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KAREN FAYE JONES

Karen Faye Jones, 53, of Bryson City, North Carolina, passed away August 12, 2021 at the John Keever Solace Center in Asheville, NC. She was preceded in death by her father Augustus W. Jones.

Karen was born in Jacksonville, and grew up in Yulee, attending school in Yulee and Fernandina Beach. She spent her senior year at West Nassau where she graduated. She then attended FCCJ to become an LPN. She worked in doctor's offices and nursing homes for several years in NE FL and SE GA before moving to Bryson City, NC in 2002, where she continued nursing for many years. She was compassionate and a good listener, beloved by the people she cared for.

Karen had many interests in her life, but her greatest passion was fishing the lakes, rivers and creeks of Western North Carolina with her companion Steve Mintz.

Survivors include her mother Mildred (Jean) Braddock Jones; her loving sons Dylan Hunter Jones, Dixon Tucker Brand and Dawson Augustus Brand; her sister Sherry Jones; her brother Garry Jones; her aunt Linda Brazell; two nieces, a nephew, and many cousins.

A private service for her family will be held at a later date. A memorial contribution may be made to a charity of your choosing, or a hospice care center in your area.