



Alda Jane Jones

August 13, 1951 - May 24, 2023

With heavy hearts, we say goodbye to Alda Jane Jones (71), who passed away peacefully at her home in Muskogee, Oklahoma, on May 24, 2023. Born in Lake Charles, Louisiana, Alda grew up in Westlake and was a member of the Westlake Methodist Church. She graduated from Westlake High School in 1969 and McNeese State University in 1973. As a medical technologist, she worked at hospitals in Oklahoma, Kansas, and upstate New York, retiring from the VA Hospital in Muskogee.

She enjoyed traveling the United States, including the Adirondack, Grand Canyon, Yellowstone, Grand Teton, Glacier, and Denali National Parks. She particularly enjoyed traveling with cousins, Gary and Marilyn Jones, to Switzerland, Italy, Germany, Austria, Ireland, Iceland, and the Isle of Guernsey. At various times in her life, Alda loved horseback riding, motorcycle riding, fly fishing, canoeing, kayaking, and making people laugh. She always found humor in her adventures and misadventures.

Alda was preceded in death by her parents, Frank Branson Jones and Belva Maureen Hindman Jones.

She is survived by her sister, Belva LaJune Jones; niece Erin Christine Cooley Hausknecht (Mark); and nephew John Brent Cooley (Mendi). She doted on her great nieces and nephews, Preslyn June Hausknecht, Charlie Marie Hausknecht, Oakley Dale Hausknecht, Titan Thomas Hausknecht, John Gabriel Cooley, and Ian Scott Cooley.

No services are planned.

Cremation services provided by Cornerstone Funeral Home and Crematory,
1830 N York St, Muskogee, OK. Condolences can be made to the family at www.cornerstoneofmuskogee.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Alda Jane Jones*

October 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *So sorry to learn of Alda’s passing. She traveled all over the world with mom and dad (Gary and Marilyn) and served as their “driver” so they could watch the surroundings as she drove. She took wonderful pictures that were shared along with the stories behind them as we would enjoy a meal around mom and dad’s kitchen table. She always called me to catch up on mom and dad, especially if one of them were ill, always offering to help any way she could. Below is the last picture I have of her— it was taken about five or six years ago at mom and dad’s farm. I’ll bet she and dad are swapping stories and talking travel right about now. She will be truly missed. Hugs to you and your family.*

Lynn (Jones) Hughes



Lynn Jones Hughes - July 09, 2023 at 12:29 AM



“ *Jeff and I have only know Alda for four years. She has shared many stories of going places with her sister. We will miss having her as our neighbor. We send our most heartfelt sympathy and prayers to the family.*

Valerie Baird - June 09, 2023 at 06:26 PM

CM

“ *Alda Jones was a wonderful chemistry student and someone that provided leader ship for our students and producing a science symposium. This event was student lead, particularly by Alda and as a result, and gained national recognition. I'll always remember her love of horses and what a treasure she was to have in class...*
Cornelius Moon, Lake Charles, Louisiana

Cornelius Moon - June 08, 2023 at 11:54 AM

BE

I knew Alda for 45 years, (coworker and fiend)but never knew this fact. Thanks for sharing

Becky Edwards - June 08, 2023 at 08:00 PM

BE

*Alda was a long time friend and coworker. We had lots of laughs together. She was quite a storyteller ! It is with sad heart that I say goodbye. Happy Trails Alda
My condolences Belva to you and yours. I feel like I know you all thru talks with Alda Jane. There is none like her 🥰❤️*

Becky Edwards - June 08, 2023 at 08:06 PM

BJ

Thank you, Mr. Moon. You were always her favorite teacher.

Belva Jones - June 09, 2023 at 08:18 PM

BM

I worked with Alda at the VA hospital lab and she was a hoot!! I loved all of her stories and the many advantageous vacations she went on. She talked about her family all the time especially those grand nieces and nephews. So sorry for your loss.

Beverly Moydell - June 30, 2023 at 09:26 AM

TJ

“ *Belva, I'm so sorry to hear about Alda.. We were friends while in school, & it seems the next time I turned around, your family moved away. I still remember going to your home to see Alda. We were washing & drying dishes & putting them away. Your Mom came in & was 'unhappy' because the plates weren't dried very good. LOL. Alda got me on a horse for the 1st time & walked me around the pasture, & one day we climbed up on the roof of your house...Alda talking about us jumping off to the ground. Pretty sure I didn't jump, that was a long way down!.. Good memories of her. Hugs & prayers !!*

Teresa Jordan - June 08, 2023 at 10:56 AM

JP

“ *Bella I am so sorry for the loss of your sweet sister! She was a great friend for many years. I have missed her over the years and know that you will greatly miss her! Sending love, hugs and prayers!*

Jenni Doran Pharris - June 07, 2023 at 10:18 PM

MJ

“ *I remember Alda on horseback.....the wind in her hair and a broad smile on her face.*

Mindy Jones - June 07, 2023 at 08:24 PM