



## Joanne Ware

November 9, 1946 - June 17, 2022

Ms. Joanne Ware was a caring mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She departed this earthly life on Friday, June 17, 2022, after serving 75 years on the Lord's battlefield.

Joanne was born on November 9, 1946, to the union of Boots and Delma Ware in Gainesville, Ga. The fifth of 11 children. She accepted Christ at an early age at Sanders Chapel (later renamed Rucker Memorial Baptist Church) and began to carry out her mission. She received her formal education at EE Bulter.

Ms. Ware moved to Jacksonville, Fl, in 1985 and continued to carry out her mission at St, John Missionary Baptist Church. She served on the Usher Board, Pastors Aid Board, Church Anniversary Committee as well as many other areas of the church.

Joanne had a servant's heart and a smile that could light up a room. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, home decorating, traveling, landscaping and gardening.

Joanne is preceded in death by her parents (Boots and Delma Ware), one brother, Leroy Randolph, three sisters, Annie Lois Ware Thomas, Janet K. Ware and Doris A. Ware.

Joanne's celebration of life will be remembered by her three daughters, Marcia Brown (Michael) of Clinton, MD., Lisa Ware Howard (Alfonzo) of Upper Marlboro, MD and Angela W. Edwards (Roddy) of Tuscaloosa, Al, 2 grandchildren, Amber Edwards and Roddy D. Edwards, Jr. of Tuscaloosa, Al.

Life long Friend, Melvin Faulkner, Jr. Her siblings, Herschel Wells, Johnny (Mattie Lee) Harris, Jerrald Ware , Brenda Mize all of Gainesville, Ga. Bernice Ware of Decatur, Ga.; Michael (Janet) Ware of Hampton, Ga and Edna Parker of Norfolk, Va. Sister's in Love, LeJerdis(Reggie) Johnson and Betty Lou Chester.

Daughters in Love, Patricia Kidd, Katrina Norris and Sylvia Smith. Sons in Love, Travis (Meco) Hawks and James Demetrius Smith. Best Friend (BFF) Terri Hargrove affectionately known as "Lou Lou". Very dear friends, Vandalia Smith, Cheryl Bohannah, Debra Lewis, Terrell(Tammy) Faulkner and members of "The Birthday Club". A host of nieces, nephews, friends and church members.

# Cemetery Details

## Alta Vista Cemetery

521 Jones Street  
Gainesville, GA 30501

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **22**. 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 **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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JUN **23**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Rucker Memorial Baptist Church  
2551 Floyd Rd  
Gainesville, GA 30507

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joanne Ware*

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *Martha Thompsno lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



Martha thompsno - June 25, 2022 at 02:15 AM



“ *Prayers to the family*



Shirley blake - June 24, 2022 at 07:25 PM



“ *Will love you always, Sister-Sister. I miss you, but I can't help but rejoice that you are with our Lord.*



Jan Ware - June 24, 2022 at 06:46 AM

KS

“ *Kimberly Sims lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Kimberly sims** - June 23, 2022 at 03:59 PM

DC

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



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**Deborah Collins** - June 23, 2022 at 12:05 PM

IT

“ *Integration and Testing Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joanne Ware.*



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**Integration and Testing Team** - June 23, 2022 at 10:04 AM

EL

“ *Elisha lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Elisha** - June 23, 2022 at 09:51 AM

DB

“ *Daphne Brownlee lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



Daphne Brownlee - June 23, 2022 at 09:10 AM

JC

“ *Janeen Bloss Conley lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



Janeen Bloss Conley - June 23, 2022 at 07:04 AM

JM

“ *Sending Love and Prayers to the family* 🙏



Joyce Mitchell - June 22, 2022 at 08:32 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joanne Ware.*



June 22, 2022 at 10:23 AM



“ *Nana Neal sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware*



Nana Neal - June 22, 2022 at 09:23 AM



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“ *Star Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware*



