



## Rubie Lee Brawner

January 10, 1933 - April 10, 2021

Mrs. Ruby Lee Pierce Brawner was born January 10, 1933 to the late Charlie and Gussie (Randolph) Pierce. She departed this life at Northeast Georgia Medical Center April 10, 2021. Mrs. Brawner was a member of the Black Springs Baptist Church in Commerce, Georgia serving faithfully for over 60 years assisting as the church treasurer. She also served at Antioch Baptist Church, Gainesville, Georgia for several years. She was associated with several local churches. She was a member of The Gainesville Prayer Band where she served as President for over forty years. She was also a volunteer for Meals on Wheels, a member of the North East Georgia Medical Center Volunteer Auxiliary for over forty years. In addition to volunteering, she also served the Prison Ministry, a member of the Sunshine Club and the Recipient of the 2018 Girl Scouts Women of Distinction Award. She was preceded in death by her husband Mr. Wallace Brawner; her daughter Sandra Brawner Harris; sisters: Alice Pierce, Melba Pierce; brothers: John D. Pierce, Charles M. Pierce; and son-in-law Freddie Stovall. She leaves to mourn her passing children: Shirley (Roger) Stephens, Carolyn Millsap, Wallace (Betsy) Brawner, Jr. (Pastor of The Cathedral, Frankfort, Ky), and Yonnah B. Stovall, eight grandchildren, four great grandchildren , 1 great- great granddaughter. Sisters Ida Mae Wise, Odessa Richie , Bell Pierce, Frances Wiley, and Betty Chester. And a host nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Due to COVID restrictions, please visit Wimberly Facebook page for live services.



# Cemetery Details

## Alta Vista Cemetery

521 Jones Street  
Gainesville, GA 30501

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **15**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Service

APR **16**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rubie Lee Brawner*

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *Angelia Swann*



**Angelia Thompson Swann** - April 30, 2021 at 08:17 PM



“ *Our sympathy to all the family and friends. May God wrap his arm around you and take care of you all.*



**Paul and Dorothy Edmond** - April 30, 2021 at 12:53 AM



“ *Charlene & Avery Niles sent a virtual gift in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



**Charlene & Avery Niles** - April 28, 2021 at 08:58 AM

CA

“ Carolyn Ates sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Rubie Lee Brawner



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**Carolyn Ates** - April 27, 2021 at 08:04 AM

RB

“ Rev. H. Champale Brown lit a candle in  
memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



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**Rev. H. Champale Brown** - April 16, 2021 at 01:04 PM

EW

“ Eloise Y. Sheats, Teresa Wilder lit a candle in  
memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



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**Eloise Y. Sheats, Teresa Wilder** - April 16, 2021 at 12:07 PM

VA

“ Auntie Rubie,  
Thanks for all that you did for the community  
at large, and for your family. My mama loved  
you dearly, and would always speak so highly  
of you. I'm not worried about your journey and  
where you're going because I know that you did your very best here  
on this earth and will gladly be accepted into his loving arms 🙏🙏🙏  
! To my cousin's, I love you all & I know the pain of losing a Mother. I  
will have you all in my prayers.



*Valerie Mintz*

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**Valerie** - April 16, 2021 at 11:48 AM



“ Frances Williams lit a candle in memory of  
Rubie Lee Brawner



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**Frances Williams** - April 16, 2021 at 11:35 AM



*Treasure the good memories.*

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**Frances Williams** - April 16, 2021 at 11:38 AM

MJ

“ Another faithful servant has gone home. Truly Sister Brawner will be missed. It was always a blessing just to be in her presence. To Sister Shirley & Family: May God give you strength when yours is gone, may His grace and mercy carry you on, may the unending love that He has for you revive your heart and see you through. In prayer, sympathy, and love, Pastor & Mrs. Arthur W. Jones



Min. Deborah Jones - April 16, 2021 at 09:11 AM

YT

“ My condolences to the Brawner Family



Yasmin Thompson - April 15, 2021 at 11:17 PM

CM

“ I would always love to be in revival with her She would bring spirit with her and that added to the service. Gainesville will truly miss her. I will miss her. Always kind. When I loss my son she reached out to me snd I will always remember that. A lovely lady.

