

Order of SERVICE



PROCESSIONAL

SONG 151 "HE WILL CALL" (instrumental)

CONGREGATIONAL OPENING PRAYER & READING
OF THE OBITUARY

BROTHER JOHN TROUTMAN

TALK

BROTHER DEONTE FERGUSON

CLOSING PRAYER

BROTHER DEONTE FERGUSON

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Expressions of Gratitude

The family of **Patricia Banks** wishes to express our deepest gratitude for the love and support shown during this difficult time. Your kind words, prayers, and presence have been a great comfort to us. We are truly blessed to have such wonderful family and friends by our side. May Jehovah bless you all.

THE FAMILY

Mommy,

Because of you, we took our first breath
and with tears in our eyes
we watched you take your
last breath.

The journey was painful,
But you fought hard to be with your family,
and for that we
are so grateful.

You loved us unconditionally and instilled in us
everything we need to survive.

Our hearts are so heavy
knowing that you are no longer here
for us to lay our heads in your lap
or to shower you with love, but we made sure we
gave you your flowers while you were here.
Rest peacefully, love you will never be forgotten.



Patricia Ann BANKS

AUGUST 17, 1961

JUNE 22, 2026



SATURDAY, JULY 11, 2026 | 1:00 P.M.

KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

**1537 U S Hwy 341
Fort Valley, Georgia**



Remembering
THE LIFE & LEGACY

Patricia Ann Banks, lovingly known to family and friends as “Ping Pong”, was born on August 17, 1961, in Fort Valley, Georgia. Patricia was born to the late Dud and Tinnie Banks.

She peacefully passed away at her home on June 22, 2026, leaving behind a legacy of love, strength, and devotion to her family, friends, and faith. She was preceded in death by her son Steven Banks and her brothers: Willie and Reginald Banks.

Patricia worked faithfully throughout her life, including employment with McDonald's, Jamestown, and Krystal. She later retired after years of dedicated service from Krystal.

A woman of strong faith, she turned her life over to Jehovah and became a devoted member of the Jehovah's Witness on March 15, 2021. Her love for her faith guided her life and relationships. She was a cherished mother, grandmother, sister and friend who touched many lives with her kindness and warm spirit.

Patricia leaves to cherish her loving memory two devoted daughters: Jackie Banks and WyKesia Banks. She was a proud and devoted grandmother to: JaKevin Clark, DeAngelo Banks, Markel Smith (Jimmi), ThaDasia Banks, Thaddeus Banks, Khalil Lowe, and Kaidn Banks; she was also blessed with five great-grandchildren: Katelyn, Kassidy, Kaliyah, Kennedy, and Lei'Lani; siblings: Frederick Banks, Lonnie Banks, Felton Banks, Michelle Mitchell, and Lenice Banks of Fort Valley, Georgia; and Belinda Banks of Warner Robins, Georgia; along with a host of other family members and dear friends.

She will be remembered for her caring heart, her devotion to family, and the many lives she impacted along the way. Patricia leaves behind so many devoted friends and family members who will forever hold her memory close. The family extends a special thanks to Lonnie Banks, Belinda Banks, Keliah Banks-Ward, and all the members of her congregation for their unwavering support, love and presence since day one. You are all truly appreciated and deeply loved.

Patricia Ann Banks will be dearly missed but never forgotten. Her legacy of love will live on in all who knew her.

A LIFE WELL LIVED

Her hands were strong, her heart was kind,

A soul of wisdom, rare to find.

In every moment, love she gave,

A legacy that's sure to stay.

Through laughter shared and lessons taught,

Her presence lingers, never forgot.

She lived with purpose, grace, and pride,

With cherished ones by her side.

In memories bright, she still remains,

A guiding light through joy and pain.

Her gentle strength, her quiet care,

A woman of honor, always there.

Though time has passed and days may fade,

Her love endures, in us it's made.

We carry forth the things she knew,

In every deed, in all we do.

Her life, a gift that's ever near,

Forever loved, forever here.



MEMORIES...

