



Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice

December 12, 1952 - April 1, 2026

Emma Jeanette Joyner Rice of Murfreesboro, NC

Emma Jeannette Joyner-Rice was born on December 12, 1952, in Pendleton, North Carolina, to the late Emma Lee Joyner and George Joyner Sr. She departed this life on April 1, 2026, leaving behind a legacy rooted in love, family, and quiet strength.

Emma leaves to cherish her memory her loving daughter, Melissa Joyner; her devoted grandson, Hanif Rice; her siblings, George Joyner, Florine Jordan, Cynthia Gatling, and Angela Gatling; and a host of nieces and nephews, including Jeffrie Joyner, Tiffany Joyner, Michele Joyner, Crystal Joyner, Nickey Mickens, and Tamika Nikol.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **18**. 11:00 AM.

First Baptist Murfreesboro
Murfreesboro, NC

Memorial Service

APR **20**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

The Boathouse-City
701 W. Randolph Road
Hopewell, VA 23860

Tribute Wall



“ *Robin Deloatch lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice*



Robin Deloatch - April 18 at 12:56 PM



“ *To my sister and friend, I love you....*

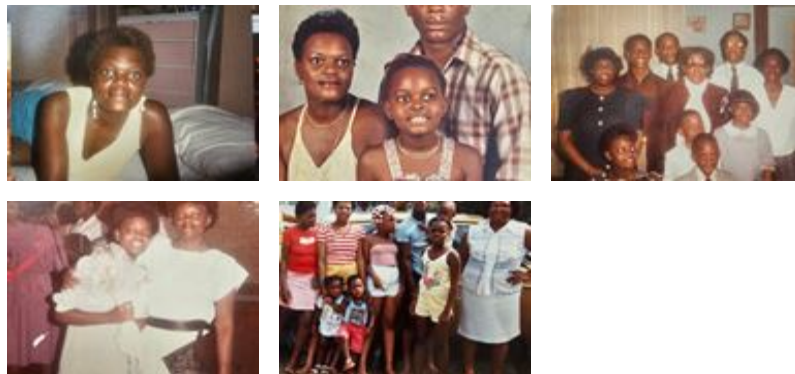
Your baby sis!



Cynthia Gatling - April 17 at 07:40 PM



“ *19 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Hunter's Funeral Home - April 17 at 09:37 AM

MJ

“ I will definitely keep you in my heart Auntie, definitely gone too soon. Love you now RIH🕊️💔

michele Joyner - April 16 at 09:35 PM

TF

“ The Tann Family lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice



The Tann Family - April 16 at 01:07 PM

HW

“ Herman Williams lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice



Herman Williams - April 15 at 02:19 PM

PW

“ Condolences to the joyner family.



Paulette Watson - April 14 at 06:51 PM

HP

“ *Helen Peoples lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice*



helen peoples - April 13 at 01:34 PM

MM

“ *Marion Mizell lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice*



Marion Mizell - April 12 at 06:01 PM

WJ

“ *Wallace & Susan Monger Jordan lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice*



Wallace & Susan Monger Jordan - April 12 at 07:51 AM

RH

“ *Raye Holley lit a candle in memory of Emma Jeannette Joyner Rice*



Raye Holley - April 11 at 08:27 PM