Cornelia Martin - April 15, 2021 at 08:47 PM

BT

“ Shirley so sorry about your sweet mom she was a wonderful lady I loved her so much but we all know heaven gained a beautiful angel love you prayers hugs



Barbara Thomas - April 15, 2021 at 06:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 15, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Rev Ted and Alease Kelly purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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**Rev Ted and Alease Kelly** - April 15, 2021 at 10:23 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 15, 2021 at 09:16 AM



“ *Michael Leverette lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Michael Leverette** - April 14, 2021 at 10:33 PM



“ Sooo sorry to hear about the passing of Mrs. Ruby. I had the privilege to know her through our church-Antioch Baptist Church. We enjoyed Sunday school every Sunday. We are going to miss her dearly. Prayers for the family! Love Kaunili Hughey ❤️🙏

Kaunili Dillard-Hughey - April 14, 2021 at 07:45 PM

TS

“ What a Great and Godly Lady....i enjoyed my association with my Sweet Sister, Ms. Rubie....i'm sure She heard, "Well Done, You were a Good and Faithful Servant".

God's peace to YOU ALL...

Dr tom Smiley  
Lakewood Baptist Church.

Tom Smiley - April 14, 2021 at 05:28 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.



April 14, 2021 at 02:25 PM

DC

“ Deborah Collins lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Deborah Collins - April 14, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 14, 2021 at 11:46 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 14, 2021 at 08:23 AM



“ *I am going to miss hearing you say hey baby how are you doing? Tell your daddy I said hello. I will miss your voice and especially hearing you say truly, truly, truly. When I worked at Burger King and you asked me who I was and I told you who my family was, you said we're related by marriage. My father confirmed it. We developed a close relationship. Now you are with our Heavenly Father. Job well done beautiful! I will see you again!*



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**Nikiya Few Thompson** - April 14, 2021 at 07:29 AM

SH

“ *Shirleyblake lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Shirleyblake** - April 14, 2021 at 07:27 AM

SH

*Love you so much MS brawner will miss you so much*

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**Shirleyblake** - April 14, 2021 at 07:28 AM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Star Johnson** - April 14, 2021 at 05:58 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 13, 2021 at 09:15 PM

JG

“ Joycelyn Hailey Glasper lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Joycelyn Hailey Glasper - April 13, 2021 at 08:54 PM

AN

“ Mrs. Rubie Brawner, You will "Truly" be missed. May God welcome you home.

Pastor and Mrs. Adrian Niles



Adrian Niles - April 13, 2021 at 08:22 PM

MM

“ Mattie L Mathis sent a virtual gift in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Mattie L Mathis - April 13, 2021 at 06:37 PM

SW

“ Mrs. Brawner will truly be missed. She always had a big smile and a sweet spirit. She was well known at the Gainesville Police Department not only for her outgoing personality but for her famous sweet potato pie! Prayers of peace and comfort for her family and friends. Rest peacefully Mrs. Brawner.



Sharon Williams - April 13, 2021 at 05:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rubie Lee Brawner.*



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April 13, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ *Deanna Burris-Rucker lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Deanna Burris-Rucker** - April 13, 2021 at 01:53 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about mrs. Browner. She was a beautiful person. Praying that God give her family strength to go on during this time.*  
*Clara R Dorsey*

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**Clara R Dorsey** - April 13, 2021 at 11:35 AM



“ *Gloria Maddox sent a virtual gift in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Gloria Maddox** - April 13, 2021 at 10:21 AM

JM

“ Sending Love and prayers to the family 🙏🙏  
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**Joyce Mitchell** - April 13, 2021 at 07:21 AM

TL

“ Anybody ever get the feeling that G-D is getting very picky, even more so these days?  
I mean people do expire. As humans with a beginning, we must have an ending. We die.  
We are very good at that. Things being as they are, we don't need anyone behind us going" hurup you is taking too long". Such a short time. A life spent making mistakes, learning from them and correcting them if we are honest with ourselves and those we love that is. We seldom are. Learn a few things maybe raise a young'un or 2; a reasonably good marriage or someone you'd miss terribly if they were gone. I for one am very very glad, pleased, offer my most deepest Thank You's to He That Makes it all Worth the suffering. If not later on, in the by and by y'all.

