



## Barak Yisrael

March 4, 1949 - November 6, 2021

Yisrael - Barak Yisrael, age 72 of Loganville, GA, passed away on Saturday, November 6th, 2021. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday November 13, 2021 in the Loganville Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home.

Barak Yisrael was born on 03/04/1949, in Pompano Beach, Florida. He was the third eldest of nine children born to the union of Mathew Lee and Geraldine Royster attending Blanche Ely High School. Later continuing his education at Broward Community college.

Barak served his country honorably in the United States Airforce from June 16, 1967 until December 13, 1971. He joined the Broward County Sheriff's Office May 08, 1972 until March 15, 1987. Barak told the story of his calling to God and became a faithful member of the Nation of YHWH in 1980. He was a very spiritual and devoted believer until the end. Barak was employed by The Home Depot for 30 years and had great work ethics. He had the ability to build things from houses to fixing cars. Barak had a great sense of humor with the ability to make others laugh. He was family oriented always teach his children and anyone else who asked or wanted to listen about God, the importance of loving one another and encouraged learning.

After a prior relationship, Barak met his loving wife of thirty-nine years in 1981. During their journey of friendship they joined in the bonds of holy matrimony

from which they produced six children. He was a great friend, wonderful husband, grandfather, and brother.

Barak was preceded in death by his parents, Geraldine and Mathew Lee Sr, and brother Bobby.

Surviving are his loving wife Gilana Yisrael; Children and their spouses, Abri and Patrick Watts, Tubal and Lauren Yisrael, Peninnah Yisrael, Beriah Yisrael, Zamir and Nafisha Yisrael and Barak Adam Yisrael. Siblings: Don, Cathy, Marion, Desiree and Jedidah, all of Pompano Beach, Florida. Grandchildren - Noah, Gabriel, Bjorn, Ariel, Naomi, and Azira. Favorites nieces Lisa, Kim, Tina and numerous family and friends.

\*\*\*Special mention from previous relationship: He leaves to mourn his sons Taj, Teron, Justice and grandchildren: Taj Marquez, Treyton, Ariel, Tramond and a great grand daughter Raine Royster of Texas.

The family will receive friends 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM on Saturday , November 13, 2021 at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 670 Tom Brewer Road, Loganville, GA 30052. Ph: 770-466-1544. Please sign the online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 13. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Loganville  
670 Tom Brewer Road  
Loganville, GA 30052

## memorial service

NOV 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Loganville  
670 Tom Brewer Rd.  
Loganville, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Barak Yisrael*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - November 11, 2021 at 10:26 AM

GY

*A beautiful life in pictures. A wonderful legacy to see. Rest In Peace my friend you deserve it. Lovingly your wife. Gilana*

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**Gilana Yisrael** - November 11, 2021 at 12:25 PM



*Beautiful!*

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**Jullissia Hudson-Lewis** - November 12, 2021 at 07:37 PM

ER

*Rest in Peace... Matt Royster aka (Barak Yisrael) I was his wife from 1974 until 1984. I had our last child Teron A. Royster on April 28, 1983. I am that previous relationship that Joel Stroman aka (Gilana Yisrael) spoke of. We were married in his Moms front yard on a beautiful day in March and his sister Jedidiah was one of my bridesmaid and his brothers Bobbie and Donnell Royster were his groomsmen. My children were not from a prior relationship, it was a marriage, I am Ella Royster.*

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**Ella Orgain Royster** - November 14, 2021 at 06:05 PM

TB

*Rest in peace take your wings and fly God has a resting place in heaven may your family be blessed to know your in good hand amongst the 🙏*

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**Tammy Bradford** - November 15, 2021 at 02:57 PM

KR

*R.I.P. Uncle Barak I will truly miss our conversations that we had I will miss as a uncle who always checked on me. Rest on Uncle Barak and I love you your niece Kim*

**Kim Royster** - November 16, 2021 at 10:34 AM



“ *Barak Yisrael*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM

TM

“ *TELISHA MOORE purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Barak Yisrael.*



**TELISHA MOORE** - November 12, 2021 at 12:09 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Barak Yisrael.*



November 12, 2021 at 07:21 AM

NI

“ *Peace & Love, Shalom Sister Gilana. I called last night and left a message. However, I wanted to reach out again and express my deepest condolences for you and your family and the lost of one so dear Brother Barach.*

*I admired brother Barach for his strength, kindness, love of nationhood, and commitment to family. What a strong brother. He has moved on to the next realm and will be missed but never forgotten. May Yahweh give you the strength to persevere.*

*Love,  
Nadea*

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**Nadea Israel** - November 11, 2021 at 05:48 PM

CD

“ *My deepest condolences and heartfelt sympathy for your loss. May the pain and sorrow that you feel now be nothing compared to your joy, comfort, and peace found within the memories of Barak Yisrael.*

*Connie Dowdell  
Friend and Co-worker*

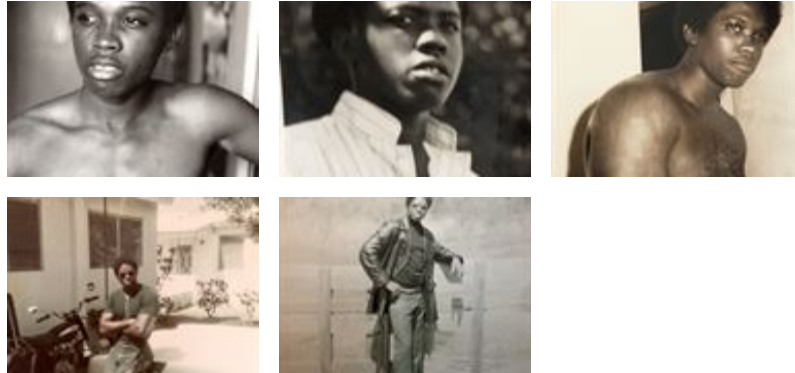


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**Connie Dowdell** - November 11, 2021 at 02:45 PM



“ 75 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - November 11, 2021 at 10:14 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of **Barak Yisrael**.



November 10, 2021 at 08:31 PM



“ *Barak was a teacher of many things, stressed how we should know thyself and God. He's a spirit that lives and will never be forgotten.*  
~Coworker HD~

**Stone** - November 09, 2021 at 05:26 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Barak Yisrael.*



November 09, 2021 at 11:22 AM



“ *My heart skip-a -beat and I can begin to express my feelings. With a very heavy heart my deepest condolences to you and your family. My heart and sole are within deepest prayer, especially for you.*

*Mary Preston  
Friend & co-worker*

**Mary Preston** - November 09, 2021 at 08:22 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Barak & Family*



**Lauren Yisrael** - November 08, 2021 at 10:06 PM

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“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Lauren Yisrael** - November 08, 2021 at 08:16 PM