



Louise Olexa

January 11, 1944 - July 9, 2013

Conway...Louise Jones Olexa, age 69, died Tuesday, July 9, 2013 following an illness.

Ms. Olexa was born in Conway, daughter of the late Nina Mae Jones West. She was a Salvation Army Soldier. Ms. Olexa was passionate in leading a women's jail and prison ministry at J. Reuben Long Detention Center. She was a longtime member attending Serenity Hall.

Surviving are: one sister, Lucille J. Johnson of Conway; many nieces and nephews; and many special friends whom she loved and by whom she was loved.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Tuesday from Goldfinch Funeral Home Chapel with Major Bret McElroy officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery.

The visitation will be at the funeral home from 5:00 until 7:00 PM Monday. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Salvation Army, PO Box 500, Conway, SC 29528 or to the American Cancer Society 950 48th Ave. North, Suite 101, Myrtle Beach 29577.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangement

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544
Conway, SC 29526
(843) 347-4909
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

Tribute Wall

JB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. May the outpouring of sympathy, the kind acts of friends and strangers, as well as your memories give you comfort to help you endure the days ahead. The Bible also offers comfort. “For God is near to those broken at heart. “ Ps 34:17,18. Our Creator promises that there will soon be a time when “death will be no more.” Revelation 21:4

J. Bell - July 21, 2013 at 09:08 AM

VT

“ Vicky & Tina sent a virtual gift in memory of Louise Olexa



Vicky & Tina - July 16, 2013 at 07:37 AM

VI

We will always remember Louise and hold her memory close in our hearts. She was a woman of great Faith, a warm smile. she was admired for her preseverance in all the things that where important in her life. we will remeber you as a salvation army soldier. and considered a blessing to those who knew her. VICKY AND TINA

Vicky - July 16, 2013 at 07:55 AM

GB

“ I will always think of Louise calling Bingo at Serenity-By-the-Sea. This reminded me how close she was to our dear friend Shirley Hoffman. i am sure they are laughing together now, wondering why we are sad. For they are in the sunlight of the Spirit, together with all those others friend we loved. Ginny

Ginny Braddock - July 15, 2013 at 10:38 PM

NA

“ I will always remember Louise as one of the long-time Salvation Army volunteers who years ago so warmly welcomed me as a new volunteer helping to set up the Christmas Cheer Shop. Her dedication, kindness and loving spirit encouraged me and others to return to that task year after year. Because of Louise, many children and families in Horry County know that our community cares for them.

Nancy Anderson

Nancy Anderson - July 15, 2013 at 07:44 PM

NL

“ Louise will always be remembered with a special fondness. She was a true christian and a loyal friend. Louise never tired of serving Our Lord and her fellow man. She is probably serving Jesus a cup of coffee, at this very moment. We, who loved her, will remember her kindness and always hold a special place in our hearts, for Louise O.



Norm & Sandy Vander Laan - July 15, 2013 at 08:58 AM

BE

“ Louise was the best example of a Christian that I knew. She was one of my last two links to Shirley Hoffman. After Shirley's death we roomed together at Serenity by the Sea for her remaining years. These last few months, Louise and I wrote each other every week. She was as positive and brave to the end as anyone I have ever known. I will keep and treasure her letters forever. I loved her and will miss her until I see her once again. Thank you. God, for putting her in our lives.



Belinda - July 15, 2013 at 03:28 AM