



Irene Thornton Waller

August 1, 1946 - June 16, 2022

Mrs. Irene T. Waller born August 1, 1946, in Hartwell, Ga to the late Ruby Nell Walker and James Thornton. Mrs. Waller attended Hart County School systems and moved to Gainesville at the tender age of 20. She was married to her wonderful husband of 25 years, the late Mr. James Edward Waller Sr. She was Baptist of faith. Where she grew up attending New Hope in Hartwell, Ga. She then moved her membership to Greater Timber Ridge Baptist Church. She was a member of the choir, deaconess board, kitchen committee, usher board and pastor aides. She worked for Peachtree Windows and Doors for many years where she later retired. Her passion was gardening her vegetables and planting her flowers. You could also find her in the kitchen whipping up some of the best meals for her family and the community she lived in. Her neighbors would show their appreciation by gifting her the things she loved "Flowers"

Mrs. Waller is preceded in death by her late husbands Mr. James Geter and Mr. James Waller Sr. Her brother John Lee Thornton who was a twin. Sister- Julia Thornton the other twin and Doris T. Hickman.

She leaves to cherish her memory to her daughter Johanna (Johnnie) Cade of Gainesville, Ga and son James (Phyllis) Geter of Lawrenceville, Ga. Bonus children Melinda Hutchins of Norcross, Ga, James (Sue) Waller Jr of Michigan, and Cortney (Tyrone) Ellison of Gainesville, Ga. Brother Melvin Thornton of Gainesville, Ga. Grandkids- Kissy Thornton of Gainesville, Ga, Teasha "Irene" Thornton of Braselton, Ga, Natasha Thornton of Gainesville,

GA, Antoinette Geter of San Antonio, Tx, Isaiah Thornton of Gainesville, Ga
Frances Geter of Lawrenceville, Ga. Bonus Grandchildren- Shadera and
Ni'javia Cade of Elberton, Ga, Jauvis, Kasheena and Keyona Singleton,
JaVohn Hutchins all of Norcross, Ga., Candid and Joshua Waller of Michigan.
Brother and Sister in Laws- Billy (Betty) Waller, Michael (Diane) Waller, Evelyn
Lay, Denise Gibson and Dorothy Waller all of Gainesville, Ga. 8 great
grandchildren, 7 great-great grandchildren along with bonus grandchildren
and great grandchildren. One special daughter Evelyn Cade. A host of
nephews, nieces, special friends and 2 granddogs.

Cemetery Details

Greater Timber Ridge Garden Cemetery

2225 Greater Timber Ridge Circle
Gainesville , GA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 25. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wimberly Funeral Home
325 Summitt St SE
Gainesville, GA 30501
(770) 536-3251
info@wimberlyjackson.com
<https://www.wimberlyjacksonfuneralhome.com>

Receiving Friends

JUN 25. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Saint John Baptist Church
757 EE Butler Parkway
Gainesville, GA 30501

Tribute Wall



“ *Irene Thornton Waller*

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *Wanda Tabor-Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Wanda Tabor-Jenkins - September 27, 2022 at 02:35 PM



“ *Mother Waller you are one of the last ones. I have many memories that I could share. But in front of God and twelve other white men, and I don't have to, because you work's speak for you, but I thank you for all you done for me and about me. What in the world is Greater Timber Ridge Baptist Church going to do without you. I miss you already. Please let Bonita know that I love her and miss her even more*

Allen Cummings - September 15, 2022 at 05:17 AM



“ *Our condolences to the Family, praying for each of you 🙏🙏🙏*

*Robin Tanner
Killeen Texas*

Robin Tanner - June 26, 2022 at 12:08 AM

ML

“ Marion Lott lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Marion Lott - June 25, 2022 at 07:15 PM

MT

“ Martha Thompson lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Martha Thompson - June 25, 2022 at 02:18 AM

ZH

“ I love Irene this Marion hickman u was best



Zack hickman - June 24, 2022 at 09:11 PM

ZH

“ I miss u Irene this Zack Hickman u was best I wish hugging u and ur cooking and u taught me a lot love rip

Zack hickman - June 24, 2022 at 09:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Irene Thornton Waller.*



June 24, 2022 at 05:59 PM



“ *Your New Horizons Lanier Park Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Irene Thornton Waller.*



Your New Horizons Lanier Park Family - June 24, 2022 at 10:52 AM



“ *Praying for God's love and comfort to the family.*
Love,
Sheila Hamilton family.



sheila Hamiton, Wilson - June 23, 2022 at 10:13 PM



“ *My Deepest Condolences...Praying for the family*



Deborah Collins - June 23, 2022 at 12:11 PM



“ *Whole Her lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Whole Her - June 22, 2022 at 11:32 PM



“ *Praying for u and ur family* 🙏🙏🙏🙏



Whole Her - June 22, 2022 at 11:31 PM



“ *My condolences to the family and all impacted by the loss of Mrs Irene. She will be greatly missed by many and you all are in my prayers*



Courtney Jackson - June 22, 2022 at 10:06 PM



“ *Joyce Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Joyce Mitchell - June 22, 2022 at 08:25 PM



“ *Nana Neal lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Nana Neal - June 22, 2022 at 09:14 AM



“Thinking of you at this difficult time.”

