Jo Ann Williams Jenkins was born September 7, 1946, in Simpson County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Wilkes Henry Williams and Fannie Bell Humbles Williams. Jo Ann attended Lincoln School in Franklin, Kentucky. She was married to the late Alonzo Jenkins. Jo Ann made Bowling Green her home over 50 years ago and united with the Seventh Street Baptist Church under the pastoral ship of Rev. J.E. Jones. Affectionally known as “Mama Jo” to everyone, she served as a Willing Worker at Seventh Street, a true testament of who she was. Jo Ann formerly worked as a teacher’s assistant at Little Treasures Day Care and as a bus driver for Bowling Green City Schools. Mama Jo loved to cook, and she didn’t mind sharing a meal with any of her family and many friends. Mama Jo was full of wit and wisdom. She was admired and loved by everyone who knew her.

On October 27, 2025, at the age of 79, Joann joined those preceding her in death; husband Alonzo Jenkins; her parents, Wilkes Henry Williams and Fannie Bell Humbles Williams; her siblings, Presley Hall Jr, Lena Mae Johnson, Bessie Lou Stanley, Terry Williams, Mary Davis, Robert Hall, Pete Hall, Betty Ferguson, Frances Helen Flippin, Ida Pearl Satterfield, and Evelyn Hall.

The life and legacy of Jo Ann Williams Jenkins will forever rest with her sister, Wilma Jean Williams, Franklin, Kentucky; a host of nieces, nephews,

relatives, a loving and caring church family and friends.

Sincerely,

-Your friends at Burnam and Son Mortuary

Cemetery Details

Bowling Green Gardens

820 Lovers Lane
Bowling Green, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 7. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Seventh Street Baptist Church
1101 Fair Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Funeral Service

NOV 7. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Seventh Street Baptist Church
1101 Fair Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins* ”



Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. - November 06, 2025 at 06:19 PM



“ *Belinda Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins* ”



Belinda Jenkins - December 29, 2025 at 10:09 AM



“ *Marqueta Franklin sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins* ”



Marqueta Franklin - November 18, 2025 at 07:36 AM

MF

“ *Mrs. Hannah Whitney & Family lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Mrs. Hannah Whitney & Family - November 07, 2025 at 10:21 AM

DC

“ *Dr. and Mrs. LaMark Carver*



Dr. LaMark Carver - November 07, 2025 at 09:38 AM

AR

“ *Mama Jo That's What We All Called You We Had A Lot Of Good Times We You And Mr Alonzo Pitching Horse Shoes Every Year AT 7th Street Church and Every Where Else To RIP My Cousin Love You For Ever And Ever Oneal And Faye Roberson And Family*



Alana Faye Roberson - November 07, 2025 at 09:33 AM

DB

“ *Deborah Bufford lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Deborah Bufford - November 06, 2025 at 11:15 PM



“ Rachel Cullom Moore lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Rachel Cullom Moore - November 05, 2025 at 06:44 PM



“ Lit a candle in the memory of JoAnn Jenkins!

Robbie Carpenter - November 04, 2025 at 11:24 PM



“ Denise Turnley lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Denise Turnley - November 04, 2025 at 04:54 PM



“ Love me some Ms Jo Ann her smile and laughter was contagious. Truly a woman of God and not afraid to tell you what was on her mind. I was so blessed to have known her most of my life she always had a kind word and a hug when she saw me. I will miss my little chicken eating lady. So blessed to have been able to call her my friend.



LeKeeshia Price - November 03, 2025 at 09:05 AM

DC

“ *Dora Conyers lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Dora Conyers - November 02, 2025 at 07:32 PM

DB

“ *Dallas And Paula Butts lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Dallas and Paula Butts - November 02, 2025 at 05:35 PM

LI

“ *LIVELY-CLARK lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



LIVELY-CLARK - November 01, 2025 at 07:53 PM

BW

“ *Brenda Williams lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Brenda Williams - November 01, 2025 at 04:38 PM

MW

“ Prayers and condolences to the Jenkins family.



