



Mr. Billy Jonathan Ruffin

August 13, 1964 - March 22, 2022

"Our heart aches with sadness; our secret tears flow, for what it means to lose you, no one will ever know."

Billy Jonathan Ruffin was born on August 13, 1964, in Independence, Louisiana. Billy Jonathan Ruffin passed away at his home in Loranger, Louisiana, on Tuesday, March 22, 2022, at the age of 57.

He was baptized and became a member of Mt. Gillion Baptist Church at an early age. Billy was a faithful follower of the church and its teachings. Verses of the Bible were well known to him. He was married to Marion Baham Ruffin for over 37 years. He was employed at Cajun IDC. Billy was a jack of all trades; He was a generalist rather than a specialist, versatile and adept at many things; he always thought of others first. He developed a lifelong love of fixing vehicles (mechanic) at an early age. Billy enjoyed helping others and spending time with his children and grandchildren.

Billy leaves to cherish his loving memories: his wife, Marian Baham Ruffin of Loranger, Louisiana; four children, Quenlon Baham, Karnisha (Kerry) Butler, Brittney Ruffin of Loranger, Louisiana, and Jordan Armsted of Ponchatoula, Louisiana; his mother, Augustine Brumfield Ruffin of Roseland, Louisiana; father, Louis (Cynthia) Webster Ruffin Sr. of Hammond, Louisiana; one brother: Louis (Shelly) Webster Ruffin Jr. of Tulsa, Oklahoma; one sister,

Sharon Michelle Ruffin of Abingdon, Maryland; eight grandchildren, Terrell, Kerrion, Mya, Lauren, Lana, Tyronna, Alice, Zetrick all of Loranger, Louisiana; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

He is preceded in death by his brother, Dexter Ruffin; maternal grandparents, Eugene Cook and Carrie Solomon; paternal grandparents, Tom and Louella Ruffin; five Aunts, Loretta Smith, Gailya Smith, Betty Solomon, Bobbie Haynes, Mary Lee Harris; and five Uncles, Cecil Ruffin, Harold Solomon, Wallace Solomon, Lionel Solomon, and Edward Solomon.

His family and friends will significantly miss Billy. Let's remember what a great person he was and make sure that his memory continues in our hearts forever.

Cemetery Details

Fluker Chapel AME Church Cemetery

12710 Joynton Rd
Fluker, LA

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Cross Memorial Funeral Home - Amite
60100 W Way Drive
Amite, LA 70422
(985) 748-7199
<https://www.crossmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Interment

APR 2 (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To the Ruffin and Solomon family you have my deepest sympathy*

Edith James - April 01, 2022 at 10:54 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mr. Billy Jonathan Ruffin.*



March 31, 2022 at 09:10 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Billy Jonathan Ruffin.*



March 31, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Billy Jonathan Ruffin.*



March 30, 2022 at 07:32 PM



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March 30, 2022 at 07:27 PM



“ *Mike & Glenis Riddick purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Mr. Billy Jonathan Ruffin.*



Mike & Glenis Riddick - March 30, 2022 at 02:46 PM