Nana Neal - June 22, 2022 at 09:18 AM

MH

“ *Melinda Hutchins sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Melinda Hutchins - June 21, 2022 at 11:39 PM

NT

“ *Ms. Johanna, Kissy, Teasha and Nana I am sorry to hear of the passing of Ms. Irene. You are in my thoughts and prayers!*



Nikiya Few Thompson - June 21, 2022 at 10:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Irene Thornton Waller.*



June 21, 2022 at 09:32 PM



“ *Gail Lipscomb lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Gail Lipscomb - June 21, 2022 at 08:34 PM



I absolutely adored Irene with her infectious smile and laugh... she was one of my mom's favorite friends 💕

Gail Lipscomb - June 21, 2022 at 08:37 PM



“ *Sallie, Linda, Samantha Amd Eureka Geter lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Sallie, Linda, Samantha amd Eureka Geter - June 21, 2022 at 08:26 PM

CH

“ *Candace Hudson lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Candace Hudson - June 21, 2022 at 08:13 PM

AS

“ *Andrea Smith lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*




Andrea Smith - June 21, 2022 at 07:54 PM

EB

“ *Elisa Bonds-Ratliff sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Elisa Bonds-Ratliff - June 21, 2022 at 07:35 PM

 NaNa Thornton

“ *So to you grandma, I say thank you. Thank you for being the incredible woman you were. I'm so thankful to have had the connection we did it's gonna be hard to go on. But I know you're always there, and you will always guide me and protect me.*



NaNa Thornton - June 21, 2022 at 06:52 PM

MH

“ Minister Phyllis Hollis-Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Minister Phyllis Hollis-Smith - June 21, 2022 at 06:39 PM

RS

“ Rev. Dextory Smith lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Rev. Dextory Smith - June 21, 2022 at 06:29 PM

TT

“ Granny I love you 4L. I'll continue to be the woman you raised me to be. I got your babies and they'll continue to succeed and make you proud. I'll see you when I get there so save a seat for me baby.

Teasha Thornton - June 21, 2022 at 06:12 PM

QW

“ I love you granny. I am going to miss you so much ❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️



Qunna White - June 21, 2022 at 06:00 PM

Mary Moore

“ *Mary Moore lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Mary Moore - June 21, 2022 at 05:56 PM

Mary Moore

“ *Mary Moore lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Mary Moore - June 21, 2022 at 05:55 PM

JC

“ *Mother you going to be miss I love you with everything in me until we meet again*



Johanna cade - June 21, 2022 at 05:55 PM

VG

“ *For Irene Waller I'm going to miss you granny*



Vivian GREENE - June 21, 2022 at 05:55 PM

DB

“ *Praying for the family!!*



Demia Borders - June 21, 2022 at 05:53 PM

CS

“ *Constance Sosebee lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Constance Sosebee - June 21, 2022 at 05:53 PM

CF

“ *Cathy Shields And Family lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Cathy Shields and Family - June 21, 2022 at 05:52 PM

KT

“ *Grandma I love you. And I miss you so much rest easy queen until I see you again.*



kissy thornton - June 21, 2022 at 05:07 PM

HF

“ Hopkins’s Family lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Hopkins’s Family - June 21, 2022 at 02:59 PM

GM

“ Gloria K. Maddox lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Gloria K. Maddox - June 21, 2022 at 02:36 PM

DB

“ Deanna Burris-Rucker lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Deanna Burris-Rucker - June 21, 2022 at 02:03 PM

CN

“ Charlene & Avery Niles lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Charlene & Avery Niles - June 21, 2022 at 12:05 PM

JM

“ Juanita Muckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Juanita Muckle - June 21, 2022 at 01:30 AM

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“ Juanita Muckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Juanita Muckle - June 21, 2022 at 01:28 AM



“ Shelia Williams lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Shelia Williams - June 20, 2022 at 10:21 PM



“ Shelia Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Shelia Williams - June 20, 2022 at 10:20 PM



“ *Shelia Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Shelia Williams - June 20, 2022 at 10:20 PM

SA

“ 🐼🐼🐼 *dance monkey*

sarah - June 20, 2022 at 10:01 PM

CR

“ *Carolyn Robinson sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Carolyn Robinson - June 20, 2022 at 07:38 PM

CR

“ *Carolyn Robinson lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller*



Carolyn Robinson - June 20, 2022 at 07:37 PM

ML

“ Marion Lott lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Marion Lott - June 20, 2022 at 07:27 PM

RT

“ Richard Trammell lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Richard Trammell - June 20, 2022 at 07:27 PM

RT

My Condolences to the family

Richard Trammell - June 20, 2022 at 07:31 PM

BF

“ Bertha Martin & Family lit a candle in memory of Irene Thornton Waller



Bertha Martin & family - June 20, 2022 at 04:15 PM



“ *Dorothy Bolden sent a virtual gift in memory of Irene Thornton Waller* ”



Dorothy Bolden - June 20, 2022 at 02:05 PM