Mona Ware - November 01, 2025 at 02:24 PM

DC

“ Jenkins, Williams Families; Sending my deepest of sympathy to you in the homegoing of your loved one JoAnn. my thoughts and prayers are with you during your difficult and sad time after all you still have joy safe journey home your spirit and smile will be very missed for a life well lived.



Dewayne Chumney - November 01, 2025 at 02:24 PM

KL

“ Kendra Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Kendra Lewis - November 01, 2025 at 02:11 PM

DB

“ DeAnna Bluett&Family lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



DeAnna Bluett&Family - November 01, 2025 at 09:42 AM

FG

“ *Faye Gamble lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Faye Gamble - November 01, 2025 at 09:29 AM

BD

“ *Breenda Duncan lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Breenda Duncan - November 01, 2025 at 12:47 AM

KC

“ *Kenny And. Crisandra Coleman lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Kenny and. Crisandra Coleman - October 31, 2025 at 08:57 PM

BP

“ *Barbara Page lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Barbara Page - October 31, 2025 at 08:32 PM

MB

“ MYRICK BYRD lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



MYRICK BYRD - October 31, 2025 at 07:36 PM

HS

“ Henry & Mirt Shelton lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Henry & Mirt Shelton - October 31, 2025 at 04:54 PM

NF

“ Nell Ruth Hill & Family lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Nell Ruth Hill & Family - October 31, 2025 at 04:54 PM

LW

“ Loretha Withrow sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Loretha Withrow - October 31, 2025 at 10:12 AM

WC

“ *William Covington lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



William Covington - October 31, 2025 at 05:12 AM

SD

“ *Sister JoAnn was a special lady. Upon my arrival to Bowling Green from NC, I started attending 7th Street Baptist Church on Kentucky Street. Sister JoAnn befriended me right away. I met her late husband and she always wondered if I was being fed or eating. She always invited me to come by and get a plate. JoAnn always had her hair done and fixed nice. I asked her who did her hair. She told me she did it herself. She was always dressed nice. Such a beautiful spirit. I last saw Sister JoAnn at Signature Home. I was surprised to see her there, but also happy to see her again. A life well-lived. Thank you Sister JoAnn for your spirit & love you bestowed upon me. Also, my mother-in-law could depend on her to pick her up from medical appointments if she didn't have other ways to get home.*



Sheila Ford Duncan - October 30, 2025 at 07:09 PM

DW

“ *Diana Wilson lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Diana Wilson - October 30, 2025 at 04:35 PM

MF

“ *Mrs. Hannah Whitney And Family lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Mrs. Hannah Whitney and Family - October 30, 2025 at 03:13 PM

WP

“ *Wintress Parker lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Wintress Parker - October 30, 2025 at 02:55 PM

ND

“ *You Will Be Misse*



Nora Dawes - October 30, 2025 at 02:50 PM

ZH

“ *Zora Hays lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Zora Hays - October 30, 2025 at 08:52 AM

DH

“ Douglas & Sarah Hardin lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Douglas & Sarah Hardin - October 29, 2025 at 10:00 PM

BC

“ Barbara Cherry lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Barbara Cherry - October 29, 2025 at 08:23 PM

DW

“ Darell And Stevie Wood lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Darell and Stevie Wood - October 29, 2025 at 05:47 PM

PA

“ Patricia Anthony lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Patricia Anthony - October 29, 2025 at 05:39 PM

DA

“ *DONNA ANTHONY lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



DONNA ANTHONY - October 29, 2025 at 05:39 PM

DW

“ *Darell And Stevie Wood lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Darell and Stevie Wood - October 29, 2025 at 05:32 PM

DB

“ *David & Anna Barbee* 🙏



David C Barbee - October 29, 2025 at 04:12 PM

JB

“ *Jolynn Bell lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Jolynn Bell - October 29, 2025 at 03:16 PM

VS

“ Vetta Sublett lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Vetta Sublett - October 29, 2025 at 03:09 PM

JS

“ JOHNETTA SMITH sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



JOHNETTA SMITH - October 29, 2025 at 02:07 PM

DB

“ Dano & DeWanda Byrd sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Dano & DeWanda Byrd - October 29, 2025 at 01:06 PM