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**The Pricil Love** - April 13, 2021 at 02:49 AM

AH

“ Angela Hayes lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



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**Angela Hayes** - April 13, 2021 at 02:28 AM

AH

*I will miss u my friend❤️ u rest in heaven*

**Angela Hayes** - April 13, 2021 at 02:29 AM

DR

“ *Shirley, My Deepest Sympathies to you and your family. May you always feel her presence in your heart and soul. Diane Robertson*



**Diane Robertson** - April 12, 2021 at 10:11 PM

SS

*Diane I think lost your phone number. Give me a call when you get a chance. My number is 770-869-3552*

**Shirley Stephens** - April 13, 2021 at 10:29 PM

VW

“ *Sending our condolences from Maudine Williams and family. Ms. Brawner had such a beautiful soul and voice. We will miss her coming to SMBC here in Lula, whenever Rev Wimberly is the Quest Speaker. She had such a sweet presence, when she came around. She will be "TRULY" missed. To the family I 🙏 pray for strength and comfort during this bereavement period. Black Dr. want be the same without her being there. Love💕 to all! From Valerie Williams*

**Valerie Williams** - April 12, 2021 at 09:24 PM

PJ

“ *My deepest condolences sending love and prayers. Mrs Brawner was such a sweet and lovely lady will truly be missed💔*



**Pamela jackson** - April 12, 2021 at 08:57 PM

GC

“ Beautiful lady with a beautiful personality! So sorry to hear of her passing. Prayers for her precious family. Gary & Bobbie Cox



Gary/Bobbie Cox - April 12, 2021 at 05:49 PM

WT

“ Prayers and Condolences to the Family. She was a very sweet lady 🙏



Wanda Tabor-Jenkins - April 12, 2021 at 04:15 PM

LD

“ The family has my prayers and condolences as your hearts are hurting over Ruby's passing. What an inspiration she was and will continue to be!

Lianne Daniel - April 12, 2021 at 10:42 AM

AN

You knew you were in GOD'S house when you. heard Ms Ruby talking to him. I know she and God are having a conversation we would all benefit from.  
Prayers for the family

ANNIE - April 12, 2021 at 01:36 PM



“ *Nana Neal sent a virtual gift in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Nana Neal** - April 12, 2021 at 09:31 AM

JS

“ *Heaven is rejoicing for another soul. Ms Ruby was an inspiration, a model woman. Her hospitality was warm and welcoming. She had an uplifted persona. We served on the missionary board. Ms Ruby went out of her way to service others. My prayers are going up for you all.*

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**Jeraldine Sewell** - April 12, 2021 at 09:04 AM

JS

“ *Jeraldine Sewell lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Jeraldine Sewell** - April 12, 2021 at 08:51 AM



“ *Tonette Underwood lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Tonette Underwood** - April 12, 2021 at 08:42 AM

PM

“ Priscilla Martin lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Priscilla Martin - April 12, 2021 at 08:23 AM

TP

“ Theresa Anderson Puryear lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Theresa Anderson Puryear - April 12, 2021 at 08:11 AM

JM

“ Juanita Muckle sent a virtual gift in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Juanita Muckle - April 12, 2021 at 06:27 AM

KB

“ Kimberly Bryant lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner



Kimberly Bryant - April 12, 2021 at 12:45 AM

KB

“ *Sending my prayers and sincere condolences to the family. Well done thy good and faithful servant.*

Kimberly Bryant - April 12, 2021 at 12:43 AM

SJ

“ *Stephanie Thorpe Jones lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



Stephanie Thorpe Jones - April 11, 2021 at 11:06 PM

AG

“ *Our sincere condolences to the Brawner and Stephens family.*  
*Apryl Gates*



Apryl Gates - April 11, 2021 at 09:44 PM

HF

“ *Hopkins Family lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



Hopkins Family - April 11, 2021 at 09:23 PM

AP

“ *Aprilcoleman lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Aprilcoleman** - April 11, 2021 at 07:13 PM

RT

“ *Richard Trammell lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Richard Trammell** - April 11, 2021 at 06:51 PM

RT

*My Condolences and prayers to the family*

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**Richard Trammell** - April 11, 2021 at 06:54 PM

SJ

“ *Star Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rubie Lee Brawner*



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**Star Johnson** - April 11, 2021 at 06:44 PM