



## Mataska M. Brooks

October 3, 1943 - June 29, 2024

Some people pass through our lives like a never-ending stream. Others stop and touch our heart with a warmth that never leaves. Mataska “Tasky” Brooks, was a caring wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend.

Following a courageous battle with Lewy body dementia, she passed away peacefully at her home on June 29, 2024, at the age of 80.

She will be welcomed into heaven by her parents, Charlie and Mary May Manning, her aunt Jerry (Geraldine May), her brothers, Fred, Charles, and Clark Manning, her sister Annie Pearl Thompson and her grandson Coby Bowman.

She was born to Mary May Manning and Charlie Manning, October 3, 1943, in Sartinville, Mississippi. She enjoyed growing up on the family farm in Jayess, Mississippi with her five brothers and three sisters. She graduated From Tylertown High School and beautician school in Biloxi, Mississippi and worked for several years until she married her love, Clinton Brooks Sr. on her birthday October 3, 1965. Together they had five children and enjoyed raising their family around the world. Each army base they visited brought about joy for traveling and learning about other cultures. Mataska was an avid gardener and took pride in winning the yard of the month several times. Her hobbies also included painting, macrame, and pottery. Mataska was also a great cook

and many fond memories were made laughing around the dinner table.

Mataska will be missed by her devoted husband Clinton Brooks, son Clinton Brooks Jr. (Beth), and daughters Sabrina and Dianne Brooks, Serena (Leroy) Bowman, Natasha (Michael) Morel, Grandchildren Keyondra, Jacory, Makayla, Jada, Kennedy, and Colton Brooks, and brothers Darrel and Simmie Manning, sisters Dorthy (Jerry) Stapleton and Gladis (Lamar) Miller.

In lieu of flowers, financial contributions in memory of Mataska Brooks, can be made to:

Southern Grace Hospice: <https://form.jotform.com/92378136809164>

Lewy Body Dementia Association: <https://www.lbda.org/donate/>

<https://vimeo.com/event/4444965>

# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Dr  
Canton, GA 30114

# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *The Bemby, Norwood & Turnipseed family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Mataska M. Brooks.*



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**The Bemby, Norwood & Turnipseed family** - July 10, 2024 at 06:13 PM

VJ

“ *Vishnu J. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mataska M. Brooks.*

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**Vishnu J.** - July 10, 2024 at 12:07 AM

AC

“ *Annie Pearl's Crew purchased the Lavender & White Standing Spray for the family of Mataska M. Brooks.*



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**Annie Pearl's Crew** - July 09, 2024 at 02:16 PM

DD

“ *Dorothy, Gladis; Simmie, and Darrell-sib purchased the Classic Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Mataska M. Brooks.*



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**Dorothy, Gladis; Simmie, and Darrell-sib** - July 05, 2024 at 04:59 PM

SI

“ Mrs. Brooks was certainly a beautiful person, inside and out! I always felt welcome in her home when I came over to see the Brooks Girls. She saved my life as a teenager and I could never thank her enough for that. Our prayers are with Clinton and the kids. May the Lord bless you with peace and comfort during the days to come.



Stephanie Ingram - July 03, 2024 at 05:42 PM

AH

I can't say enough about this woman she was one of a kind. She was a loving kind woman. She was a beautiful woman that taught and mentored us all. She will be missed. Praying for the Family. Love you all.

Amy Roche Hall - July 04, 2024 at 11:56 PM

JM

Aunt Mataska, you are loved by us like another mother, we are truly heart broken by your loss, down here on earth but we know you are in heaven at peace with your loving mother, father, sister (my mother), and your brothers. God has opened his arms to another angel of the Manning family to keep watch over all of the ones still down here on earth. All of our love to our family and friends. Until we meet again, love Janice.

Janice Manning - July 06, 2024 at 06:35 PM

GM

To my Sister, Mataska..I am going to miss you. you were my sister. maybe not by birth but a true sister in all other ways. I am going to miss you especially, our long talks. You are with God now and you do not have to suffer anymore, we all loved you but God loved you more. You are at piece now. your sister in-law Gloria Jean.

Gloria Cochran Manning - July 10, 2024 at 01:40 PM

DT

*To my Aunt Task you will truly be missed and we love you dearly. Please say hello to all our family when you get to Heaven. I thank you for showing love to us every time you came to visit and the love you showed to the our family a love that will never be forgotten. Rest in Paradise love to our family and friends. Much love ❤️ from Darick and all my sibling, nieces, and nephews*

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**Darick S Thompson** - July 11, 2024 at 10:06 AM