



Grinder "Brenda" Mae Woodall

May 4, 1958 - October 11, 2025

Grinder (Brenda) Mae Woodall was born in Charleston, MS on May 4, 1958 to the late Martha Purdy and Walter Bankston, Sr. She was preceded in death by her parents and 3 siblings: James & Willie Woodall, and Ruthie Conner. Brenda's lifelong memories are spread out through her time in Charleston, MS; Freeport, IL, and Buford, GA. She is truly loved and will be greatly missed.

She leaves precious memories and lifelong love to her 2 sons: DeAngelo (Apple) and George Woodall; 5

grandchildren: Leia, Jace, Chance, Eli, and Aaliyah; 10 siblings: Stacey, Jerry, Walter, Connie, Roenia, Rita Ann, Latasha, William, Antoinette and Mary Oliver-Sledge, and a host of family and friends.

Ms. Woodall received her education in Mississippi and was retired as an assembly line operator for Swiss Colony. She enjoyed cooking, watching movies and spending time with her family and friends.

Whether in her role as a mother, a friend or a community member, she approached every day with a passion that was contagious. Her love was unconditional. A steady and comforting presence that wrapped around her family reminding them that joy can always be found even in the simplest of moments. Her intelligence shone brightly in everything she did. She wasn't just smart. She was a lifelong learner, always curious, always seeking to broaden her horizons. She encouraged all her family to strive for knowledge, to be inquisitive, and to never stop

growing. In the community, Brenda was a beacon of goodness. She engaged with her neighbors, volunteered her time, and supported those in need. Her kindness left an imprint on everyone she met, and her genuine care for others resonated deeply throughout the neighborhood.

The family will receive friends at Flanigan Funeral Home on Saturday, October 18, 2025 from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **18**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 South Lee Street
Buford, GA 30518

Tribute Wall

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“ *Deangelo I'm keeping you and the family close in my thoughts and prayers. Your mom was such a special woman — her light will continue to shine through you all*



angie taylor young - October 17, 2025 at 08:10 PM

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“ *Thinking of you all. Sending love, hugs and prayers* ❤️ ❤️ -



Angie Pro - October 16, 2025 at 01:41 PM

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“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Gearl and Lola Leeper - October 15, 2025 at 05:00 PM

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“ *TO BIG BEE, I LOVE YOU AND WILL ALWAYS MISS YOU, THIS HITS HARD TO MY HEART, PRAYING FOR THE FAMILY PRAYING FOR DEE AND GEORGE. LOVE BIG CUZ DOOKIE LOVE* ❤️

DE JUAN R SHIRD - October 14, 2025 at 08:41 PM



Sending condolences and heartfelt prayers to the family.

Georgina Haynes - October 17, 2025 at 08:17 PM