Star Johnson - June 21, 2022 at 10:41 PM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Star Johnson** - June 21, 2022 at 10:40 PM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Star Johnson** - June 21, 2022 at 10:40 PM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Star Johnson** - June 21, 2022 at 10:39 PM

CH

“ *Candace Hudson lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware*



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**Candace Hudson** - June 21, 2022 at 08:15 PM

MH

“ Minister Phyllis Hollis-Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Minister Phyllis Hollis-Smith - June 21, 2022 at 06:42 PM

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Minister Phyllis Hollis-Smith - June 21, 2022 at 06:42 PM

TJ

“ Toni Johnson lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



Toni Johnson - June 21, 2022 at 03:43 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joanne Ware.



June 21, 2022 at 03:40 PM

TJ

“ Toni Johnson lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



Toni Johnson - June 21, 2022 at 03:39 PM

TJ

My Condolences to the ware family, keeping you all in my prayers 🙏

Toni Johnson - June 21, 2022 at 03:42 PM

TF

“ Our Condolences, goes out to the Ware's family, from the Norman's Family, may God comfort you'll..

The Norman Family - June 21, 2022 at 03:29 PM

TF

“ The Norman Family lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



The Norman Family - June 21, 2022 at 03:23 PM

HF

“ Hopkins's Family lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



Hopkins's Family - June 21, 2022 at 02:57 PM



“ Dorothy Bolden sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Dorothy Bolden - June 21, 2022 at 02:46 PM



“ Gloria K. Maddox sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Gloria K. Maddox - June 21, 2022 at 02:29 PM



“ Deanna Burris-Rucker sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Deanna Burris-Rucker - June 21, 2022 at 01:35 PM



Marcia, Lisa, and Angela, I am sending you my deepest sympathy and condolences during the loss of Mrs. Joanne.

Deanna Burris-Rucker - June 21, 2022 at 01:37 PM



“ My Deepest Condolences to the Ware & the Mize Families.

Quinté Cheeks - June 21, 2022 at 01:25 PM

CD

“ Sorry to hear about Joanne Ware. Praying for your family that God give you the strength you need during his time in your life.

Clara Dorsey - June 21, 2022 at 01:22 PM

CN

“ Charlene & Avery Niles lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



Charlene & Avery Niles - June 21, 2022 at 12:03 PM

YT

“ My deepest sympathy to the Ware Family.



Yasmin Thompson - June 21, 2022 at 10:07 AM

SF

“ Shirley Barnes And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Shirley Barnes and Family - June 21, 2022 at 08:01 AM

JM

“ Juanita Muckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



Juanita Muckle - June 21, 2022 at 01:24 AM

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“ Juanita Muckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Joanne Ware



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



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Joanne Ware.



June 20, 2022 at 11:56 PM



“ Shelia Williams lit a candle in memory of Joanne Ware



Shelia Williams - June 20, 2022 at 10:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joanne Ware.*



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June 20, 2022 at 09:27 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Church*



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**Sylvia Smith** - June 20, 2022 at 08:56 PM



*Church and Pastor's Anniversary Chairs*

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**Sylvia Smith** - June 20, 2022 at 08:59 PM



“ *Sending My Condolences And Prayers Out To The Ware Family 🙏🙏💕💕*



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**Regina Harris** - June 20, 2022 at 07:42 PM

BP

“ A dear friend, Joanne Ware, gone to soon! I will miss all of our telephone conversations! You fought the good fight, now rest in the arms of our Heavenly Father until I see you again! My deepest condolences to your three beautiful daughters and the rest of your family and friends! Please know that my thoughts and cherished memories of Joanne will always be with me. I met Joanne over 20 years ago and formed a friendship that I have cherish over the years. I pray that your precious memories of your Mom and the sympathy of her many, many friends help to comfort you at this time! Blessing!!!!

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**Bernice Parker** - June 20, 2022 at 05:13 PM

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**Bernice Parker** - June 20, 2022 at 05:08 PM

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**Bernice Parker** - June 20, 2022 at 05:02 PM



“ Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Joanne Ware.



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June 20, 2022 at 02:40 PM