



Rava Coker Tinley

December 24, 1951 - November 24, 2024

Rava Coker Tinley, age 72, passed away at her home on Sunday, November 24th, 2024.

Rava was born on December 24th, 1951 in Arab, Alabama. She was a lifelong resident of the Arab, Alabama community.

Rava was a wife, mother, aunt, cousin, friend and “Mama T” to her four beautiful grandbabies that she loved with all her heart. Rava radiated a light to all that knew her. Her faith was so profound in the way that she lived and loved daily. Her family is forever grateful for the legacy and memories that she has instilled in us. Rava loved to cook, host family gatherings and serve others. She was a faithful member of Arab First Baptist Church.

Rava was known as “Mama T” to her 4 grandchildren, Cooper Lee Tinley (8), Henry Brooks Tinley (4), Sophie Bell Tinley (4), and Tatum McGraw Tinley (9months). Rava

was preceded in death by her parents, Evelyn and Clarence Coker and brother, Don “Randell” Coker. She is survived by her loving husband of 53 years, Jim Tinley; her sons, Scott Tinley (Sarah Beth) and Ben Tinley (Abby); her niece, Charlotte Coker Christian; and her grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at Arab First Baptist Church on Wednesday, November 27 th from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm, with the funeral service immediately following at 1:00 pm. Officiating will be Ben Tinley, Randy Stewart, Josh Coker and Paul Murphy.

PALLBEARERS: Jim Tinley, Scott Tinley, Ben Tinley, Ken Coker, Billy Coker, and Josh Coker

In lieu of flowers, we ask that you give to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering to support

the efforts of taking the Hope of Christ to the ends of the earth.

Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, directing

Cemetery Details

Mount Oak/Ruth Cemetery

3375 Ruth Road
Arab, AL 35016

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Arab First Baptist Church
502 North Main Street
Arab, AL 35016

Funeral Service

NOV 27. 1:00 PM (CT)

Arab First Baptist Church
502 North Main Street
Arab, AL 35016

Tribute Wall

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“ Gil H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rava Coker Tinley.

Gil H. - November 26, 2024 at 01:44 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rava Coker Tinley.

November 26, 2024 at 01:08 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Rava Coker Tinley.



November 26, 2024 at 01:08 PM

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“ Rava was a beautiful soul, one of the first people I met after moving to Cherokee Ridge at her store in Arab. To know her was to love her and Jim. Jim and Mark drove to work today together for a while and that was a blessing of friendship we are so grateful for. Forever in our hearts, Rava and Jim. 💕💕



Laurie & Mark Randall - November 26, 2024 at 12:18 PM

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“ *North Central AL OCC Team purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Rava Coker Tinley.*



North Central AL OCC Team - November 25, 2024 at 05:49 PM