



## Nerine Smith Barnette

June 30, 1959 - April 18, 2021

Nerine Smith Barnette, 61, passed away on April 18, 2021 in Newnan, GA. Nerine was born on June 30, 1959 in Lagrange, GA to the late William Clarence Smith and Joyce Cleveland Smith. Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her brother, Skipper Smith.

Nerine was a graduate of Georgia Southern University and was a member of the Zeta Sorority. After attending college, she became a highly successful salesperson in the transportation industry. She loved her family, friends, and her dog, Nuggett.

She is survived by her husband of many years, James Barnette; her son, Philip Barnette; sisters, Dodie Smith Hamrick, and Debra Smith James; and brother-in-law, William "Billy" James. She will be greatly missed by her nephews, Clay, Chase, and James and wife Lauren, and grandniece, Halle.

A graveside service to celebrate Nerine will be Thursday, April 22, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. at Senoia City Cemetery with Dr. Wallace McAbee officiating.

Friends can visit with the family from 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street, Newnan, GA 30263.

Condolences may be expressed at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com)

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## **Senoia City Cemetery**

Stallings Road  
Senoia, GA

# Previous Events

## **Graveside Service**

APR **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Graveside Senoia City Cemetery  
Stallings Street  
Senoia, GA 30276

# Tribute Wall

LS

“ *Jim, Debbie, and Dodie...I was so saddened to hear of Nerine's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult. I pray that God will provide peace and comfort to the entire family. Sweet Nerine, may you forever RIP. With Sincerest Condolences.  
Linda Bishop Sutherland*

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**Linda Sutherland** - April 22, 2021 at 11:58 AM

SB

“ *Jim, Our Deepest Sympathy. So very sorry to hear of Nerine's passing. May you feel God's Love and Comfort at this sad time and in the days ahead.  
John & Sherrel Bidne*



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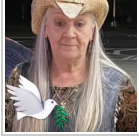
**Sherrel Bidne** - April 22, 2021 at 08:58 AM

PA

“ *My dearest Dodie, Debbie, and Jim. My heartfelt sympathy to you and each of us as Nerine's passing affects an entire community. What wonderful memories shared. A first is how many accidents she had when we were young children in her hurry to get to Doe's when family arrived. Later , Betty and jay would bring her to Miami to surprise me for summer visits. We grew into teenagers together. On our last visit to Senoia , her love and pride in the town were so evident. She loved her family unconditionally. My heart goes out to you. With much love, Patricia.*

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**patricia** - April 22, 2021 at 08:01 AM

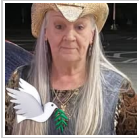


“ Lynn Massengale lit a candle in memory of Nerine Smith Barnette



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Lynn Massengale - April 21, 2021 at 05:47 PM



“ Sending love, light and prayers for you all 💕  
Nerine always had that sweet smile.  
Until we all meet again 🌹

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Lynn Massengale - April 21, 2021 at 05:45 PM



“ Debbie & Joe Derick purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Nerine Smith Barnette.



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Debbie & Joe Derick - April 21, 2021 at 05:04 PM



“ Jim, Dodie, Debra, and Family:

*On behalf of all the Chappell's from across the street, we are so sorry. Prayers for comfort and peace.*

*" May the Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace. " - Paul*

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Paul Chappell - April 21, 2021 at 05:02 PM

JE

*Dear Paul - I'm sorry I missed seeing you. Y'all are part of the memories for sure!*

**Jeanie** - April 23, 2021 at 02:35 PM



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*Jimmy,*

*We are so sorry about the passing of Nerine. Debbie and I pray the Lord will comfort you and carry you in hour of mourning and grant you peace.*

*Matthew 5:4 - Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.*

*Brian and Debora West*

**Brian West** - April 21, 2021 at 02:38 PM



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*Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Nerine Smith Barnette.*



April 21, 2021 at 12:34 PM

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*Jim and Family.*

*We were saddened to learn of Nerine's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Ecclesiasters 3:1-8*

**Mike and Deborah Ivie** - April 20, 2021 at 08:19 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Nerine Smith Barnette.*



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April 20, 2021 at 07:13 PM



“ *I was so saddened to hear about Nerine's passing. I have so many good memories of growing up with her and such good times spent at her home with her wonderful family . Had some good times with her at Georgia Southern too and though we haven't seen a lot of each other later on in life, the love has always remained. She will be missed. My love and prayers to the family.*

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**Gale Goldenberg** - April 20, 2021 at 01:06 PM



“ *Bruce and I were so saddened to hear of Nerine's passing. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family.  
Much love, Bruce and Julie Humphrey*

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**Julie Humphrey** - April 20, 2021 at 07:54 AM



“ *We were saddened to hear of Nerine's passing. Our deepest sympathy and prayers are wiith her family and friends during this time of grief. She will be missed.*

*Clint & Carla Smith*

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**Clint and Carla Smith** - April 20, 2021 at 12:14 AM

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“ *Nerine will surely be missed by her many loving friends. She was indeed a sweet friend. My sympathies to her family.*  
*Nancy Roy*

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**Nancy Roy** - April 19, 2021 at 05:52 PM

JH

“ *Debra*  
*My thoughts and prayers are with you and family at the loss of your sister. Joyce and I have not loss any of our siblings, I can only imagine how it is. I pray the Lord's strength for you at this time. Many years have gone by since our school days. Take care.*

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**Joan Smith Hanson** - April 19, 2021 at 05:03 PM

JR

“ *Larry and I were truly sorry to hear of Nerine's passing! We send heartfelt condolences to all of you. She was always smiling and a friend to everyone she met. God bless you all.*

*Larry and Janet Robertson*

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**Janet Robertson** - April 19, 2021 at 02:14 PM

SW

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with ya'll during this difficult time.*  
*Love Susan and Ronnie Whatley*

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**Susan R Whatley** - April 19, 2021 at 01:34 PM