BD

“ Brenda Dunn lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Brenda Dunn - October 29, 2025 at 01:03 PM

FC

“ Florence W Claypool lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Florence W Claypool - October 29, 2025 at 12:37 PM

JL

“ Rest in peace JoAnn we was neighbors for many years always remember you sitting on the porch

Judy Lawrence - October 29, 2025 at 11:49 AM

ND

“ My friend Jo! Such a beautiful soul! I will miss seeing you everyday. Rest in Peace my beautiful friend- Nora D. ❤️

Nora Dawes - October 29, 2025 at 11:37 AM

RD

“ Rev.Donald And Joanna Daniels sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Rev.Donald and Joanna Daniels - October 29, 2025 at 11:24 AM

MB

“ *Maria Bowman lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Maria Bowman - October 29, 2025 at 10:47 AM

KB

“ *Such a beautiful soul. Condolences to her family. Prayers for you all.*

Kayla Burton - October 29, 2025 at 01:18 AM

MW

“ *MaLin Wilson lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



MaLin Wilson - October 28, 2025 at 11:02 PM

JB

“ *Jimmy Blakey lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Jimmy Blakey - October 28, 2025 at 10:38 PM

GR

“ Gail Rasmussen lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Gail Rasmussen - October 28, 2025 at 10:14 PM

BC

“ Brenda Carver sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Brenda Carver - October 28, 2025 at 08:16 PM

CS

“ Carolyn J Sydnor sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Carolyn J Sydnor - October 28, 2025 at 07:24 PM

BS

“ Bridgitte Stewart-Ferguson lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Bridgitte Stewart-Ferguson - October 28, 2025 at 06:22 PM

LH

“ *Leslie Hunter lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Leslie Hunter - October 28, 2025 at 06:05 PM

WB

“ *Many prayers and condolences*

Willa Blewett - October 28, 2025 at 05:51 PM



“ *Lynn Narda Duncan lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Lynn Narda Duncan - October 28, 2025 at 05:50 PM

LW

“ *Linda Williams lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Linda williams - October 28, 2025 at 05:46 PM

JB

“ James M And Kenetha Bryant lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



James M and Kenetha Bryant - October 28, 2025 at 05:37 PM

JB

“ James M And Kenetha Bryant sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



James M and Kenetha Bryant - October 28, 2025 at 05:37 PM

JS

“ Jakki Granger Snowden sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Jakki Granger Snowden - October 28, 2025 at 05:29 PM

RM

“ Rachel Murrell lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Rachel Murrell - October 28, 2025 at 05:26 PM

NM

“ *Nathaniel And Bernadine Martin lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Nathaniel and Bernadine Martin - October 28, 2025 at 04:55 PM

SB

“ *Shelia Beck lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Shelia Beck - October 28, 2025 at 04:52 PM

RD

“ *Rebecca Davis lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Rebecca Davis - October 28, 2025 at 04:26 PM

RR

“ *Was a beautiful soul inside and out loved her cooking Rest In Heaven Ms.Joann*



Ronnie Rhodes - October 28, 2025 at 04:25 PM

LA

“ *Condolences to the families*



Linda and Brittany Atkins - October 28, 2025 at 03:47 PM



“ *Yvonne Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Yvonne Williams - October 28, 2025 at 03:18 PM

JB

“ *Judith Boards lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Judith Boards - October 28, 2025 at 02:51 PM

GP

“ *Genevieve Patterson lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Genevieve Patterson - October 28, 2025 at 02:48 PM

SS

“ Stephanie Sweatt lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Stephanie Sweatt - October 28, 2025 at 02:45 PM

MP

“ Mary Patterson lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Mary Patterson - October 28, 2025 at 02:40 PM

PF

“ Phyllis Davidson Finch lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Phyllis Davidson Finch - October 28, 2025 at 02:37 PM

DA

“ DONNA ANTHONY lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



DONNA ANTHONY - October 28, 2025 at 02:19 PM

TF

“ Tina Fant lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Tina Fant - October 28, 2025 at 02:10 PM

FH

“ Frederick & Estella Hill lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Frederick & Estella Hill - October 28, 2025 at 02:00 PM

