



## Ruthie Dabney

February 24, 1958 - May 18, 2021

Mrs. Ruthie Copenhaver Dabney, 63, passed away on Tuesday, May 18, 2021. A Memorial Service will be held at 11 AM on Tuesday, May 25, 2021 at Georgia Veterans Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Dabney was a native of Pontiac, Michigan and had made her home in Washington County for the past 24 years. She was the daughter of the late Samuel and Mintie Runion Copenhaver, and was preceded in death by her husband, Gary Dabney.

She is survived by her daughter, Melissa Jones of Milledgeville; sons, Travis "Bud" Konzelman of Augusta, and Timothy Konzelman (Cheyenne) of Milledgeville; sisters, Susan Reed (Jim) of Deepstep, and Joann O'dell (Bob) of Oklahoma; brother, Stan Copenhaver (Judy) of Texas; 5 grandchildren, Kathleen, Kimberly, Kamden, Kei'Lani, and Aryannah; great grandchildren, Addisynn, Brookelynn, Kensington, Ridge; and her dog, Bubba.

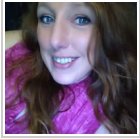
# Previous Events

## Service

MAY **25**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Georgia Veteran's Memorial Cemetery  
2617 Vinson Hwy  
Milledgeville, GA 31061

# Tribute Wall



“ Oh my. I didn't know that Ruthie had passed away until just this moment. I could never reply the kindness Ruthie and her husband paid to me when I was a child. They let a total stranger come and stay with them to get away from an abusive boyfriend- they opened their homes and their hearts, and they saved my life. ♡ Ms. Ruthie, you will NEVER be forgotten. ♡

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**Golda Tipton** - March 24, 2025 at 03:28 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Friends at JMG 🙏❤️😊🇺🇸



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**luther Minor** - May 29, 2021 at 07:15 PM

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“ Our prayers are with you. Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.



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**Luther Minor** - May 20, 2021 at 05:27 AM

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“ Hey Auntie Ruthie I'm so sorry I never got to meet you but your in a much better place where you are so loved rip I love you

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**Anna Smith** - May 20, 2021 at 02:33 AM

TJ

“ There's so many things I'll hold dear to my heart. There's a couple things thou that I get a kick out of... one year, I was around 21, I decided I was going to use an ice cube & needle to give me another earing hole.. Ruthie was there she helped me & popped em right thru!! Another time, I was staying w Ruthie & Gary.. I had been warned that she liked to rearrange the furniture during the middle of the night.. what I wasn't expecting was for me to go to bed on the couch on one side of the livingroom & wake up on the other 😬😬😬

😬 Yea that had me puzzled for a bit.. as she stood in the kitchen, drinking her coffee & laughing at me the whole time!!! 😬😬 She had a sense of humor.. she would crack jokes & b as serious as can b.. you really had to wait & watch her to b sure if it was a joke or for real!!! I was lucky to inherit that from her thou!! 😬😬 I loved my aunt dearly, I wish I could had lived closer the past 20 years to b around them both more. I always enjoyed their presence!!! She loved Gary so much.. they are the true meaning of Soul Flames & Twin Flames together!! Such a rare thing to get to enjoy!!! She made in 6 months past the loss of Gary. They are reunited again.. their souls will never part!!! I love you so much & miss even that much more "aunt" Ruthie & "uncle" Gary. I'm so glad I got to b a part of ya'll's life span!!! I hope we cross paths again one day!!! Thank you for your generosity, caring, charismatic & loving ways!!! May you both rest in peace now.. till your time gets called again!!! 💕🙏💕🙏💕🙏🌻🌺

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Blessings,

Ya'll's niece,

Tiffiney Copenhaver Jackson 💕

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Tiffiney Jackson - May 19, 2021 at 05:54 PM

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“ My heart 🥹❤️❤️

Fly high my angels 🙌👶👶



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**Kathleen** - May 19, 2021 at 02:30 PM