



Ms. Joanna Thomas

April 8, 2026

Joanna Thomas, age 64 of Wetumpka, Ala. passed away on April 8, 2026. She was born on June 11, 1961, in Selma, Alabama to Floyd Thomas and Janie Lowery. She is preceded in death by her parents Floyd & Janie Thomas, her siblings Buddy Thomas, Susan Mejia and Elijah Jenkins as well as her nephew, Derek Dison. Joann will be remembered for the love she had for her family. She spent her whole adult life living with and taking care of her mother. While she never married, she also had a hand in raising who she referred to as “her babies”, which were her nieces & nephews as well as their children. When counted, “her babies” totaled over 40 people. She never met a stranger, and it has been said that she didn’t want to talk to anyone, but she would talk the ear off of anyone who would listen. She is survived by her brother Joe Thomas (wife Rhonda) and sisters Tammy Dison and Crystal Wallace (husband David). Nieces and nephews: Terry, Jackie, Tracy, Kelly, Amanda, Taelin, Brayden, Josh, CJ, Miah, Jessica, Kristen, David, Tanner. Tripp, Rylee, Courtney, Brodie, Colton, Tabitha, Samantha, Estephani, Nathaniel, Katie, Hannah, Dominic, Zach, Kara, Adria, Kaiden, Jaden, Alaina, Otilia, Kendal, Amidei, Abigail, Tyler, Mikayla, Josiah & Rylie.

Brookside Funeral Home, Crematorium & Memorial Gardens of Millbrook, AL directing.

Tribute Wall

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“ I remember once when we were kids, (I think Joe and I were around 10) Granny, Susie, and Joanna had made plans to go to town that morning. Well, Joe and I also made some plans of our own. Since nobody was going to be home, we thought it was a good day to take a little vacation from school. We went to the bottom of the hill like we were going to catch the bus, but hid as it came down the road and past the house, where we remained till everyone left the house. We had the house to ourselves all day till we were caught by surprise at the sound of Granny, Susie and Joanna, coming into the house. No time to do anything but hide. I remember Granny saying with a little concern in her voice, "someone's been in the house". And Joanna, with pure excitement and smiling add, "and they baked a cake 🍰". It was so funny Joe and I gave ourselves away laughing. She has been pure sunshine her whole life. The world will be a little dimmer now.

Terry Thomas - April 11 at 11:12 AM

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“ My heart goes out to our family at this time. I only knew Joanna when I was a child. Know that my love and prayers are with my family.



Tracey Floyd - April 11 at 12:53 AM