



## Mr. Jerry Jeffery Wesley

January 4, 1955 - November 30, 2025

Jerry Jeffery Wesley passed away November 30, 2025. He was born on January 4, 1956, in Kansas City Missouri. He grew up and was reared on the east side of Kansas City. He attended local schools and graduated from high school in 1974.

Jerry was very active in sports. When he was in his early 20s, he played for a semi-professional football team. He loved to play golf and enjoy watching football, baseball, and basketball games with his brother Charles.

He had a career in the security field. He worked as a security guard at the IRS and was instrumental in helping establish a Union. He retired from the IRS in 2018.

He was an active member of Friendship Baptist Church. He joined the church in 1995. He was ordained as a deacon in April of 2006 and served as usher board president from 2004 until 2010.

He was a member of the WMU Joanna Circle. He drove for the bus ministry that helped seniors in need. He was active member of the Sunday School Department and attended Wonderful Wednesday Bible Study. During this time, he met and married fellow member deaconess Dianne Heggie.

Jerry and Jon Ella Hoggatt parented three children, Jennifer, Jerry (Mikey),

and Jerborie. Jerry and Audrey, parented two children, Christopher Sweeten, and Brandy Sweeten. He is also the father to Brendan Messick. Jerry has five sisters and three brothers.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jerry S. Wesley, and Martha Matt Williamson, his sister, Mary Anderson, and two brothers, John Anderson, and Charles Robinson Anderson.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Dianne Jeffery; his brother, Harry Anderson; brother-in-law, Keith Grahl; niece, Josie Anderson; 6 children; 20 grandchildren; and 28 great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, other relative and friends.

Funeral Services were held on Thursday December 18, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at Friendship Baptist Church 3530 Chelsea Drive KCMO 64128. Private Disposition. Visitation: 10 – 11:00 a.m. at the Church. Arrangements entrusted to Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapels. Condolences may be shared on our website [lawrenceajones.com](http://lawrenceajones.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Friendship Baptist Church  
3530 Chelsea Drive  
Kansas City, MO 64128

## Funeral Service

DEC 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *I loved being around him. Especially on Elmwood and we would have huge 4th of July bashes every year. I miss Mr Jerry very much.*

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**Nick Mayweather** - March 04 at 12:20 PM



“ *JERRY was great at his job and was always smiling and laughing and talking sports at his job Scott*

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**Scott gold** - December 20, 2025 at 11:50 AM



“ *Jerry and his family along with my family grew up on 56 st and Olive, our condolences to the family rest in peace Jerry .The Townsend "s family.*

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**The Townsend Family** - December 18, 2025 at 12:09 AM