



## Samantha Lynn Binion

February 28, 1993 - August 9, 2021

Samantha Lynn Binion, 28, of Newnan passed away August 9, 2021. Samantha was born on February 28, 1993, in Kennesaw, GA. She loved all things nature, including flowers and gardening, but she was especially passionate and knowledgeable about butterflies.

Samantha is survived by her father Byron Binion and wife SuKey; her mother, Leslie Brown Binion; sister, Kendal and her spouse Blake Binion-Holliday; her grandmother, Patricia Brown; and many extended family and friends.

The service to celebrate Samantha's life will be Saturday, August 14, 2021, at 4:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Dr. Joel Richardson officiating. Family will receive friends starting at 3:00 PM until service time.

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

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263  
care@mckoon.com  
<http://www.mckoon.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **14**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Memorial Service

AUG **14**. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Webcast in memory of Samantha Lynn Binion*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - August 14, 2021 at 11:50 AM



“ *RIP Samantha, I just found about about your passing 3 years later. I am sorry that I was not there beyond this night captured in this poem. I wish we could have walked the night forever. Perhaps in the next one.*

<https://worldwar.blog/2023/08/09/rest-in-peace-samantha-i-am-in-love-with-a-riot-grrrl-food-not-bombs/>

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**Kaya Erbil** - August 09, 2023 at 12:23 AM

FS

“ *I remember Sammy from food not bombs which we were a part of. I consider Sammy my comrade as well as my friend. It's been a while since I've seen her but she will be deeply missed. I remember how fun she made things at food not bombs and I remember good times with her at the tear down. I especially remember one time i visited with my dog and she got to meet him. My dog was also terrified of their cat and it was silly and funny. My condolences to all family and friends.*



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**Frank Smetana-Ford** - August 21, 2021 at 12:53 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Samantha Lynn Binion.* ”



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August 14, 2021 at 08:20 AM

BS

“ I met Sammie in the lead up to the KKK rally in Newnan in 2018. We worked together to flyer in the downtown area to try to build local opposition to the rally on a couple of occasions, including during Taste of Newnan. She was a bit nervous at first but got really into it, was engaging with everyone we talked to and sharing her passion for why the rally should not happen in Newnan. She was also really encouraging to me; I would have been very nervous to be doing it without her, and she encouraged me to keep coming back. With her infectious passion, she made it fun and exciting to talk with everyone we could about stopping the rally. She had no fear once we started.

I also worked with her to prepare for an anti-Klan press conference a few weeks later. I was struck by how courageous she was, to be ready to publicly come out as a voice of opposition to the Klan rally. She had never done something like a press conference before, and I could tell she was nervous. But very quickly she showed her strength and confidence and was able to prepare magnificently. I remember that she did an excellent job during the conference itself.

Although I only met her a couple of times, I remember her as an incredibly bright and lively person, someone who tried to bring joy to others around them, and make the world a better place for everyone. She will be missed by many.

With deep condolences,  
Brandon S.

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**Brandon S** - August 13, 2021 at 08:58 PM

SY

“ *Sylvia Yeager lit a candle in memory of Samantha Lynn Binion*



Sylvia Yeager - August 13, 2021 at 10:00 AM

SY

*Dear Leslie and all the Binion and Brown Family, May God embrace you in His love at this most difficult time. Lean on Him for understanding and peace. Your neighbors across the tracks . . . . Tommy, Sylvia, Marvin and Lesley Yeager.*

Sylvia Yeager - August 13, 2021 at 10:08 AM

JG

“ *Oh sweet Leslie...my heart is breaking for you and your family. Like you, I have two precious daughters and I cannot imagine losing one of them. I am sending you comforting prayers, healing light, and all of my love.*

Jennie Gillihan - August 12, 2021 at 09:43 AM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Samantha Lynn Binion.*



August 11, 2021 at 11:43 PM

JJ

“ Sammy! She has always made me feel like I belong. My favorite thing about her is all those random hidden talents! She belly danced and could sing!! She was electrifying! She did things her own way. I remember several times in my life staring at Sammy like...you do what!? Lol. I admired that about her. I just keep thinking about how my hair matched the cake topper she made for Kendal and Blake's wedding and now I feel forever honored to have been decorated like her creation. Y'all are family and I am so heartbroken. I will continue to send my love. - Josy Jones



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**Josy Jones** - August 11, 2021 at 03:52 PM

EB

“ Oh my word, I am so sorry to hear about this devastating loss, Binion family. This is absolutely heartbreaking. It has been many years since I have seen Sammy or Kendal, but they always have, and always will, a hold a special place in my heart. I am thinking of you all at this unfathomable moment, and sending you all love and light. please do not hesitate to reach out to Tyler (Harbin) or myself if there is anything in the world that he or I can do. Again, I am so very sorry for this loss, as the world is a little less bright without Samantha.

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**Erin Nicole Harbin Barr** - August 10, 2021 at 09:27 PM

LL

“ I am sorry to hear of your loss. Praying for you all.

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**Lisa Windom Lendvay** - August 10, 2021 at 08:59 PM

JW

“ *Leslie and family, I am so sorry to hear of Samantha's passing.  
Prayers for peace for all of you at this most difficult time.*

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**Jennifer Welch** - August 10, 2021 at 11:17 AM