CR

“ Charletta Ray lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Charletta Ray - October 28, 2025 at 01:46 PM

WW

“ William Daniel Walker lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



William Daniel walker - October 28, 2025 at 01:39 PM

LC

“ *Lisa Cook lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Lisa Cook - October 28, 2025 at 01:11 PM

DJ

“ *Debra Jewell lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Debra Jewell - October 28, 2025 at 01:11 PM

DC

“ *Dora Conyers lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Dora Conyers - October 28, 2025 at 12:30 PM

JB

“ *Jerline Bunton lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Jerline Bunton - October 28, 2025 at 12:24 PM

KB

“ *Kenneth Henry Bunton lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Kenneth Henry Bunton - October 28, 2025 at 12:24 PM

RM

“ *Ruth Morrow lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Ruth Morrow - October 28, 2025 at 11:53 AM

SH

“ *Shawna A. Harrison sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Shawna A. Harrison - October 28, 2025 at 11:30 AM

DH

“ *JoAnn was a great friend of my Mother. Daniel Hockersmith and Family*



Daniel Hockersmith - October 28, 2025 at 11:06 AM

KC

“ *Kenny. And Crisandra Coleman lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Kenny. and Crisandra Coleman - October 28, 2025 at 10:55 AM

LH

“ *Lisa Huskey lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Lisa Huskey - October 28, 2025 at 10:37 AM

RC

“ *Regina Caulfield sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Regina Caulfield - October 28, 2025 at 10:20 AM

TF

“ *Tina Crowe & Family lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Tina Crowe & Family - October 28, 2025 at 10:08 AM

KG

“ Kellie Hewitt - Girbert lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Kellie Hewitt - Girbert - October 28, 2025 at 10:04 AM

LW

“ Loretha Withrow sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Loretha Withrow - October 28, 2025 at 10:00 AM

SS

“ Sue Sweatt lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Sue Sweatt - October 28, 2025 at 09:58 AM

DC

“ Deborah Claypool lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins



Deborah Claypool - October 28, 2025 at 09:50 AM

CG

“ *Carmen Green lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Carmen Green - October 28, 2025 at 09:49 AM

JS

“ *Johnetta Smith lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Johnetta Smith - October 28, 2025 at 09:11 AM

BF

“ *I will never ever forget the day I met this lady... I love her*



Belinda Foc - October 28, 2025 at 09:08 AM

SL

“ *Sabrina Loving sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Sabrina Loving - October 28, 2025 at 08:40 AM

LC

“ *Lisa Cook lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Lisa Cook - October 28, 2025 at 08:17 AM

SK

“ *Sending my condolences to the entire family.*

Rest in peace Ms. Joanne 🌸🕊️



Shei Kirk - October 28, 2025 at 08:07 AM

CL

“ *Charles &Charlotte Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Charles &Charlotte Lewis - October 28, 2025 at 07:39 AM

FG

“ *Faye Gamble lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Faye Gamble - October 28, 2025 at 07:22 AM

KF

“ *Kendell Ford lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



kendell Ford - October 28, 2025 at 06:27 AM

SB

“ *Shelia Beck lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Shelia Beck - October 28, 2025 at 05:20 AM

CD

“ *Christine, Rodney, & Pamela Dixon sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



christine, rodney, & pamela dixon - October 28, 2025 at 03:23 AM

SC

“ *Suzie Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Suzie Carpenter - October 28, 2025 at 02:12 AM

KD

“ *Kathleen Donan lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



Kathleen Donan - October 28, 2025 at 01:27 AM

CJ

“ *I love you granny* 🍷🍷🍷

Candice Jenkins - October 27, 2025 at 11:39 PM

LO

“ *LolitaMatin sent a virtual gift in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



LolitaMatin - October 27, 2025 at 08:57 PM

CH

“ *Cherl Hewitt lit a candle in memory of Jo Ann Jenkins*



cherl Hewitt - October 27, 2025 at 08:48 PM



“ *Dear Jenkins and Williams Family,*

There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.



Respectfully,

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly
2nd Generation Owners*

Cedric Burnam - October 27, 2025 at 08:16 PM