



## Phil Jones

January 3, 1960 - November 21, 2020

Phil Jones, 60, of Oskaloosa, passed away Saturday, November 21, 2020, at Iowa Lutheran Hospital in Des Moines, Iowa.

Phillip Ray Jones, son of Thomas Richard and Barbara June (Denney) Jones, was born January 3, 1960, in Oskaloosa. He attended Oskaloosa schools and graduated in 1978 from Oskaloosa High School. While in school, he worked at Fareway and continued working there for a short time after graduating. He was soon employed at Pella Corp and worked there for several years before working for Gary Junkins. He was last employed at Oskaloosa Food Products. Phil married Jodi Thomas on June 15, 1979, to that union, his son, Nick, was born. They later divorced. Phil later developed a close relationship with Karla Fresquez and her children. To this union, a daughter, Nickayla, was born. Phil's children were the joy of his life – spending time with them was what gave his life purpose. He also enjoyed spending time with Karla's children. Phil was very mechanically inclined, and working on and riding his Harley-Davidson Motorcycle was another pleasure for Phil. Phil attended the Central United Methodist Church and was a member of the Mahaska Lodge #644. His family includes his daughter, Nickayla Jones of Oskaloosa; his sisters: Mary Johnson of Oskaloosa and Connie Pickett of West Des Moines; a brother, Charles (Vicki) Jones of Oskaloosa; his close friend, Karla Fresquez, and family; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Phil was preceded in death by his son, Nick Thomas Jones; and a brother-in-law, Dale Johnson.

Funeral Services for Phil will be held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, November 24, 2020, at the Central United Methodist Church with Rev. Chad Lierman officiating. According to the rules put in place by the Iowa Department of Public Health, proper social distancing and appropriate personal protective equipment are advised for attending this public event. The service will be Livestreamed on the Oskaloosa Central UMC Facebook page for those unable to attend the ceremony. Burial will be in Forest Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday at Langkamp Funeral Chapel. Because of Covid-19 precautions, no family visitation will be held. Memorials can be made payable to Langkamp Funeral Chapel for Nickayla's future education.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Cemetery

934 North 9th ST  
Oskaloosa, IA 52577  
secretary@forestcemetery.com  
<http://www.forestcemetery.org/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **23**. 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Langkamp Funeral Chapel & Crematory  
2116 N 3rd St  
Oskaloosa, IA 52577  
(641) 672-2181  
langkampfuneralchapel@gmail.com  
<https://www.langkampfuneralchapel.com>

## Funeral Service

NOV **24**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Central United Methodist Church Kent Chapel  
201 North Market ST  
Oskaloosa, IA 52577

# Tribute Wall



“ *Phil Jones*

October 05, 2023 at 11:57 PM



“ *Sad to hear, as I had worked with Phil's dad Tom in early years knowing Phil and rest of this good family. May God bless and keep you, Mary and Charles..*

**Ed Hoyt** - November 24, 2020 at 11:32 AM



“ *CINDY ALBRIGHT lit a candle in memory of Phil Jones*



**CINDY ALBRIGHT** - November 23, 2020 at 09:49 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family at this difficult time. Phillip was a good guy and will be missed by all that knew him.*

**Kim Langfitt** - November 22, 2020 at 01:12 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers for all. Sorry for your loss. Phil was a good mam, classmate and co-worker at Fareway. RIP. Phil.*



**Kevin DenHartog** - November 22, 2020 at 11:50 AM

VB

“ *Very sorry for your loss.*

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**Vicki Barnett** - November 22, 2020 at 11:35 AM

KR

“ *Phil was my brother's best friend almost from the first day we started the third grade at Lincoln school in Oskaloosa. Lots of hours spent skating throughout the years. Gone too soon my friend. Praying Nick and Darren were there to greet you 🙏🙏🙏*  
*Karen Reeves*

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**karen Reeves** - November 21, 2020 at 07:30 PM

KL

“ *I am so sorry to hear this! Don and I lived in the apartment building with Phil. He was a wonderful neighbor. Always friendly and loved to talk! My prayers and love are with you all.*

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**Kathy Larsen** - November 21, 2020 at 07:05 PM

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“ *Sandy Hildebrand lit a candle in memory of Phil Jones*



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**Sandy Hildebrand** - November 21, 2020 at 04:27 PM

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“ Shirley Hunt lit a candle in memory of Phil Jones



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**Shirley Hunt** - November 21, 2020 at 02:01 PM

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“ Mary...so sorry for your loss,,may he Rip!! 🙏🙏🙏😭😭

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**Shirley Hunt** - November 21, 2020 at 02:00 PM